



# PROFILE PROJECTORS

## V-20B / V-12B



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**Large effective screen diameter of 500 mm.**  
**Permits mounting of a large stage and includes a built-in digital counter and digital protractor.**

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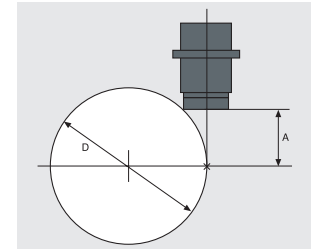
## Stage Adapter S For V-20B only

Used to mount a stage other than the PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B Stage to the V-20B profile projector.



## PROJECTION LENSES

Five lenses are available, each featuring a different magnification, working distance, and field of view (FOV) diameter.



A = working distance  
D = maximum diameter of a measurable cylindrical sample

| Magnification | FOV diameter | Half mirror          | A    | D   |
|---------------|--------------|----------------------|------|-----|
| 5×            | 100          | Built-in; fixed      | 73   | 149 |
| 10×           | 50           | Built-in; switchable | 79   | 215 |
| 20×           | 25           | Built-in; switchable | 85   | 313 |
| 50×           | 10           | Built-in; switchable | 50.5 | 130 |
| 100×          | 5            | Built-in; switchable | 50.5 | 130 |

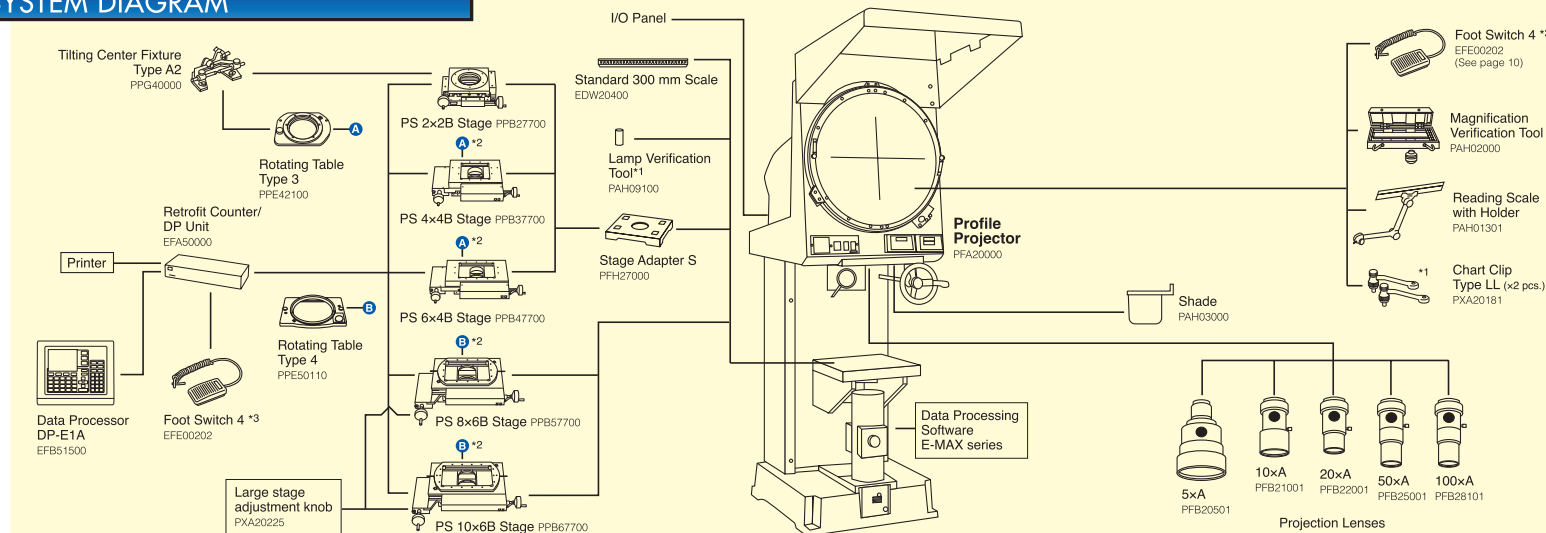
\*Part of the FOV is vignetted when 5× or 10× projection lens are used under diascopic illumination

