

High Accuracy CNC Coordinate Measuring Machine

## **STRATO-Apex Series**



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# STRATO-Apex Series: A state-of-the-art CNC coordinate combined with high-speed operation

The high drive speed and acceleration guarantee top scanning performance

#### Improved machine rigidity

• High speed and accuracy in measurement is ensured by a redesign of the machine body that has improved rigidity of the structure, and by a remodeled guide mechanism

#### Newly developed, built-in, high-performance controller

- Uses a digital servo system that processes all control loops for position, speed, and current as digital signals.
- The digital servo system offers the following benefits:
  - 1) Little drift or deterioration with time
  - 2) Wide dynamic range
  - 3) Easy implementation of various types of control algorithm

#### Scanning measurement technology

High-performance scanning measurement has been achieved through the improved structural rigidity and incorporation of a newly developed compensation technology
 Maximum permissible scanning probing error: MPE<sub>THP</sub> = 1.3 μm (STRATO-Apex 574)
 Maximum permissible scanning test time MPT<sub>THP</sub> = 40 sec (STRATO-Apex 574)



## measuring machine that achieves high accuracy

in a machine that also offers high-accuracy measuring in the 1 µm class

#### Internal heat generation minimized

- The controller is positioned outside the main unit, thereby eliminating the effect of the generated heat on the main unit.
- Compact layout has been achieved, resulting in a small footprint, even with the externally positioned controller.



STRATO-Apex 700/900 Series

#### **Ultra-high precision glass scales**

- An ultra-high precision crystallized glass scale which has practically no thermal expansion (coefficient of linear expansion 0.01×10-6/°C) is combined with a high-performance reflective linear encoder with resolution of 2/100 μm to create the ultra-high accuracy measurement unit installed on each axis of STRATO-Apex. This is basically the same unit as used in the LEGEX Series of ultra-high accuracy CNC coordinate measuring machines. (Applies to STRATO-Apex 700/900 Series).
- A unique securing method used for the scales minimizes the hysteresis error that can result from the difference in the coefficients of linear expansion between the installation plane and scale.

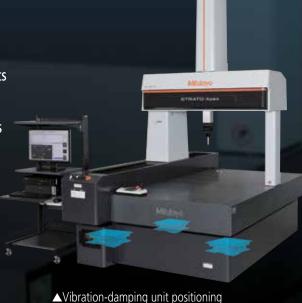


#### Vibration-damping unit included as a standard accessory

 Vibration of the floor where the unit is installed shows up as measurement value variations. The STRATO-Apex Series comes equipped with a vibration-damping unit that uses auto-leveling air springs. The vibration-damping unit not only prevents floor vibrations from reaching the main unit, but also has a function that uses a sensor to detect load changes caused by movements of the individual axes and placement of a workpiece and quickly restores the main unit to horizontal orientation.



▲ Vibration-damping unit with auto-leveling air springs





## STRATO-Apex 574



**Specifications** 

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	Model		STRATO-Apex 574	
	X axis		500 mm	
Measuring range	Y axis		700 mm	
	Z axis		400 mm	
Guide method			Air bearings on all axes	
	CNC mode		Moving speed: From 8 to 300 mm/s for each axis (maximum combined speed: 519 mm/s)	
	CIVE HIDGE		Measuring speed 1 – 3 mm/s	
Drive speed			Moving speed 0 – 80 mm/s	
	J/S mode		Measuring speed 0 – 3 mm/s	
			Fine speed 0.05 mm/s	
Drive acceleration			1333 mm/s <sup>2</sup> for each axis (maximum combined acceleration: 2309 mm/s <sup>2</sup> )	
Measuring method			Linear encoder	
Resolution			0.00002 mm	
	Material		Granite	
Work table	Size (table surface)		676×1420 mm	
	Tapped inserts		M8×1.25	
Workpiece	Maximum height Maximum mass		560 mm	
workpiece			180 kg	
Machine mass (included and controller, but no	des the vibration-dampir ot workpiece)	ng platform	1620 kg	
Power supply specific			Power supply voltage: AC100-120/200-240 V±10 %; power supply capacity: 700 W	
Air cupply	Pressure		0.4 MPa	
Air supply	Consumption		60 L/min under normal conditions (air source: At least 120 L/min)	
6	Temperature range		18 to 22 ℃	
Guaranteed accuracy	Tomporaturo chango	Per hour	1.0 ℃	
temperature environment	Temperature change	Per 24 hours	2.0 ℃	
environinent	Temperature gradient	vertical/horizontal	1.0 °C/m	

<sup>\*</sup> While the appearance of the natural stone measuring table varies according to the source, the high stability for which this material is known can always be relied upon.

