

OpenLAB CDS EZChrom Edition Workstation is a newer version of EZChrom Elite Workstation 3.x with GLP tools and other features. The following table outlines the functional differences:

	EZChrom Elite Workstation 3.x	OpenLAB CDS Workstation	Notes
Instrument Control			
Number of Instruments controlled	Based on the number of instrument licenses (A maximum of four)	Based on the number of instrument licenses (A maximum of four)	An instrument consists of 1 LC or GC, with an unlimited number of channels PLUS any instrument components such as autosamplers, detectors, VICI valves, etc.
Types of Instrument Control Available	Any combination (A maximum of 130 drivers available)	Any from the full Range (A maximum of 130 drivers available) *	7820 Compact GC <i>DOES NOT</i> support RTL, Headspace or multiple detectors
Shared Services	Not Available	Available	
Control Panel	Not Available	Available	
Full Digital Range GC Data Collection	Not Available	Available	
Agilent HS & Full Sequence Download	Not Available	Available	
Data Analysis			
DAD Acquisition and Analysis	*Available	*Available	
SEC / GPC Analysis	*Available	*Available	
Advanced Reports	Included	Included	
GLP / Compliance Features (Logins, user and project permissions, audit trails, electronic signatures, advanced file security)	Included	Included	
Instrument Activity Log	Included	Included	
E-mail Notification	Included	Included	
Smart Sequence	Included	Included	(Included for Agilent instruments, available as a License Option for other instruments)
Fractional Wavelength	Not Available	Available	
Result Package Support	Not Available	Available	
ECM for Storage	Not Available	Available	

There is NO difference between OpenLAB CDS and EZChrom Elite Workstation in terms of the following:

- The types and level of Instrument Control offered (except for Hitachi, Shimadzu & Thermo)
- ASCII Export
- User Programs and Script based Custom Parameters
- Smart Sequence
- Baseline Check
- Reading of ChemStation Data File

* Currently does not support Hitachi, Shimadzu or Thermo Instrument Controls