

General Information

Delay in Gear Displayed on Echelon2(G) Console

Applies to: Echelon2 + Echelon2G



Some customers have noticed a multi-second delay on the Gear that is displayed on the Echelon2 and Echelon2G consoles when using the 4iii Powerme-

ter. First and foremost it is important to understand that this delay is **NOT** a software bug.

The delay is due to the timing of how data points are captured and converted by the console. Every 1/4 second the console receives a data point, the resulting data displayed depends on if the 3 Second Average in the console settings is on or off.

By having 3 Second Average turned on, the data reported will smooth out those 3 seconds or 12 data points . While delay in accumulating those 12 data points will be noticeable, this data tends to be more stable.

If 3 Second Average is turned off, the gear and data displayed will be updated more often resulting in less of a delay, however, the data may not be as stable as the console is displaying 1:1 with the cyclical and dynamic ride data direct from the crank arm/4iiii Powermeter.

To Change Setting on 3 Second Average:

- 1. Hold the STAGE and AVG/MAX buttons down at the same time and hold to access the service menu.
- 2. Use the AVG/MAX button to scroll in the service menu until "3 SEC AVE" is displayed.
- 3. Press the backlight button then use AVG/MAX to scroll between ON and OFF, pressing the backlight button once the selection is made to save the selection.
- 4. Use the AVG/MAX button to scroll until "EXIT" is displayed then press the backlight button to exit the service menu.

How Gear is Calculated on Echelon2 Power Sensor VS. 4iiii Powermeter:

With Echelon2 Power Sensor:

Gear is calculated on the Echelon2 Power Sensor by interpreting the angle at which the sensor is set and assigning a gear ratio to that angle. As the angle of the brake changes with increasing or decreasing the resistance, the gear ratio will change.

With the 4iiii Powermeter:

Gear is calculated based on a range of measured torque. As the torque on the user left crank arm changes throughout the ride, the gear displayed will also change.