#### Length measurement error unit: µm

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Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible length measurement error
ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	Eo, MPE=0.7 + 2.5L/1000
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Standard	Probe used	Repeatability range of E₀
ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	Ro, MPL=0.7

#### Single stylus form error

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#### Scanning probing error

Probe use

ISO 10360-5: 2010

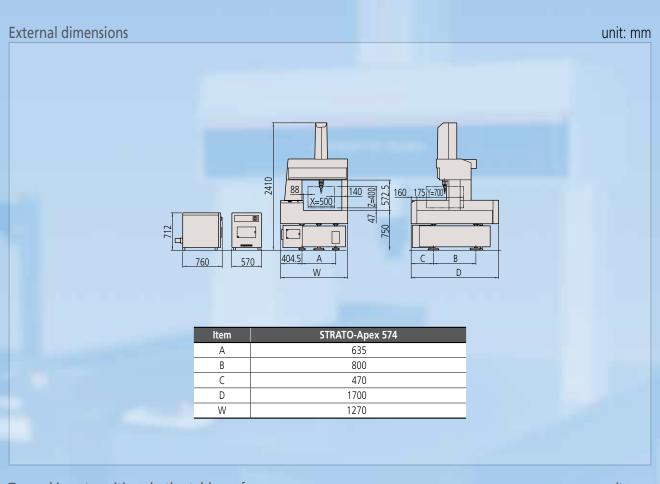
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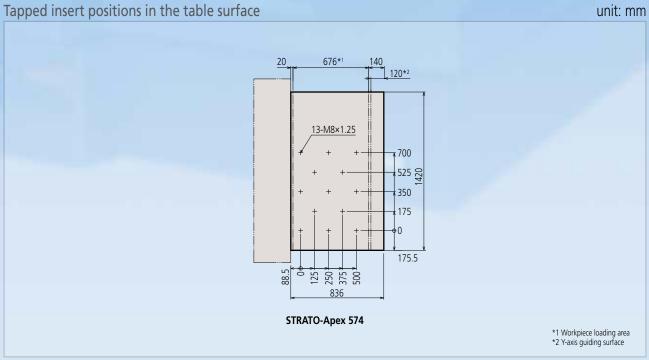
Standard	Probe used	Maximum permissible scanning probing error (Maximum permissible scanning test time [sec])
ISO 10360-4: 2000	SP25M	MPETHP=1.3 (MPT <sub>tHP</sub> =40)

Note: This machine incorporates a main unit Startup system (relocation detection system), which disable operation when an unexpected vibration is applied or the machine is relocated. Be sure to contact your nearest Mitutoyo Sales Office prior to relocating this machine after initial installation.



## Length measurement error of $E_0$ , MPE=0.7 + 2.5L/1000 (µm)







# **STRATO-Apex 700/900 Series**



**Specifications** 

	Model		STRATO-Apex 776	STRATO-Apex 7106	STRATO-Apex 9106	STRATO-Apex 9166
	X axis		700	mm	900	mm
Measuring range	Y axis		700 mm	1000	) mm	1600 mm
Z axis		600 mm				
Guide method					s on all axes	
	CNC mode	IC made		m 8 to 300 mm/s for each	axis (maximum combined	l speed: 519 mm/s)
	CIVE IIIOUE			Measuring spe	eed 1 – 3 mm/s	
Drive speed				Moving speed	d 0 – 80 mm/s	
	J/S mode			Measuring spe	eed 0 – 3 mm/s	
				Fine speed	0.05 mm/s	
Drive acceleration			1500 mm/s <sup>2</sup>	for each axis (maximum	combined acceleration: 2	!598 mm/s <sup>2</sup> )
Measuring method				Linear e	encoder	
Resolution			0.00002 mm			
	Material		Granite			
Work table	Size (table surface)		862×1420 mm	862×1720 mm	1062×1720 mm	1062×2320 mm
	Tapped inserts		M8×1.25			
Markeige	Maximum height		770 mm			
Workpiece	Maximum mass		500 kg	800	) kg	1200 kg
Machine mass (include and controller, but no	es the vibration-dampin ot workpiece)	g platform	1895 kg	2180 kg	2410 kg	3085 kg
Power supply specific	ations		Power supply voltage: AC100-120/200-240 V±10 %; power supply capacity: 700 W			
Air cumply	Pressure		0.4 MPa			
Air supply	Consumption		60 L/min under normal conditions (air source: At least 120 L/min)			
	Temperature range		19 to 21 °C			
Guaranteed accuracy	Temperature change	Per hour		1.0	0°€	
temperature environment	remperature change	Per 24 hours		2.0	)°C	
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Length measurement error unit:				
Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible leng	th measurement error	
ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	E0, MPE=0.9	+ 2.5L/1000	
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Repeatabilty		unit: µm
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Standard	Probe used	Repeatability range of E₀
ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	Ro, mpl=0.8