## SPECIFICATIONS

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Type                   | Vertical optical axis  |
| Image                  | Inverted and reversed  |
| Screen                 | ø500 mm with protractor screen   |
| Projection lens        | 5×, 10×, 20×, 50×, 100×<br>3-lens turret mount (screw type)  |
| Magnification accuracy | Diascopic: 0.1 %<br>Reflected: 0.15 %  |
| Stages                 | PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B directly mountable<br>PS 6×4B, PS 4×4B, PS 2×2B mountable via adapter  |
| Illumination           | Diascopic and reflected<br>(both 24 V-150 W halogen lamp)  |
| Maximum sample height  | 150 mm   |
| Power source           | AC 100-120 V (CSA), 220-240 V (CEE), 240 V (SAA)   |
| Dimensions(W×D×H)      | 570×1200×1900 mm   |
| Weight                 | Approx. 260 kg   |
| Accuracy               | 3.0 + L / 50 μm<br>After calibration; weight capacity on stage not exceeding 1 kg<br>3.5 + L / 50 μm<br>With rotating stage after calibration<br>*PS 2×2B will have this accuracy because of built-in rotating table |

\*L: Length in mm

## SYSTEM DIAGRAM



\*1: Standard accessory \*2: Alphabets above the stages represent accessories that can be mounted.

\*3: To use the Foot Switch and [Reset/Send] buttons simultaneously, the "MM cable (PXA20224)" is required.

# PROFILE PROJECTOR V-12B Series

**Benchtop projector with a wide measuring stroke up to 250×150 mm (cross travel). Models with a built-in digital counter and/or protractor are available.**

|         | Built-in digital protractor | Built-in digital counter |
|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| V-12BDC | ●                           | ●                        |
| V-12BD  | ●                           | —                        |

Deluxe (D): built-in digital protractor  
Counter (C): built-in X-Y digital counter

## Large stage mountable

Focus is achieved by moving the objective head up and down, allowing stages with longer cross travel to be mounted. When the PS 10×6B Stage is used, the projector can measure areas as wide as 250×150 mm.

## Adjustable base feet

Less affected by irregularities in the installation surface and external vibrations because the base is 2 mm away from the installation surface and the base feet are adjustable.

## Increased maximum sample height

Samples as tall as 100 mm can be loaded because the rigidity of the projector is increased by its CAE design.

## Built-in digital counter and protractor

V-12BDC come with a digital XY counter, while V-12BDC and V-12BD have a built-in digital protractor for greater ease of use.

## Erect images

Projection images are erect and unreversed for easy measurements, and their quality is as sharp as inverted images.

## Switchable vertical/oblique illumination

Easier edge detection achieved with the switchable built-in reflection illuminator.

## 4-step zooming condenser lens with diascope illumination

Delivers the right amount of light to suit the magnification of the projection lens. (DIA condenser needed for 200x magnification)

## DIA Condenser Lens

Necessary when using 200x projection lens and diascope illumination.

\*Cannot be removed when using PS 2x2B stage



## PROJECTION LENSES

Three lenses can be mounted on the rotary turret at one time. All lenses boast high resolution and minimal distortion, with long working distances.

| Magnification | FOV diameter | Half mirror          | A  | D   |
|---------------|--------------|----------------------|----|-----|
| 5x            | 61           | Built-in; fixed      | 60 | 127 |
| 10x           | 30           | Built-in; switchable | 74 | 215 |
| 20x           | 15           | Built-in; switchable | 74 | 244 |
| 25x           | 12           | Built-in; switchable | 62 | 178 |
| 50x           | 6            | Built-in; switchable | 61 | 173 |
| 100x          | 3            | Built-in; switchable | 49 | 123 |
| 200x          | 1.5          | Built-in; switchable | 24 | 49  |

