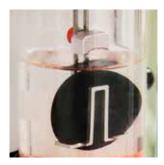
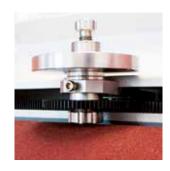
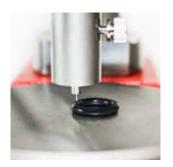


# **Instrument Upgrades**



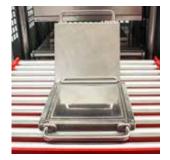




























# Instrument upgrades and rebuilds

All MonTech upgrades feature the most advanced technologies placed directly into the instrument. These 75 different modifications breath new life in the instrument, allowing factory 4.0 connectivity and most accurate and repeatable results for aging laboratory instruments

# Instrument modernization, upgrade and rebuild programs

MonTech has designed specific programs to answer every customer's instrument needs and budget and guarantee the highest instrument performance.

#### → Repair, Rebuild and Upgrade:

Heavily used instruments that are worn or have suffered severe damages can easily be repaired on-site or in one of our local MonTech workshops.

At the same time, instruments can be upgraded to PLC-based controller technology with digital data acquisition and the latest software systems.

#### → Convert:

Convert your instrument to adapt it to your specific testing needs while bringing your testing operation up-to-date again e.g. by converting your ODR to an MDR, providing significantly better accuracy and reproducibility, much easier instrument operation and even shorter test times.

## → Exchange:

Exchange your instrument for another already upgraded and rebuilt instrument available from stock at many MonTech locations.

#### → Trade in:

Trade in your used instruments towards the purchase of a new instrument.



## Instrument rebuilds and upgrades

A full instrument rebuild typically covers the following work items, making the instrument as reliable as a new one:

- → New instrument covers and panels to make the instrument fanless and rugged enough for harsh environments by sealing off the electronic system.
- → Overhaul of the mechanical system including main stack, dies, frame, drive system, pneumatics
- → Replacement of all sensor switches as well as the entire wiring harness of the instrument
- → Single-button control or optional 5.7" color touchpanel control with LED status lights
- → Removal of all custom boards and upgrade electronics to a new PLC-based system featuring Ethernet, USB and RS232 connectivity
- An optional upgrade of the drive system to either a fixed speed brushless DC or direct servo drive

- → Of course all instrument options that are available for new instruments are also available for instrument upgrades as well as many further upgrade kits such as:
  - → Touchpanel control displays
  - → Various transducer options
  - → LED cabinet lights
  - → Retrofit automation systems
  - → Cooling and data output options
- → Software upgrade to the latest version of MonControl Software
- → Optional shotblasting and repainting of the instrument frame
- → Fully traceable instrument calibration, commissioning, installation and training along with a 1 year warranty.

# INSTRUMENT UPGRADES

## Why upgrade?

Upgrading your materials testing equipment and software not only extends the system's life, but brings you our latest technology and operational features. Also, some components in your material testing system can become obsolete while other components still have years of useful life.

An upgrade of your system utilizes up-to-date technologies enabling you to increase productivity, reduce overhead, maximize machine uptime and improve the accuracy and reliability of results. Most upgrades and improvements will unlock new functionality and features not previously available to you, while still retaining your core system and minimizing

Upgrading your instruments allows you to retain your machine frame while replacing or overhauling older components and software.

This results in a revitalized testing system at a fraction of the cost of new testing equipment.

The upgrade of your machinery is carried out by MonTech's qualified engineers together with the appropriate services including calibration, preventative maintenance, software updates, system set-up, and training to ensure a successful startup of your revitalized material testing system.

### Maximize the Potential of Your Testing Equipment:

Upgrading is one element of your MonTech solution ownership experience. We can help you extend the life of your materials testing system by working with you to plan ahead with an equipment protection and upgrade program — helping you to avoid unexpected surprises and keep you operating at peak performance for the life of your materials testing system.



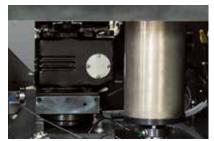
Fully rebuilt TechPro ViscTech



Converted Techpro MDPt to MD+



Upgraded PPA 2000 with automation



Automatic, software guided calibration sequence



Rheometer brushless DC drive upgrade



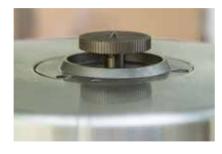
Advanced, PLC based control and DAQ electronics



Die upgrades including precision heaters and probes



Integrated safety controls and diagnostic circuits

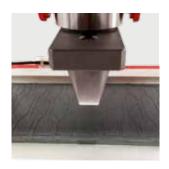


Mooney Viscometer variable rotor speed upgrade





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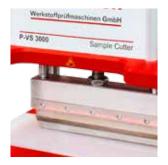






















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