Single stylus form error unit: p				
	Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible single stylus form error	
	ISO 10360-5: 2010	SP25M	Ргти, мре=0.9	

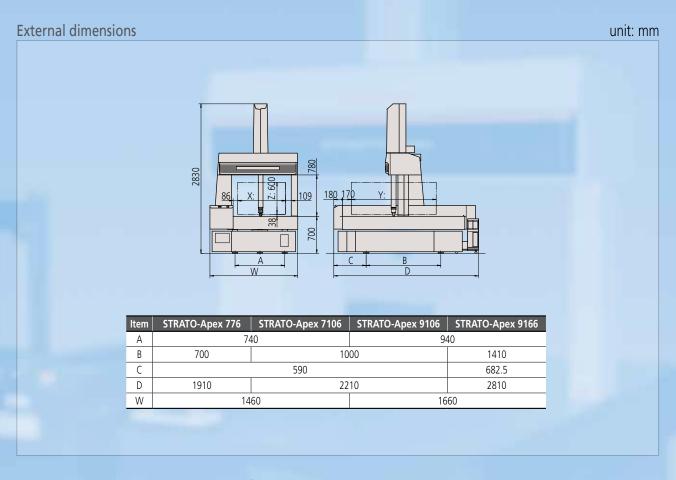
Scanning probing error unit: µm

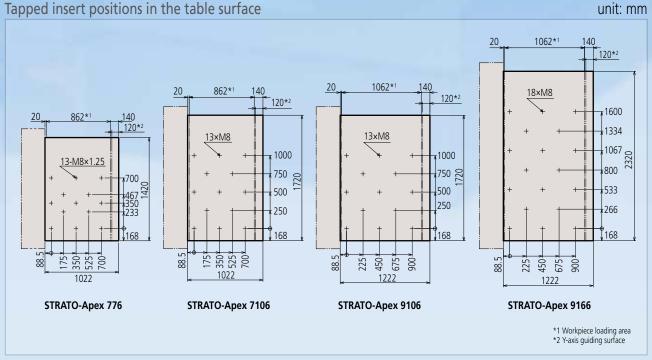
Standard	Probe used	Maximum permissible scanning probing error (Maximum permissible scanning test time [sec])
ISO 10360-4: 2000	SP25M	MPETHP=1.8 (MPTvHP=45)

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# Providing the Highest Speed and Accuracy in Moving-Bridge Type Coordinate Measuring Machines Integration of Key Measurement Technologies







## **STRATO-Apex 1600 Series**



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#### **Specifications**

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	Model		STRATO-Apex 162012	STRATO-Apex 162016	STRATO-Apex 163012	STRATO-Apex 163016
X axis			1600 mm   3000 mm   1200 mm   1600 mm   1200 mm   1600			
Measuring range	Y axis		2000 mm 3000 mm		mm	
	Z axis		1200 mm	1600 mm	1200 mm	1600 mm
Scale unit				Linear e	encoder	
	CNC mode		Moving speed: From 8 to 350 mm/s for each axis (maximum combined speed: 606 mm/s)			
Drive speed	J/S mode		Moving speed 0 – 80 mm/s			
			Measuring speed 0 – 3 mm/s			
			Fine speed 0.05 mm/s			
Drive acceleration			780 mm/s <sup>2</sup>		combined acceleration: 1,3	350 mm/s <sup>2</sup> )
Resolution		0.00005 mm				
Gide merhod		Air bearings on all axes				
	Material		Granite			
Work table	Size (table surface)		1850×3280 mm 1850×4280 mm			
	Tapped inserts		M8×1.25			
Workpiece	Maximum height		1350 mm	1750 mm	1350 mm	1750 mm
<u> </u>	' Iviaximum mass		3500	3500 kg 4000 kg		0 kg
Machine mass (includes the vibration-damping platform and controller, but not workpiece)			11150 kg	11200 kg	15300 kg	15350 kg
Power supply specific	ations		Power supply voltage: AC100-120/200-240 V±10 % power supply capacity: 1500 W			
Air cumply	Pressure		0.4 MPa			
Air supply	Consumption		100 L/min under normal conditions (air source: At least 250 L/min)			
6	Temperature range		18 to 22 ℃			
Guaranteed accuracy	Temperature change	Per hour	1.0 ℃			
temperature environment		Per 24 hours	2.0 ℃			
	Temperature gradient   vertical/horizontal		1.0 °C/m			
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#### STRATO-Apex 162012/163012 Length measurement error

unit: µm

Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible length measurement error
ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	Eo, MPE=2.5 + 4.0L/1000
	SPZSIVI	E <sub>150</sub> MPE=2.5 + 4.0L/1000