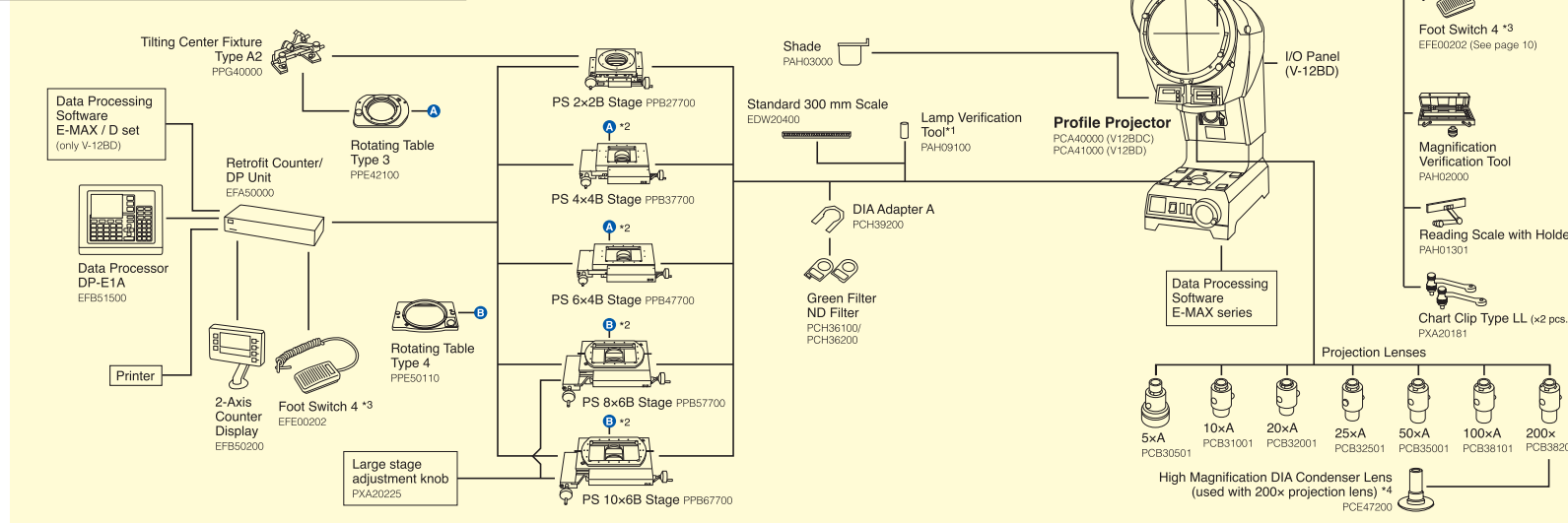
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## SPECIFICATIONS

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|------------------------|--|
| Type                   | Vertical optical axis bench type   |
| Image                  | Erect and unreversed   |
| Screen                 | ø305 mm with etched center crossline<br>V-12BDC/V-12BD: 360°rotatable screen with knob for digital protractor  |
| Projection lens        | 5x, 10x, 20x, 25x, 50x, 100x, 200x<br>3-lens turret mount; clamping type   |
| Magnification accuracy | Oblique reflected/diascopic: 0.1 %<br>Vertical reflected: 0.15 %   |
| Stages                 | PS 10x6B, PS 8x6B, PS 6x4B, PS 4x4B, PS 2x2B directly mountable  |
| Illumination           | Diascopic and reflected<br>(both 24 V-150 W halogen lamp)  |
| Maximum sample height  | 100 mm<br>(70 mm: with PS 10x6B, PS 8x6B Stage)  |
| Power source           | AC 100/120V (50/60 Hz),<br>AC 220/230/240V (50/60 Hz)  |
| Dimensions(W×D×H)      | 410×650×938-1038 mm  |
| Weight                 | Approx. 80 kg  |
| Accuracy               | 3.0 + L / 50 μm<br>After calibration; weight capacity on stage not exceeding 1 kg<br>3.5 + L / 50 μm<br>With rotating stage after calibration<br>*PS 2x2B will have this accuracy because of built-in rotating table |

