# **ELECTRONIC TWIST TESTER**

# LH-703



Twist has a critical effect on the physical properties of yarn such as softness, tensile strength and cover factor. Optimum twist level is important for both yarn end-users and production plants.

Lawson Hemphill Electronic Twist Tester, ETT meets applicable standards for measuring twist in the yarn. The machine is designed to apply Untwist-Retwist Method, Direct Counting Method and Schutz Method, which is special mode for Open-End yarns.

The instrument is a motorized unit with two clamps. One clamp is on adjustable stand to select yarn test length while the other clamp rotates in S or Z direction for twist removal.

The ETT Control Panel allows selection of the twist test method. At the end of the test, Panel Display will show the Average Twist Count, Standard Deviation, Minimum and Maximum Twist counts. Result data can be printed or sent to a computer.

#### **FEATURES**

- Untwist-Retwist Method, Direct Counting Method and Schutz Method
- Variable Clamp Distance (test length) between 1-50cm (0.5 to 20 inches)
- Yarn Elongation Indicator up to 100mm with 1mm accuracy
- Electronic Twist Counter on Control Panel Display
- Test End Indicator with Zero LED
- Auto Stop at test end



# **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Clamp Distance 1-50cm (0.5-20 inches)

Elongation Indicator Up to 100mm with 1mm accuracy

Speed 0-2200 rpm Display Backlit LCD

Output RS232 serial port for data and printer output

Pre-tension weight 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 30g up to 60 grams for yarn pre-tension

# **MODELS**

#### **LH 703 Electronic Twist Tester**

#### **LH 703 Electronic Twist Tester with Printer**

Power Supply 110V or 220V

Power Consumption 25 watts

Dimensions 106 x 23 x 23 cm (41.7 x 9 x 9 in)

Weight 16Kg (32.5lbs)

#### **ACCESSORIES and SPARE PARTS**

- 50, 100 or 150g additional pre-tension weights
- Magnification Lens 3X
- Printer

# **STANDARDS**

ASTM D 1422 Method for Twist in Single Spun Yarns by the Untwist - Retwist
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ASTM D 1423 Standard Test Method for Twist in Yarns by Direct Counting

BS 2085 Method of Test for Determination of Twist in Yarns, Direct Counting Method

DIN 53832/1 Testing of Textiles; Determination of the Twist of Single and Plied Yarns and of the Change of

Length Untwist Method

EN ISO 2061 Textiles, Determination of Twist in yarns, Direct Counting Method

IWTO 25-70 Determination of the Twist of Wool Worsted Yarns

<sup>\*</sup>All specifications are subject to change.



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