Repeatabilty			unit: µm	
	Standard	Probe used	Repeatability range of E <sub>0</sub>	
	ISO 10360-2: 2009	SP25M	Ro, MPL=2.5	

	lus form error

unit: µm

Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible single stylus form error
ISO 10360-5: 2010	SP25M	Pftu, mpe=2.3

#### Scanning probing error

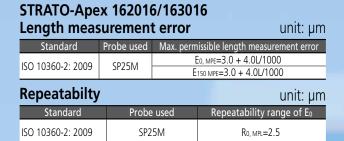
unit: µm

Standard	Probe used	Maximum permissible scanning probing error (Maximum permissible scanning test time [sec])
ISO 10360-4: 2000	SP25M	MPETHP=2.5 (MPT <sub>t</sub> HP=60)

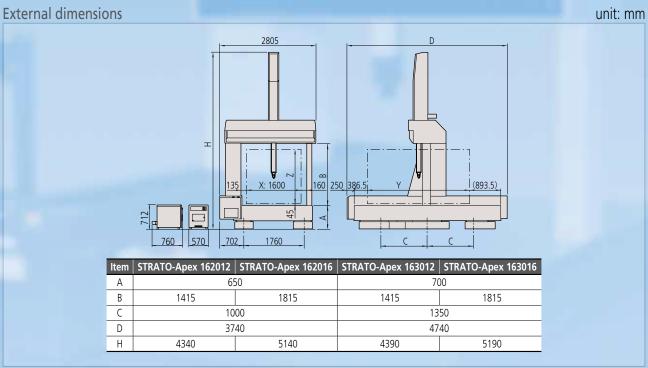
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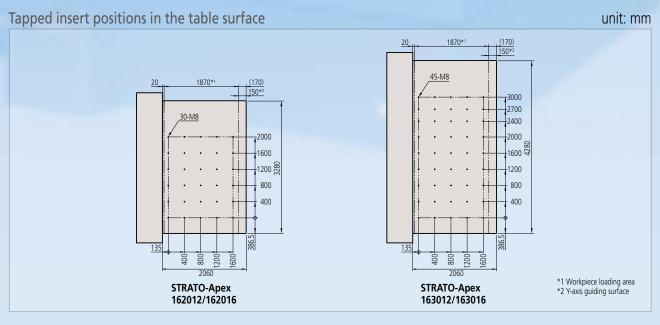


## High accuracy combined with wide measuring range Best suited for highly accurate measurement of large workpieces



<b>Single stylus form error</b> unit: μr			
Standard	Probe used	Max. permissible single stylus form error	
ISO 10360-5: 2010	SP25M	PFTU, MPE=2.8	
Scanning probing error unit: µn			
Standard	Probe used	Maximum permissible scanning probing error (Maximum permissible scanning test time) [sec])	
ISO 10360-4: 2000	SP25M	MPЕтнр=3.0 (MPТтнр=60)	







## Software options handle all kinds of measurement

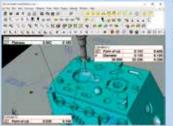
#### CAT1000S (freeform surface evaluation program)

Checks and compares the workpiece with the CAD data containing freeform surfaces and directly outputs the results in the form of CAD data in various formats. Software to directly convert from/to various types of CAD data is available as an option.



#### CAT1000P (offline teaching program)

This module enables the user to use CAD data and on-screen simulation to create parts programs for making automated measurements (offline teaching).

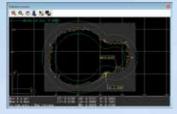


This module allows the user to begin creating a parts program as soon as the design data has been finalized, shortening the entire process.

#### SCANPAK (contour measurement program)

Software for scanning and evaluating workpiece contours (2D). Evaluates contour tolerance between measurement data and design data, and performs

various types of element and interelement calculations based on a desired range of measurement data specified by the user.



### GEARPAK Express (Gear Measurement and Evaluation Software for CNC Coordinate Measuring Machines)

A 3D model created from the provided gear specifications enables you to visually and easily check whether measurement will be performed as intended. Furthermore, automatic program creation and on-screen measurement guidance help quick and easy setting of the coordinate system.