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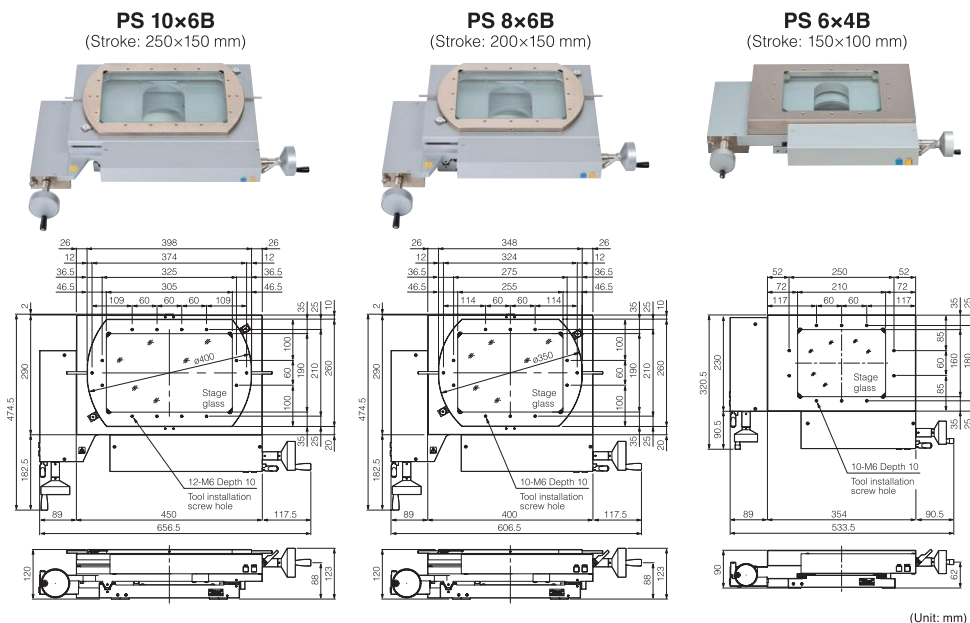
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\*Not required when using retrofit counter with V-12BDC

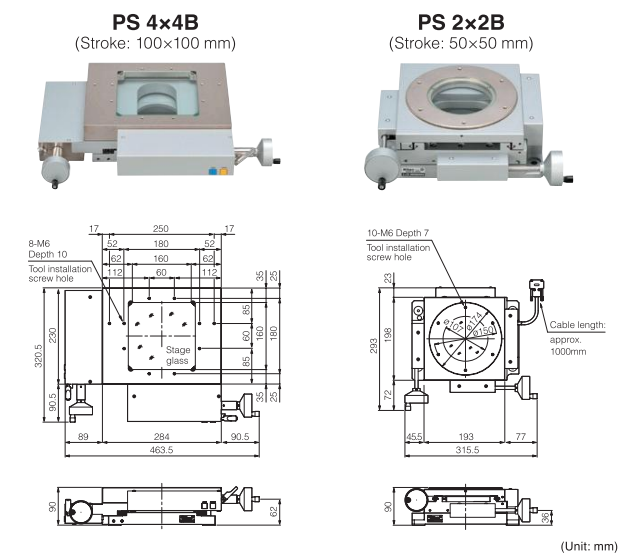
\*4 Cannot be used with PS2x2B stage

# ACCESSORIES

## Stages



(Unit: mm)



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### Stage Operation

- Lever control allows for smooth changeover of coarse and fine movement.
- Swivel plate comes as standard for PS 10x6B and PS 8x6B stage.
- The coarse/fine changeover lever and the RESET and SEND buttons are located near the X- and Y- axis knobs.

\*Not available for PS 2x2B stage



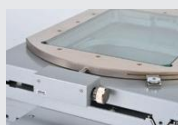
X-axis knob

Y-axis knob

### Large stage adjustment knob

- Enables fine adjustment of swivel plate rotation.

