



# VEHICLE INERTIA MEASUREMENT FACILITY

## VEHICLE & PRODUCT SOLUTIONS

The **Vehicle Inertia Measurement Facility (VIMF)** is the premier, state-of-the-art system for measuring mass, center-of-gravity (CG) position, moments of inertia (MOI), and various products of inertia (POI). Originally designed and built by S-E-A in 1994, the VIMF has remained the gold standard in the automotive industry since its inception. Over 25 years in production, the VIMF has been used to conduct over 30,000 tests for automobile manufacturers, race teams and design consultants worldwide. The U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) uses the measurements taken on S-E-A's VIMF to provide Static Stability Factor (SSF) data to rank vehicle rollover propensity as part of its New Car Assessment Program (NCAP).

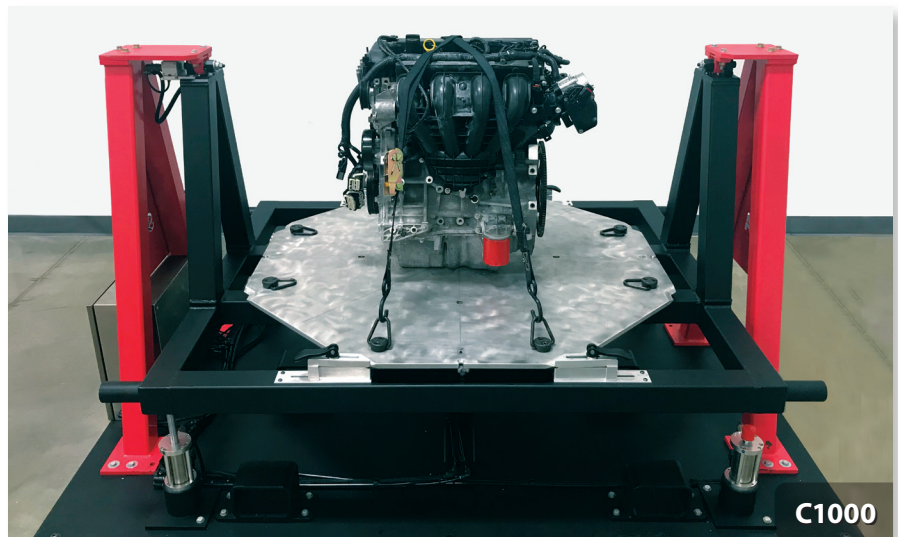
The VIMF is available in various sizes, each utilizing a single platform for all measurements, thus minimizing test time and space requirements. The VIMF uses a combination of stable and inverted pendulum methods to determine CG height and inertia properties. Test operation is computer guided, user friendly and highly accurate.

The VIMF technology has multiple configurations to accommodate small vehicle components, engines, passenger vehicles, large commercial and military vehicles, and anything in between. VIMF test facilities range from 450 to 45,000 kg capacities and can be installed at an automotive R&D campus, or testing can be performed by S-E-A at our facility.

*Certification, advanced modeling, and competitive benchmarking demand precise CG and inertia measurements.*



V10K



C1000

	C1000	C3000	V10K	V30K	V100K
Mass	1000 lb (450 kg)	3000 lb (1350 kg)	10,000 lb (4500 kg)	30,000 lb (14,000 kg)	100,000 lb (45,000 kg)
Platform Dimensions (mm)	1200 x 1200	2500 x 2500	2100 x 5500	260 X 890 (1295)	3600 x 12,000
CG Height	1%	1%	0.5%	1%	1%
Moment of Inertia (MOI)	1-2%	1-2%	1-2%	1-3%	3%
Product of Inertia (POI)	1% of smallest MOI	1% of smallest MOI	2% of smallest MOI	3% of smallest MOI	5% of smallest MOI
Test Duration (includes setup)	3 hours	3 hours	3 hours	3 hours	4 hours

Data sheet containing the complete results from a C1000 test.