#### GEOPAK (high-functionality general-purpose measurement program)

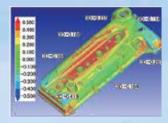
This module is the heart of the MCOSMOS software system and is used to measure and analyze geometric elements. All the functions are provided by icons or pull-down menus, so even novices can promptly select desired functions. Its main features include easier viewing of measuring procedures and

results such as realtime graphic display of measurement results and a function for direct call-up of elements from results graphics.



#### MSURF (non-contact laser measurement and evaluation program)

MSURF-S is used for obtaining measured point cloud data with the



point cloud data with the SurfaceMeasure (non-contact laser probe), while MSURF-I is used for comparing this data with the master model data, and for making dimensional measurements. Furthermore, MSURF-G for offline teaching allows the user to create a measurement macro even without the actual workpiece, improving the measuring machine's uptime.

#### MeasurLink (statistical-processing and process-controlling program)

Performs various types of statistical computations using measurement results. In addition, by displaying a control diagram on a real-time basis, this program allows defects that may occur in the future (e.g., wear or damage to cutting tools) to be discovered early on. This program can also be linked to a higher-level network environment to build a central control system.



#### MPP-310Q (scanning probe)

A probe that collects coordinate values (point cloud data) at high accuracy by moving at speeds of up to of 120 mm/s while in contact with the workpiece. Because MPP- 310Q can also be used with the rotary table (MRT320) for synchronous scanning, it is effective for measuring gears, blades, ball screws, cylindrical cams, etc.

MRT320

#### **MiCAT Planner**

<Automatic measurement program generation software for CMMs> This software package dramatically reduces part-programming creation time by automatically generating the part program. Tolerance information from a 3D CAD model is read to determine which features of the part should be measured to verify conformance to specification. Compared to conventional



methods (teaching), this method creates more-efficient measurement programs as well as saving time.

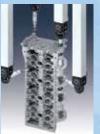


Watch this video for more details

#### SP25M (compact high-accuracy scanning probe)

This is a compact, highaccuracy, multi-function scanning probe with a 25-mm outside diameter that makes scanning measurements, high-accuracy point measurements, and centripetal point measurements (optional function). The SP25M is used with the PH10MQ/10M auto





probe head to provide a high degree of measurement freedom.

#### QVP (vision probe)

This probe automatically detects edges from image data of the workpiece magnified by a CCD camera. It is extremely useful for measuring microfabricated products that cannot be measured using a contact-type probe and soft objects that cannot be subjected to any measurement force. The QVP can also be used for measuring height based on autofocusing.





#### SurfaceMeasure Series (non-contact laser probe)

A lightweight, high-performance, non-contact probe developed for CNC coordinate measuring machines. Powder spray-less measurement has been achieved through automatic setting of appropriate laser intensity and camera sensitivity according to environment or material, providing a simpler and more comfortable laser scanning environment.





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#### SURFTEST PROBE (Probe for surface roughness measurement)

The SURFTEST PROBE is a highly sensitive detector for measuring surface roughness using a CNC coordinate measuring machine. It is compatible with automatic probe-changing systems and therefore can be handled just as easily as the usual touch trigger or scanning probes. This new probe provides the ability to perform combined, automatic measurement of dimension, form and surface roughness on one machine at one setup. Mitutoyo will endeavor to meet requests for assistance with custom measurement applications by providing dedicated software making best use of its wide range of optional detectors.



#### **Status Monitor**



#### **Condition Monitor**

Conduct preventive maintenance through CMM status monitoring



- Temperature log
- Number of probe inputs

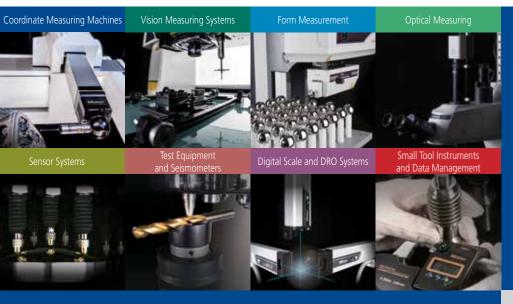
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#### MPP-10 (probe for effective screw depth measurement)

The probe that made it possible for a coordinate measuring machine to measure effective screw depth for the first time. The introduction of the auto probe changing system allows normal dimensional measurements as well as effective screw depth measurements to be made automatically.



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Whatever your challenges are, Mitutoyo supports you from start to finish.

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