\*Available for PS 10x6B and PS 8x6B stages



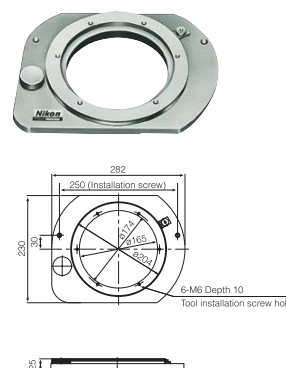
## Stage Specifications

| Type     | Surface area (mm) | Stage glass dimensions (mm) | Stroke (mm) | Reading method | Min. reading (μm) | Rotation range         | Tool installation screw hole | Loading capacity (kg) | Weight (kg) |
|----------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| PS 10x6B | 398x260           | 305x190                     | 250x150     | Linear encoder | 0.1               | ±3° (swivel plate)     | 12-M6 depth 10               | 20                    | 51.5        |
| PS 8x6B  | 348x260           | 255x190                     | 200x150     |                |                   |                        | 10-M6 depth 10               |                       | 48.5        |
| PS 6x4B  | 354x230           | 210x160                     | 150x100     |                |                   | ±360° (rotation table) | 10-M6 depth 10               | 15                    | 27.5        |
| PS 4x4B  | 284x230           | 160x160                     | 100x100     |                |                   |                        | 8-M6 depth 10                |                       | 23.5        |
| PS 2x2B  | ø174              | ø107                        | 50x50       |                |                   |                        | 6-M6 depth 7                 | 5                     | 15.5        |

## Rotating Tables

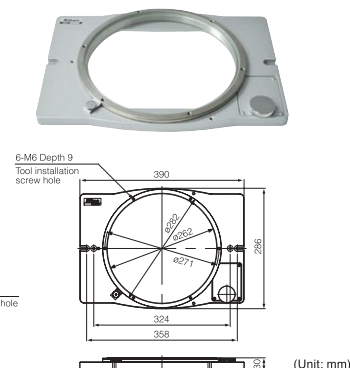
### Type 3

For PS 6x4B, PS 4x4B



### Type 4

For PS 10x6B, PS 8x6B



(Unit: mm)

## Rotating Table Specifications

|                       | Table diameter (mm) | Glass insert diameter (mm) | Reading range       | Tool installation | Weight (Approx. kg) |
|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Rotating Table Type 3 | 204                 | 165                        | 360° (uncalibrated) | Screw hole 6-M6   | 5                   |
| Rotating Table Type 4 | 282                 | 262                        | 360° (uncalibrated) | Screw hole 6-M6   | 8                   |

## Tilting Center Fixture A2

Used to tilt samples around the center axis.

Type A2 is available for PS 2x2B with Rotating Table Type 3.



| Maximum sample size diameter x length (mm) | Center height (mm) | Tilt angle            | Weight (Approx. kg) |
|--|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| ø68x120                                    | 45                 | 10° (in 1° increment) | 2.2                 |

## Standard 300 mm Scale

Gauges stage travel accuracy up to 300 mm.

Both 10 mm-interval sensor patterns and calibrations are provided. Made of low heat-expansion glass for minimizing influence of heat.

Pitch: 10 mm (attached with calibrated value)



10 mm increments

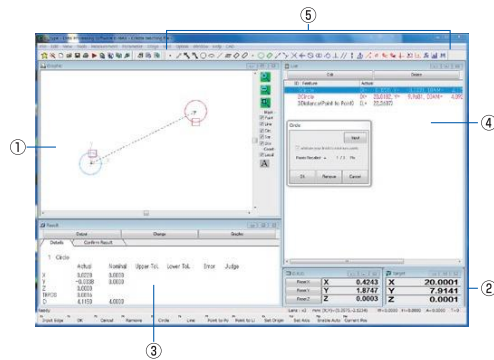


# ACCESSORIES

Nikon has a complete lineup of measurement support system/ data processing systems for specific purposes and applications that support data utilization.

## Data Processing Software E-MAX Series

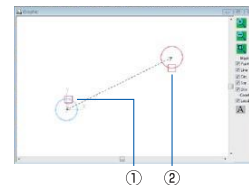
E-MAX is a series of general-purpose measurement support systems with a common user interface for PCs. The software processes 2D data from manual measuring instruments. Data result can be saved as a csv file.



User-friendly interface allows a host of measurement and processing functions to be easily controlled using multi windows and a mouse.

