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interfero**METER** IMS5400-TH // White light interferometer for high precision thickness measurement



White light interferometer for stable thickness measurement with submicron accuracy

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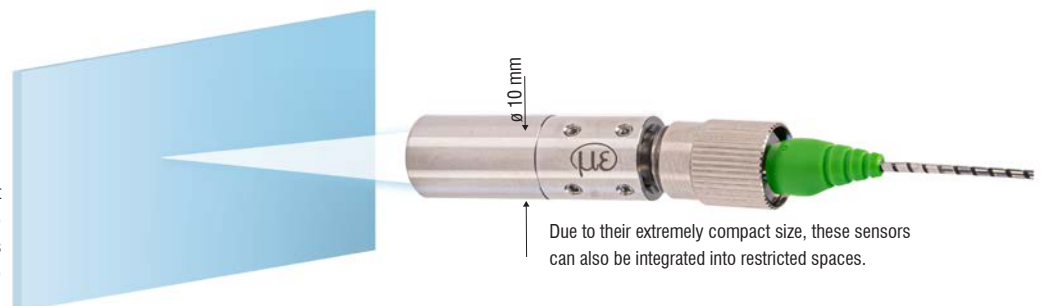


- Nanometer-precise thickness measurements even with varying distances and vibrating targets
- Stable measurement from a large distance, even of anti-reflection coated targets
- Industry optimized sensors with robust metal housing and flexible cables
- Measuring rate up to 6 kHz for high speed measurements
- Ethernet / EtherCAT / RS422

Stable thickness measurement with varying measurement distances

The IMS5400-TH white light interferometer opens up new perspectives in industrial thickness measurement. The interferometer is used for highly accurate thickness measurements from a relatively large distance. A decisive advantage here is the distance-independent measurement, where a stable nanometer-accurate thickness value is achieved. This is how the target can move within the measuring range without influencing the accuracy. The large thickness measuring range allows the measurement of thin layers, flat glass and films. Since the white light interferometer works with an SLED in the near infrared range, it is possible to measure the thickness of optically non-dense objects such as anti-reflective coated glass.

The measuring range for air gap measurement (with refractive index ~ 1) is $50\ \mu\text{m}$ to 2.1 mm and for glass thickness measurement (with refractive index ~ 1.5) $35\ \mu\text{m}$ to 1.4 mm.



Various interfaces for advanced automation

Integrated interfaces such as Ethernet, EtherCAT and RS422 as well as encoder connections, analog outputs, synchronization inputs and digital I/Os enable the connection to modern control systems and production programs.

Integration in industrial environments

Robust sensors and a controller in a metal housing make the system ideally suitable for integration into production lines. These compact sensors are extremely space-saving and can also be integrated in confined spaces. The controller is installed in the control cabinet via DIN rail mounting and provides very stable measurement results due to active temperature compensation and passive cooling. Cable lengths up to 20 m allow a spatial separation of sensor and controller. The sensor can be aligned easily and quickly due to the integrated pilot laser. Unlike conventional interferometers, initial operation and parameter set up are conveniently performed via web interface and do not require any software installation.

