

Laser measurement system Strip thickness



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Strips up to 2100 mm wide

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C-frame for cross profile measurement up to 2100 mm

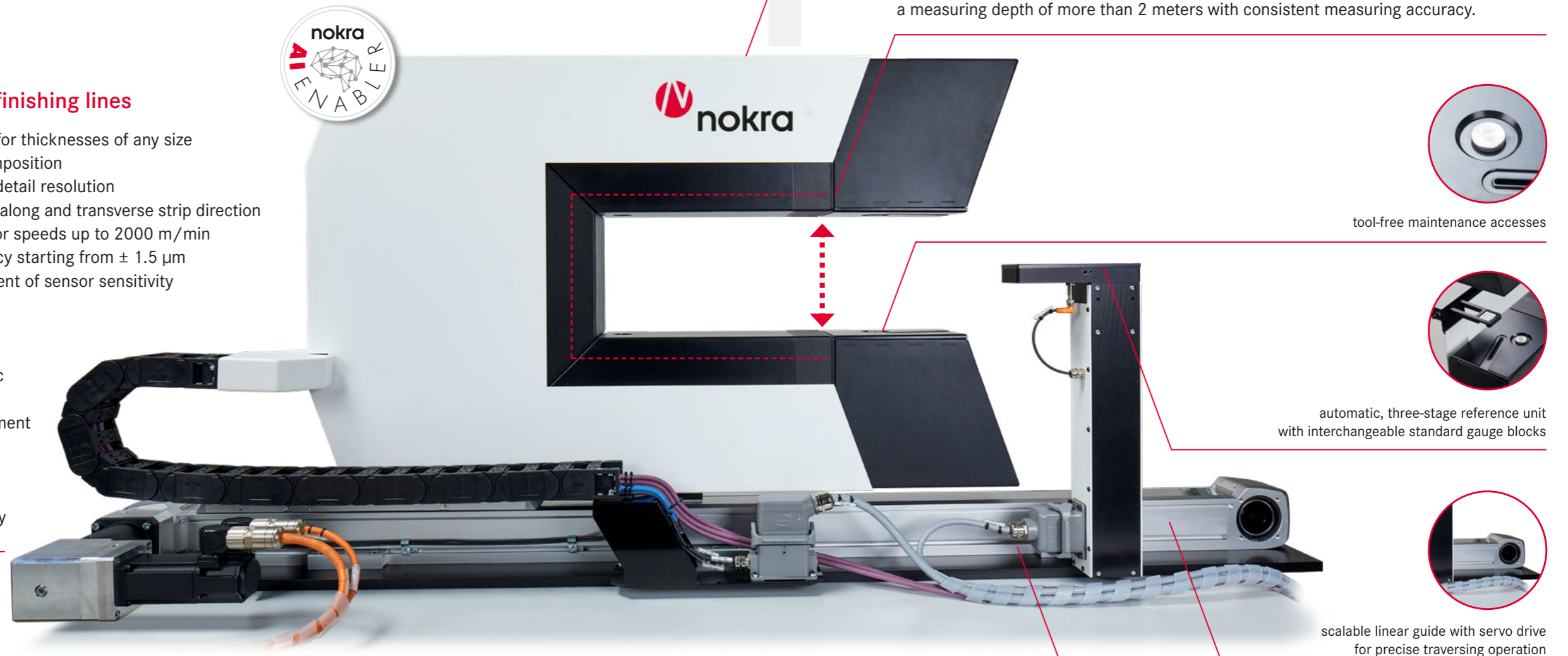
C-frame versions, measuring depths
500 / 1000 / 1500 / 2100 mm

Patented drift compensation

The deformation sensor continuously records the distance between the two C-bars with a precision of 0.5 μm at the scanning frequency of the triangulation sensors. Any change is immediately compensated automatically. This allows C-frame designs with a measuring depth of more than 2 meters with consistent measuring accuracy.

For use in process and finishing lines

- Measuring method suitable for thicknesses of any size independent of material composition
- Small measuring spot, high detail resolution
- Precise position information along and transverse strip direction
- High measuring frequency for speeds up to 2000 m/min with a measurement accuracy starting from $\pm 1.5 \mu\text{m}$
- Fast and automatic adjustment of sensor sensitivity to any surface
- Patented drift compensation for the entire system
- Traceability due to automatic referencing on gauge blocks
- Automatic measuring equipment monitoring according to MSA method 1
- Laser class 2, no special safety precautions necessary



continuous measurement data acquisition with high sampling rate and resolution



Accuracy

- Measuring accuracy is 0.01 % of the measuring range
- Repeatability is about a factor of 10 better than the measuring accuracy
- Three measuring ranges are available
 - 15 mm \rightarrow Accuracy $\pm 1.5 \mu\text{m}$ \rightarrow Repeatability $\pm 0.2 \mu\text{m}$
 - 25 mm \rightarrow Accuracy $\pm 2.5 \mu\text{m}$ \rightarrow Repeatability $\pm 0.4 \mu\text{m}$
 - 40 mm \rightarrow Accuracy $\pm 4.0 \mu\text{m}$ \rightarrow Repeatability $\pm 0.6 \mu\text{m}$

Standard configuration

- automatic drift compensation through real-time deformation sensor
- temperature independent sensor linearity
- automatic exposure time and laser power control
- sample measurement mode
- automatic thickness reference unit using standard gauge blocks
- sensor windows prepared for compressed air blow-off
- measuring device capable, automatic monitoring according to MSA method 1
- standard interfaces Profibus/Profinet, TCP/IP, UDP
- prepared for analogue signal interface
- user interface in national language
- remote access via internet
- E-cabinet (1000 x 600 x 400 mm h x w x d)
- 15 m cable set (max. 80 m)
- signal inputs for safety-door and E-stop

Technical data – alpha.ti 5.0

C-frame	C-15	C-25	C-40
Measurement principle	laser triangulation		
Measurement window	15 mm	25 mm	40 mm
Linearity	± 1.5 µm	± 2.5 µm	± 4 µm
Resolution	0.24 µm	0.39 µm	0.62 µm
Repeatability	± 0.2 µm	± 0.4 µm	± 0.6 µm
Measurement frequency	max. 67 kHz		
Integration time	0.5 µs - 1000 ms		
Laser class	2 (no laser safety officer)		
Laser wave length	660 nm (red)		
Measurement spot	50 µm		
Laser life time (MTBF)	80000 h @ 20 °C		
Measurement depth from strip edge	500 / 1000 / 1500 / 2100 mm		
C-frame width	144 mm		
Traversing speed	0.25 m/s		
Material type	all non-transparent materials, surface and alloy independent		
Material speed	> 0 m/min; ≤ 3000 m/min		
Material temperature	≤ 100 °C, others with active tempering		



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