

Automotive Technology Teaching & Training

Ref.: MT-DAE

The MT-DAE from **EXXIDTEST**® scale model is a training aid item with real elements that allows discovering an

automotive electric power steering.

OBJECTIVES

- Study operation of power steering from different parameters (vehicle's speed, normal mode, degraded mode).
- Visualize the forces exerted by the driver on the steering wheel by means of a torque sensor integrated in the electric engine.
- Study the consumption of the electric engine depending on the resistance imposed.
- Visualize the forces exerted by the assistance of the rack's electric engine by means of the force sensor.
- Measure and interpret the signals by means of a breakdown control board situated upstream of the ECU (voltage, amperage...).
- Diagnose a failure with the manufacturer tool on the system via the Diagnosis connection socket (anomaly introduced in the breakdown control board).



DESIGN



This scale model consists of an aluminium frame on caster wheels with an electric power assisted rack and pinion steering system.

A multi-disc brake can be found at the rack end to recreate an effort which is measured with a sensor.

A control desk (showing the changing speed of the vehicle, the steering wheel torque sensor, the battery voltage, the force measured at the track arm).

With a breakdown control board any fuse-protected measuring point can be accessed

The elements assembled by **EXXITEST**®:

- An aluminium frame on castor wheels.
- A 12V charger with a cut-out switch installed in the low part of the car frame.
- A board with information dials and adjusting buttons :
 - Vehicle's speed,
 - Torque exerted by the driver on the steering column,
 - Force measured along the track arm
 - Amperage absorbed by the power steering engine
 - Setting off the assistance



A measuring terminal board with protection fuses against breakdown. Shunting all the lines of the ECU and of added sensors.



The real elements are:

- The electric power steering rack and pinion, which is fixed on a strengthened steel piece connected to a multi-disc brake of adjustable pressure.
- The electric power steering ECU.
- A 12V battery placed in the low part of the aluminium frame.
- The EOBD diagnosis connection socket.

OTHER

- Power supply: 220/110Vac 50/60Hz.
- Size: 2950 X 1350 X 1500 mm
- Gross weight : 6,5 Kg (ready to ship).
- Net weight: 80 Kg
- Warranty: 2 years

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