### S-E-A C1000

Inertia Measurement Facility

**C1000 Test #:** 110      **Test Date:** 10/24/2017      **Date Printed:** 10/24/2017  
**Year:** 2016      **Project:** SEA Research  
**Make:** Ford      **Model:** Fusion Engine      **Engine Weight (kg):** 113.2  
**Description:** 2016 Ford Fusion Engine

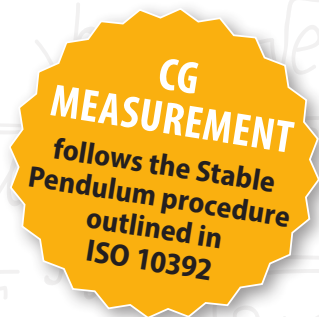


**Engine X CG from Y-Axis (mm):** 0.8  
**Engine X Reference from Y-Axis (mm):** 6.4  
**Engine X CG from Engine X Reference (mm):** -5.6  
**Engine Y CG from X-Axis (mm):** 1.5  
**Engine Y Reference from X-Axis (mm):** -266.5  
**Engine Y CG from Engine Y Reference (mm):** 268.0  
**Engine Z CG from Platform (mm):** 332.2  
**Engine Z Reference from Platform (mm):** -215.9  
**Engine Z CG from Engine Z Reference (mm):** -116.3

Applied Weight (kg)	Platform Angle (deg)	CG Height Above Platform (mm)
9.343	-3.734	331.0
9.343	-3.733	330.7
9.343	3.713	333.3
9.343	3.716	333.8
<b>332.2</b>		

Platform Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Ixx MOI (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )	Platform Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Iyy MOI (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )	Platform Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Reaction Torque (N-m)	Ixz POI (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )
1.693	2.25	5.842	1.685	2.25	0.051	1.693	2.29	5.836	0.052
1.693	2.28	5.838	1.685	2.27	0.053	1.693	2.28	5.838	0.052
<b>5.839</b>									
1.676	2.37	4.042	0.815	3.33	0.170	1.676	2.36	4.051	0.046
1.676	2.35	4.054	0.815	3.12	0.158	1.676	2.35	4.054	0.044
<b>4.049</b>									
0.815	3.33	3.225	0.814	3.34	2.147	0.815	3.12	3.218	0.618
0.815	3.04	3.216	0.814	3.29	2.124	0.815	3.04	3.216	0.613
<b>3.220</b>									
<b>0.617</b>									

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Data sheet containing the complete results from a V10K test.



### S-E-A VIMF

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**VIMF Test #:** #9070      **Test Date:** 10/30/2025      **Date Printed:** 1/9/2026      **Front Track (mm):** 1640  
**Year:** 2026      **Project:** SEA Research      **Rear Track (mm):** 1643  
**Make:** Tesla      **VIN:** 7SAY\*\*\*\*\*      **Average Track (mm):** 1642  
**Model:** Model Y      **Mileage:** 29      **Roof Height (mm):** 1615  
**Description:** Driver, Electric Fuel, Electric, Auto, RWD, 4 Door, SUV      **Wheelbase (mm):** 2893

Front Tire Type:	Front Tire Size:	Front Tire:	Rear Tire Type:	Rear Tire Size:	Rear Tire:	Weights (kg)	Total Weight (kg)
Hankook Ion EVO A/S SUV M+S	255/40R20 101V	42psi	Hankook Ion EVO A/S SUV M+S	255/40R20 101V	42psi	Left Front: 478.5, Right Front: 457.2, Left Rear: 529.1, Right Rear: 521.3	1986.1
							Lateral CG (mm): -12.1
							Longitudinal CG (mm): 1530.0

Applied Weight (kg)	Platform Angle (deg)	Motion Relative to Platform (mm)	CG Height (mm)	
0.000	-0.961	0.000	0.0	
21.196	3.344	-0.586	540.3	
28.008	4.402	-0.723	540.0	
21.196	-3.422	0.318	540.7	
28.008	-4.490	0.511	541.1	
<b>540.5</b> T/2H = 1.519				
Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Relative Motion (mm)	Pitch Inertia (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )	
4.887	4.182	0.551	2883	
4.887	4.178	0.550	2883	
4.887	4.211	0.553	2883	
Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Relative Motion (mm)	Yaw Inertia (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )	Roll/Yaw Product (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )
2.703	3.118	0.122	3201	57
2.704	3.056	0.119	3204	58
2.704	2.820	0.111	3206	60
<b>3203</b>				<b>58</b>
Period (sec)	Platform Amplitude (deg)	Relative Motion (mm)	Roll Inertia (kg-m <sup>2</sup> )	
1.458	2.851	0.504	818	
1.458	2.837	0.507	818	
1.458	2.990	0.540	819	
<b>818</b>				

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 45,000  
 world-wide tests!**

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