- ① Graphical window
- ② Counter window
- ③ Results display window
- ④ List window
- ⑤ Toolbar (measurement codes)

\*An output window, image window, and editing listing window can be displayed as necessary.



A built-in navigation function improves measurement efficiency by displaying the current position and the next measurement position during replays.

Number ① is the current position and number ② is the next measurement position.

### E-MAX/D Set

Example combination with V-12B, E-MAX, and PC

- Specialized for processing measurement data
- Enhanced 2D data processing functions
- Can be installed on notebook PCs (D Set only)



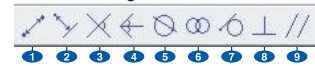
### Measurement Processing

#### Actual measurement + recall measurement



- 1. Point (X, Y, Z, E)
- 2. Midpoint (X, Y, Z)
- 3. Maximum point (X, Y, Z)
- 4. Minimum point (X, Y, Z)
- 5. Circle (X, Y, Z, R, D, E)
- 6. Ellipse (X, Y, Z, LD, SD, N1)
- 7. Line (N1, E)
- 8. Plane (N, N1, E)
- 9. Square (X, Y, Z, L1, L2, N1)
- 10. Key input point
- 11. Key input circle

#### Recall settings



- 1. Distance between two points (L, Lx, Ly, Lz)
- 2. Distance between a point and a line (X, Y, Z, L)
- 3. Intersection of two lines (X, Y, Z, A)
- 4. Midline (N1)
- 5. Intersection of a circle and a line (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2)
- 6. Intersection of two circles (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2)
- 7. Contact between a point and a circle (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2)
- 8. Perpendicularity (W1)
- 9. Parallelism (W1)

#### Recall measurement (reference settings)



- 1. Reference axis setting
- 2. XY origin setting
- 3. Coordinate system rotation 1
- 4. Coordinate system rotation 2
- 5. Coordinate system reset
- 6. Coordinate system recall 1
- 7. Coordinate system rotation 3

Name of output element  
**X, Y, Z:** Coordinate values  
**E:** Deviation **R:** Radius  
**D:** Diameter **A:** Intersection angle  
**LD:** Longest diameter  
**SD:** Shortest diameter  
**L:** Distance **N:** Slope from third axis  
**N1:** Slope from first axis  
**W1:** Geometric deviation

## Data Processor DP-E1A

Effectively used in combination with a profile projector and/or measuring microscope, the DP-E1A quickly calculates geometrical features with simple and interactive operations. Measurement results are automatically memorized as teaching steps and can be easily used as a measurement routine.



### User-friendly, small-footprint system

Includes a measurement counter function.

### Easy-to-master control keys

Controlled using measurement code buttons and measurement result lists, enabling users to easily conduct measurement.

### Saves measurement results on USB memory

Teaching files and measurement results files can be saved to a USB memory device for easy access.

\* Retrofit Counter/DP unit is also required

## Measurement Support Application (Option)

### Custom Create

For DP-E1A and Counter

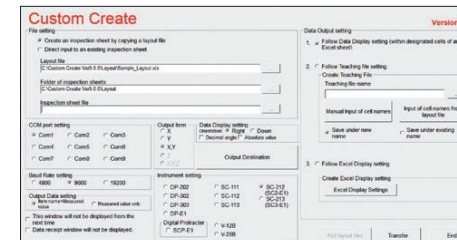
Measurement data from counters and/or data processors can be transferred directly to Excel sheets.

- Compatible measuring instruments: V-20B, V-12B, MM-400N/800N series, DP-E1A
- Allows data transfer to customized inspection-result sheet forms
- 3 standard inspection-result sheet forms are available

Operating environment: Windows®7 or Windows®10 / Microsoft Excel 2003 or later

Required memory: 512MB (min)

Codevelopment: Aria Co., Ltd.



### Custom Fit QC

For E-MAX

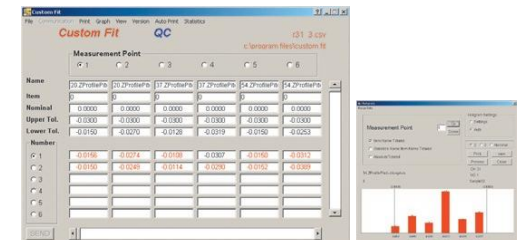
Suitable for lot control of inspection data.

