

**CS300M Potentiostat/Galvanostat** contains a fast digital function generator, high-speed data acquisition circuitry, a potentiostat and a galvanostat. With high performance in stability and accuracy with advanced hardware and well-functioned software, it is a most cost-effective and basic model for you. With basic methods such as potentiostatic (I-T), CV, LSV, Potentiodynamic (Tafel plot), galvanostaic charge and discharge(GCD), it's suitable for various applications such as corrosion measurement, the carbon dioxide reduction, the electro-catalysis, battery charge and discharge tests, etc. Model CS300M doesn't include



## **Applications**

- Reaction mechanism of Electrosynthesis, electrodeposition, anodic oxidation, etc.
- Electrochemical analysis and sensor;
- New energy materials (Li-ion battery, solar cell, fuel cell, supercapacitors), advanced functional materials, photoelectronic materials;
- Corrosion study of metals in water, concrete and soil, etc;
- Fast evaluation of corrosion inhibitor, water stabilizer, coating and cathodic protection efficiency.

## **Specifications**

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Support 2-, 3- or 4-electrode system	Potential and current range: Automatic		
Potential control range: ±10V	Current control range: ±2A		
Potential control accuracy: 0.1%xfull range±1mV	Current control accuracy: 0.1%×full range		
Potential resolution: 10µV (>100Hz),3µV (<10Hz)	Current sensitivity:1pA		
Rise time: <1µS (<10mA), <10µS (<2A)	Reference electrode input impedance: $10^{12}\Omega  2$ 0pF		
Current range: 2nA~2A, 10 ranges	Compliance voltage: ±21V		
Maximum current output: 2A	CV and LSV scan rate: 0.001mV~10,000V/s		
CA and CC pulse width: 0.0001~65,000s	Current increment during scan: 1mA@1A/ms		
Potential increment during scan: 0.076mV@1V/ms	SWV frequency: 0.001~100 kHz		
DPV and NPV pulse width: 0.0001~1000s	AD data acquisition:16bit@1 MHz,20bit@1 kH z		
DA Resolution:16bit, setup time:1µs	Minimum potential increment in CV: 0.075mV		
Low-pass filters: covering 8-decade	Operating System: Windows 10/11		
Interface: USB 2.0	Weight/Measurements: 6.5kg, 36x 30x16 cm		



## Techniques - CS300M

#### Stable polarization

- Open Circuit Potential (OCP)
- Potentiostatic (I-T curve)
- Galvanostatic
- Potentiodynamic (Tafel plot)
- Galvanodynamic (DGP)
- Sweep-Step Functions (SSF)

## Transient Polarization

- Multi Potential Steps
- Multi Current Steps
- Potential Stair-Step (VSTEP)
- Galvanic Stair-Step (ISTEP)

#### **Chrono Method**

- Chronopotentiometry (CP)
- Chronoamperametry (CA)
- Chronocaulometry (CC)

#### Voltammetry

- Linear Sweep Voltammetry (LSV)
- Cylic Voltammetry (CV)
- Staircase Voltammetry (SCV)#
- Square Wave Voltammetry (SWV)#
- Differential Pulse Voltammetry (DPV)#
- Normal Pulse Voltammetry (NPV)#
- Differential Normal Pulse Voltammetry (DNPV)#
- AC Voltammetry (ACV)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> harmonic AC Voltammetry (SHACV)
- Fourier Transform AC Voltammetry (FTACV)
- #There is corresponding voltammetry stripping methods

#### **Corrosion Measurements**

- Cyclic polarization curve (CPP)
- Linear polarization curve (LPR)
- Electrochemical Potentiokinetic Reactivation (EPR)
- Electrochemical Noise (EN)
- Zero resistance Ammeter (ZRA)

## Battery test

- Battery Charge and Discharge
- Galvanostatic Charge and Discharge (GCD)
- Potentiostatic Charging and Discharging
- Potentiostatic Intermittent Titration Technique
- Galvanostatic Intermittent Titration Technique

# **TECHNICAL ADVANTAGES**

## Polarization curve



It can complete linear polarization curve and Tafel plot measurements. The user can set the anodic reversal current (passivation film breakdown current) of the cyclic polarization curve to determine material's pitting potential and protection potential and evaluate the its susceptibility to intergranular corrosion. The software employs non-linear fitting to analyze polarization curve, and can make fast evaluation of material's anti-corrosion ability and inhibitors.



