LEITZ REFERENCE LINE
Universal coordinate measuring machines and gear inspection systems
DECISIONS CAN BE SO SIMPLE

It is good to know that even in a complicated world, things can be simple. Irrespective of whether you are aiming for accuracy, efficiency or suitability for production – all roads lead to Leitz Reference coordinate measuring machines. These all-rounders offer maximum accuracy and throughput in the measuring room as well as in a production environment. They are perfect for small budgets too.
Leitz Reference HP
Complex applications depend on achieving very low levels of measurement uncertainty. Leitz Reference HP coordinate measuring machines combine high accuracy with optimum measuring throughput. This is substantially influenced by the LSP-S2 probe head. This high-tech probe head offers all variations of measurement methods: single-point probing, 3D self-centering scanning as well as Variable High-Speed-Scanning.

Leitz Reference Xi
This series appeals because of its large selection of different probe head systems: from LSP-X1h and LSPX1s in combination with the TESASTA R-m indexable head to the fixed LSP-X3c measurement head, through to the LSP-X5, which can also support extreme probe extensions and heavy styli configurations.

Option XT
The option XT facilitates accurate and reliable measurement in extended temperature ranges: for the Leitz Reference HP series this range is 15 to 30°C. For the Leitz Reference Xi series it is 15 to 35°C. Indispensable for measuring in a production environment.

High-speed option
With the high-speed option travel speed is increased to up to 800 mm/s. In addition, laser scanners are used to establish a safety area around the machine. When the safety area is entered, the speed is automatically reduced. As soon as the area is free again, the machine increases its speed without user intervention. This option is available for machines of the Leitz Reference Xi series.
LEITZ REFERENCE IN PRACTICE
It is versatility that makes metrology so interesting and challenging. Leitz Reference has been tried-and-tested in practice for many years – in a wide range of industries and in inumerable measuring applications. It is a universal genius.

Industrial examples
Automotive
Aerospace
Machinery
Research & Development
Precision industry

Examples of measuring applications
Powertrain components
Gears and spiral bevel gears
Blisks and blades
Engine blocks
Cylinder heads
Camshafts
Crankshafts
Connection rods

Our customers say:

“We decided in favour of a Leitz Reference Xi because this coordinate measuring machine offers the best price-performance ratio.”

Florian Huber, Bosch Siemens Hausgeräte (BSH)

“We have found the Leitz Reference to be a very attractive alternative and in my view the only coordinate measuring machine on the market that offers this high accuracy in such a compact format.”

Felix Zacharias, Bosch Rexroth

“We were looking for a measuring machine that makes our handling easier and gives us flexibility in our work because we have to measure many different highly complex parts to customer-specific requirements.”

Markus Grünewald, Grünewald Feinmaschinenbau, about the requirements placed on his Leitz Reference

“The Leitz Reference convinced us because of its accuracy, its dynamics, its robustness and the QUINDOS measuring software, which has proven itself to us over the years.”

Kohán Zoltán, AUDI HUNGARIA MOTOR Kft
The Leitz Reference family features technical characteristics which have been tried-and-tested over several generations of coordinate measuring machines.

### Features vs. Advantages

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Leitz Reference Line

- Light metal frame with TRICISION™ construction
- Wrap-around, pre-loaded air bearings on precisely machined dovetail guideways
- Granite table made from one piece
- Minimal footprint and height
- Wide selection of sensors
- Unrestricted access to the work area, no restriction for lateral styli
- Steel-reinforced closed-loop belt drive with elliptical tooth profile
- Optimised elastomer damping system with variable rigidity
- High-resolution steel scales
- Patented weight compensation of Z quill
- Wide selection of sensors
- TRICISION™ construction with triangular portal cross section
Leitz Reference coordinate measuring machines are fitted with 3D probe systems, developed and produced by Hexagon Metrology in Wetzlar, Germany. With the help of the Leitz Pathfinder technology the probe heads offer both fast single-point probing and Variable High-Speed-Scanning (VHSS) for high-precision form and profile measurements.

LSP-S2
The extremely low Single Stylus Form Error $P_{nm}$ of the LSP-S2 makes it possible to measure complex geometries to very tight tolerances. The LSP-S2 probe system is suitable for High-Speed-Scanning of known and unknown contours. It can cope with very long extensions of up to 800mm and up to 1000g. Accuracy specifications are valid for the full range of stylus.

LSP-X3c
This 3D scanning probe head is compact, fast and extremely accurate. It can carry up to 360mm long probes and extensions as well as a variety of stylus configurations up to a total weight of 150g.

LSP-X5
This analogue probe head for demanding requirements offers accuracy also with probe extensions and heavy stylus configurations of up to 500mm in length and 500g in weight. The LSP-X5 features a sophisticated anti-collision system which provides additional protection for the probe head. It is ideally suited for measuring high-precision mechanical parts and complex geometries. Accuracy specifications are valid for a full range of stylus.

CMS laser line sensor
The CMS 106 is a high-precision laser line sensor. Highlights:
- Different line lengths: 24, 60 or 124mm
- Automatic laser performance control
The CMS 106 is suitable for measuring almost any material, including machined, semi-machined, punched, forged, cast, paint-coated metals, sand cores, carbon fibre components, plastic parts, clay, rubber, wood and ceramics.

LSP-X1h/LSP-X1s at TESASTAR-m indexable head
In combination with the TESASTAR-m indexable head, the LSP-X1 probe heads fulfill all demands. The LSP-X1h has been designed for probes measuring 20 to 225mm in length in the axial direction. In the vertical direction, it can accommodate probes measuring up to 50mm in length.

TravelRack
A stylus changer with a completely new concept: the TravelRack travels with the portal. Compared to conventional stylus changers, the distances are reduced because the TravelRack is always exactly where it is needed. In addition, the TravelRack increases the available measurement volume. It is available for all Leitz Reference models with LSP-X1 sensor, from a Z-range of 600mm.
Leitz Pathfinder Technology

Variable High-Speed-Scanning

4-Axis Scan

Tag Scan

3D Self-Centering

Optical Scan

Scan Catch
Irrespective of how complex the application is, you want to evaluate your measured data quickly, simply and reliably. The two software solutions offered by Hexagon Metrology – PC-DMIS and QUINDOS – ensure efficient programming and evaluation.

**COMPREHENSIVE SOFTWARE**

*PC-DMIS*
- Software for easy CAD-based, computer-simulated programming
- Graphics-focused, operator-friendly user interface
- Efficient tools to display the results
- Measurement of regular shapes and free-form surfaces

*QUINDOS*
- Software for virtually all industrial metrology applications – from simple parts through to complex special geometries
- Unlimited repertoire thanks to over 50 options
- With QUINDOS, Leitz coordinate measuring machines can also be used as gear inspection systems. Over 15 program packages are available for measuring gears and gear cutting tools, e.g. straight and spiral bevel gears, cylindrical worms, worm wheels for cylindrical worms, step gears, hob cutters etc.
- Integral CAD core for 3D presentation of all geometries and easy CAD-supported programming, e.g. presentation of special target points, probe points, calculated elements
Hexagon Metrology offers a comprehensive range of products and services for all industrial metrology applications in sectors such as automotive, aerospace, energy and medical. We support our customers with actionable measurement information along the complete life cycle of a product – from development and design to production, assembly and final inspection.

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