- Customization of inspection result sheets are possible, in addition to the 10 standard sheets
- Graphs can be automatically generated
- Displays are adjustable between degree/minute/second
- Easy to generate histograms, X-R control charts, and scatter diagrams

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# ACCESSORIES

## Thermal Printer TSP743 II



| TSP743 II                    |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Paper width                  | 58 mm or 80 mm  |
| Applicable model/<br>Counter | V-20B, V-12B, SC-112, SC113,<br>SC-212, SC-213, DP-302, DP-303,<br>Retrofit Counter/DP Unit |

## 2-Axis Counter Display



These displays show X and Y- axis coordinates with Retrofit Counter/DP Unit.  
(Can be switched between 1  $\mu\text{m}$ , 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$ , and 0.01  $\mu\text{m}$ )

## Glass Reading Scale



Used to measure projection images on the screen.  
200 mm and 300 mm scales, both in 0.5 mm increments, are available.  
Accuracy:  $\pm(15+L/20)$   $\mu\text{m}$   
\*L = measurement length

## Foot Switch 4



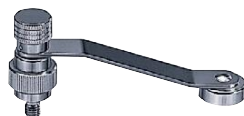
Used to send load command to DP-E1A. Frees both hands to enhance measurement efficiency.

## Retrofit Counter/DP Unit



Needed to connect DP-E1A or 2-axis counter display to V-12BD.

## Chart Clip Type LL



Used to measure charts on the screen. Comes standard with V-12B.

## Glass Scale Set



Used to check the magnifying accuracy of the projector being used. Equipped with:

- 50 mm standard scale in 1 mm increments (accuracy  $\pm[3+7L/100]$   $\mu\text{m}$ )
- 300 mm standard scale in 0.1 mm increments (accuracy  $\pm[6+L/50]$   $\mu\text{m}$ )
- 6 $\times$  magnifier

\*L = measurement length

## Green Filter, ND Filter, DIA Adapter A

For V-12B only



DIA Adapter A      ND Filter      Green Filter

The green filter is used for black- and-white photography or for viewing edges of a workpiece with greater sharpness. The ND filter is used to adjust brightness. Both filters must be used with the DIA Adapter A.

## 3rd Party Solutions: Data Processor

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QUADRA-CHEK 2000

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>Display</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7-inch color wide screen (15:9 multi-touch screen)</li> <li>• Resolution: WVGA 800<math>\times</math>480 pixels for dialogs, inputs, position values, and graphics functions</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Functions</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acquisition of 2D geometry features by measurement, design and definition of geometries</li> <li>• Measuring point acquisition via crosshairs</li> <li>• Creation of measuring programs (teach-in)</li> <li>• Tolerance input and graphic display of measurement results</li> <li>• Creation and output of measurement reports</li> <li>• User management</li> <li>• Measure Magic: automatic recognition of geometries</li> </ul> |

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| <b>Date of initial accreditation:</b> | September 8, 2006                     |  |
| <b>Scope of accreditation:</b>        | Measuring projectors                  |  |
| <b>Accredited section:</b>            | Industrial Metrology Business Unit    |  |
| <b>Calibration site:</b>              | Customer's laboratory (field service) |  |
| <b>Expanded Uncertainty:</b>          | <b>Magnification Accuracy</b>         |  |
|                                       | 5×                                    | $(0.006 \times (100/L) \times 2.8)\%$              |
|                                       | 10×, 20×                              | $(0.006 \times (100/L) \times 2.8)\%$              |
|                                       | 50×                                   | $(0.006 \times (100/L) \times 2.8)\%$              |
|                                       | 100×                                  | $(0.013 \times (100/L) \times 2.8)\%$              |
|                                       | <b>X/Y-axis Indication Accuracy</b>   |  |
|                                       | Linear scale up to 250 mm             | $(0.70 + 5.0 \times 10^{-3} \times L) \mu\text{m}$ |

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