# Laser Doppler Displacement Meter

# **MCV-5000**





Aerospace Laser Calibration System for Volumetric Calibration, Compensation, and Dynamic Performance of Large 5-axis Machines

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### **OPTODYNE'S MCV-5000 Aerospace Laser Calibration**

**System** is designed for a complete volumetric calibration and compensation of large 5-axis machines. Both the **static positioning errors**, the angular errors, the rotary axis errors and the **dynamic performance** can be measured. The volumetric positioning errors include 3 linear displacement errors, 6 straightness errors, and 3 squareness errors. The angular errors include pitch, yaw and roll angular errors of each axis. The rotary axis errors include the rotary A, B, and C axes of a 5-axis machine. The dynamic performance, including the **circular and non-circular** contour measurement is designed for the tuning of servo parameters, feed forward, look ahead, velocity, acceleration and mechanical vibrations.

The Aerospace Laser Calibration System uses the latest laser **vector technique** for the measurement of **volumetric positioning errors**. It is very easy to setup and operate. It is also compact, efficient and time saving. For a 5-axis machine, a motorized turntable can be used to calibrate the rotary, A, B, and C, axes. With two single-aperture laser heads, two flat-mirror targets, and fast interface cards, the circular and non-circular contours can be measured in one setup. The actual feed rate and acceleration can also be determined.

### **MAJOR FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- Two **long range laser heads** with automatic, fast and synchronized data collection for the master and slave axis, pitch and yaw angular errors.
- **Single-aperture** laser head and a **flat-mirror target** for the measurement and compensation of volumetric positioning error.
- Calibrating rotary A, B, or C axes by using a **motorized turntable** and dual laser-head mounting accessories.
- Measuring **circular** and **non-circular** contours, feed rate, acceleration, and vibrations for servo tuning or dynamic performance.
- Windows software, to collect data **automatically** or on-the-fly, and to correct the speed of light and material thermal expansion.
- Measurement is **non-contact**, the diameters of the circular contour may be varied continuously to very small diameters for the determination of servo parameters such as **loop gains**, **look-ahead**, and **feed forward**.
- Long range, compact, light weight, easy setup and alignment.
- NIST traceable laser accuracy and supporting ASME and ISO standards for quality control and maintenance.

# **Specifications**

The laser vector technique is a major break through in laser measurement. It is easy to setup and to operate. It is very efficient and time saving. Usually, the volumetric positioning errors, 3 displacement errors, 6 straightness errors and 3 squareness errors, in a working volume of 1 to 3 cubic meters can be measured in 2-4 hours. The volumetric positioning error compensation files can be generated automatically for most of the major controllers. Even for a large gantry machine, most of the measurements can be done in **one day** instead of **one week** by conventional interferometers. The equipment is compact and can be fitted into 2 small carrying cases. For various applications and requirements, there are 4 models MCV-5002 to MCV-5005 to choose from.



Linear displacement error (top), yaw angular errors (middle), and pitch angular errors (bottom) of x-axis.





Body diagonal displacement errors without compensation (top) and with volumetric compensation (bottom), a 300% improvement.

**MCV-5002** 





Angular errors of rotary axis (top) for MCV-5003 and MCV-5005. Non-circular contour measurement (bottom)

(4 m/s)

for MCV-5004 and MCV-5005.

#### **Configuration:** Single aperture laser heads (2) L109ER Two-channel process module P-108E Automatic temp. & pres. correction **ICTCP** 0.5" diameter retroreflectors (2) R-102 W-5000 Windows software, SD Optical adapters (2) LD-69/70 4"x3"(100 mm x 75 mm) flat mirror LD-71S Accessories for mounting & alignment LD-03P, LD-03, LD-14a, LD-37s LD-58 Cable sets (2) LD21L Heavy-duty carrying cases (2) LD-20D For MCV-5003 Automatic rotary table calibration LD-53A **Dual-head Mounting Plate** LD-79

For MCV-5004 PC interface cards (2) IPC5-1000 6" (150 mm) flat mirrors (2) LD-71 Windows software, LB,PC W-500LB, PC For MCV-5005 All the above accessories

Laser Stability	0.1 ppm
System Accuracy	1 ppm
Angular Accuracy	+/- 2%
Linear Resolution	1 μin (0.01μm)
Angular Resolution	1 µrad (0.2")
Max Angular Sweep	+/- 10 degrees
Max Range	100 ft (30 m)
Longer range available	
Max Speed	160 in/sec (4 m
Max Sampling rate	10 000 Hz

**Capability:** 

**Power:** 90 to 230 VAC, 50 to 60 Hz