Polarization curve of Ti-based amorphous alloy &stainless steel in 3%NaCl solution

#### Voltammetry

It can do the following electroanalysis methods: Linear Sweep Voltammetry(LSV), Cyclic Voltammetry(CV), SWV, NPV, DPV etc.It integrates calculation of peak area, peak current and standard curve analysis.



Left: LSV curve: mesoporous carbon material in 0.1M KOH Right: CV curves of PPysupercapacitor in 0.5 mol/L H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

#### **Electrochemical Noise**

With high-resistance follower and zero-resistance ammeter, it measures the natural potential/current fluctuations in corrosion system. It can be used to study pitting corrosion, galvanic corrosion, crevice corrosion, and stress corrosion cracking etc. Through noise spectrum, we can evaluate the inducement, growth and death of metastable pitting and crack. Based on calculation of noise resistance and pitting index, it can complete localized corrosion monitoring.





Electrochemical noise of low-carbon steel in 0.05mol/L Cl<sup>-</sup>+0.1mol/L NaHCO<sub>3</sub>

### Full floating measurement

CS150M workstation uses full-floating working electrode. It can be used for autoclave electrochemical measurements, on-line corrosion monitoring of metallic components under the ground (rebar in concrete, etc.)

## Software development kit(SDK)

We can provide secondary development interfaces, API general interfaces and development examples, and can realize data call for Labview, C, C++, C#, VC and other program, which is convenient for secondary development and test methods customization.



## High current, high compliance options

•With the CS2020B/CS2040B booster, the current can be boosted to 20A/40A, which meets the requirement in fuel cell, power battery, electroplating, etc

• Can customize the instrument to be 30V high compliance voltage, which meets the test requirement in low-conductivity solutions (organic system, concrete system etc), especially suitable for carbon and nitrogen reduction study.



## Real-time data storage

Experiment data can be stored in real time. Even if the test is interrupted by a power failure, the data will be automatically saved. The data is compatible with Excel, Origin, and can be directly opened.



# SOFTWARE FEATURES

**Cyclic voltammetry:** CS studio software provides users a versatile smoothing/differential/ integration kit, which can complete the calculation of peak height, peak area and peak potential of CV curves. In CV technique, during the data analysis, there is function of selecting exact cycle(s) to show. You can choose to see a cycle or some cycles as you want.



**Battery Test and analysis:** charge & discharge efficiency, capacity, specific capacitance, charge & discharge energy.



#### Tafel plot and corrosion rate

CS studio also provides powerful non-linear fitting on Butler-Volmer equation of polarization curve. It can calculate Tafel slope, corrosion current density, limitation current, polarization resistance, corrosion rate. It can also calculate the power spectrum density, noise resistance and noise spectrum resistance based on the electrochemical noise measurements.





**Combination test:** CS studio software supports the combination test for various experiments to achieve flexible and unattended test. You can set the parameters for each experiment in advance, and set the intervals, wait time etc between each experiment.

No.	Name	Description
🗵 1	Start time	The following test starts at [2022/03/23 11:34:35]
2	Start the cycle	Cycles:3
¥ 3	Open Circuit Potential	Freq(Hz):10,Hold Time(s):1800
¥ 4	Potentiostatic EIS (IMP)	DC Potential(V):0,Amplitude(mV):10,Initial Frequency:100000,Fina
<b>∞</b> 5	Potentiodynamic (Tafel, LPR)	Init E(V):-0.1 vsOCP,Final E(V):0.1 vsOCP,Scan Rate(mV/s):0.5,Fre
☑ 6	Wait	After 180 seconds, testing will be continued
2 7	End the cycle	End
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#### Combination Test: corrosion tests

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No.	Name	Description
🗵 1	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):5,Freq(Hz):10,Cycl
2	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):10,Freq(Hz):20,Cyd
🗹 3	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):20,Freq(Hz):40,Cyd
<b>4</b>	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):50,Freq(Hz):100,C
☑ 5	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):100,Freq(Hz):200,0
☑ 6	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):200,Freq(Hz):400,0
7	Cyclic Voltammetry	Step1 E(V):-1 vsRef,Step2 E(V):1 vsRef,Scan Rate(mV/s):500,Freq(Hz):1000

Combination Test: Pseudo capacitor tests

**Data open:** You can open the data files by txt format in notepad directly. Data can also be opened in Origin, Excel.

## Standard supply

Instrument host CS300M x1 CS studio software Power cable x1,USB cable x1,**Cell cable x2** Dummy cell( $1k\Omega||100\mu$ F) x1,Manual

## **After-sales Service**

- 1. Warranty period: 5 years
- 2. Provide manual, software installation video, and training videos.
- 3. Provide repair service for free