LSPlus Series Vs LS Series

| Feature | LS Series | New LSPlus Series | Impact on Applications & Customers |
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| Speed Accuracy | 0.2% (LS1 from 40mm/ min, LS5 from 20mm/min) | 0.1% (LS1 Plus from 0.1mm/min, LS5 Plus from 0.01mm/min) | Higher precision data for all applications Most materials are strain rate dependent meaning that test speed will affect the load readings. More accurate speed mean more accurate load readings. |
| Speed Range | 0.01 to 1016 mm/min | 0.001 to 2032 mm/min | Wider range of testing speeds allows for broader material characterization. – Slow speed for testing on engineered components. The high speed enables high return speed to allow greater testing throughput |
| Extension Resolution | 0.15 microns | 0.04 microns | Significantly improved measurement resolution for crosshead displacement. This allows the motion control electronics to control the speed with higher accuracy and smoothly across the whole range. |
| Load Resolution | | Min. 1 part in 10^9 | Excellent load resolution allows calibration across a wider range of forces, reducing the need for multiple loadcells. |
| A/D Converter | | New 32-bit with improved accuracy | Increases load resolution for calibration across a wider range of forces reducing the need for multiple loadcells |
| Strain Rate Control | Not supported | Supported | Enables testing under constant strain rate, a requirement for ISO plastic tensile tests Expands testing capabilities to meet industry standards Valuable for R&D and quality control in the plastics industry. |
| Control Interface | Nexygen Plus or main con- sole (limited functionality) | Nexygen Plus or LS Plus tablet | Tablet interface with wide range of applications, tension, compression and cycling. Data output and reports. Enhances user experience and simplifies test setup for R&D and quality control labs. |
| Low Speed Per- formance | Limited | Significantly improved | New motion control system means LS1 can now be used for slow speed applications, no need to upgrade to LS5. |
| Cycling Performance | | Improved cycling reaction and turnaround time | Faster response changes in direction or speed. More accurately follows the test procedure. |
| Load Holding | | Improved | More precise and stable load control Ensures accurate data during static load tests Benefits R&D, quality control, and manufacturing by providing consistent test results. |