Model		IMS5400-TH45	IMS5400-TH70
Working distance		45 mm ±3.5 mm	70 mm ±2.1 mm
Measuring range (thickness)		0.035 ... 1.4 mm ¹⁾	
Resolution ²⁾		< 1 nm	
Measuring rate		continuously adjustable from 100 Hz to 6 kHz	
Linearity ³⁾		< ±100 nm	< ±200 nm
Temperature stability	Sensor	Linearity valid for the entire temperature range	
	Controller	temperature compensated, stability < 10 ppm between +15 ... +35 °C	
Light source		NIR-SLED, wavelength 840 nm	
Laser safety class		Class 1 in accordance with DIN EN 60825-1: 2015-07	
Light spot diameter ⁴⁾		10 μm	5 μm
Max. tilt angle ⁵⁾		±2°	±4,5°
Supply voltage		24 VDC ±15 %	
Power consumption		approx. 10 W (24 V)	
Signal input		sync in, trigger in, 2x encoders (A+, A-, B+, B-, index)	
Digital interface		Ethernet / EtherCAT / RS422	
Analog output		4 ... 20 mA / 0 ... 10 V (16 bit D/A converter)	
Switching output		Error1-Out, Error2-Out	
Digital output		sync out	
Connection	optical	pluggable optical fiber via E2000 socket (controller) and FC socket (sensor); standard length 3 m, 5 m and 10 m; other cable lengths on request; bending radius: static 30 mm, dynamic 40 mm	
	electrical	3-pin supply terminal strip; encoder connection (15-pin, HD-sub socket, max. cable length 3 m, 30 m with external encoder supply); RS422 connection socket (9-pin, Sub-D, max. cable length 30 m); 3-pin output terminal strip (max. cable length 30 m); 11-pin I/O terminal strip (max. cable length 30 m); RJ45 socket for Ethernet (out) / EtherCAT (in/out) (max. cable length 100 m)	
Installation	Sensor	Clamping, mounting adapter (see accessories)	
	Controller	free-standing, DIN rail mounting	
Temperature range	Storage	-20 ... +70 °C	
	Operation	Sensor: +5 ... +70 °C; Controller: +15 ... +35 °C	
Shock (DIN EN 60068-2-29)		15 g / 6 ms in XY axis, 1000 shocks each	
Vibration (DIN EN 60068-2-6)		2 g / 20 ... 500 Hz in XY axis, 10 cycles each	
Protection class (DIN EN 60529)		IP40 (controller and sensor)	
Vacuum		optional UHV (cable and sensor)	
Material	Sensor	Stainless steel	
	Controller	Aluminum housing, passive cooling	
Control and display elements		multifunction button: two adjustable functions and reset to factory setting after 10 s; web interface for setup: selectable presets, freely selectable averaging possibilities, data reduction, setup management; 6 x color LEDs for intensity, range, SLED, pilot laser, status and power; pilot laser: switchable for sensor alignment (laser LED 635 nm, laser class 1, performance < 0.2 mW)	

All data at constant ambient temperature (24 ± 2 °C)

¹⁾ Measuring range with n=1.5; for air gap measurement between two glass plates (n=1) the measuring range is 0.05 ... 2.1 mm.

The measurement object must be within the working distance.

²⁾ Measuring rate 0.5 kHz, moving averaging over 64 values, measured on an approx. 1 mm thick BK7 optical flat (2 sigma)

³⁾ Maximum thickness deviation when measuring on an approx. 1 mm thick BK7 optical flat (n=1.5) when passing through the measuring range

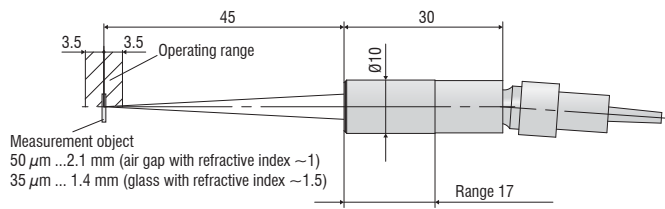
⁴⁾ With a working distance of 45 mm (TH-45) or 70 mm (TH-70)

⁵⁾ Maximum sensor tilt angle that produces a usable signal on an approx. 0.6 mm thick BK7 optical flat in the mid of the measuring range.

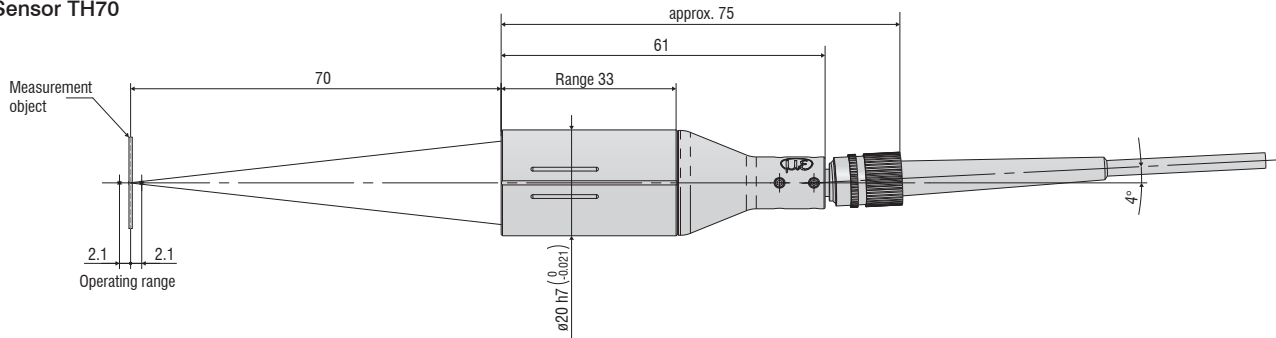
The accuracy decreases when approaching the limit values.

Dimensions

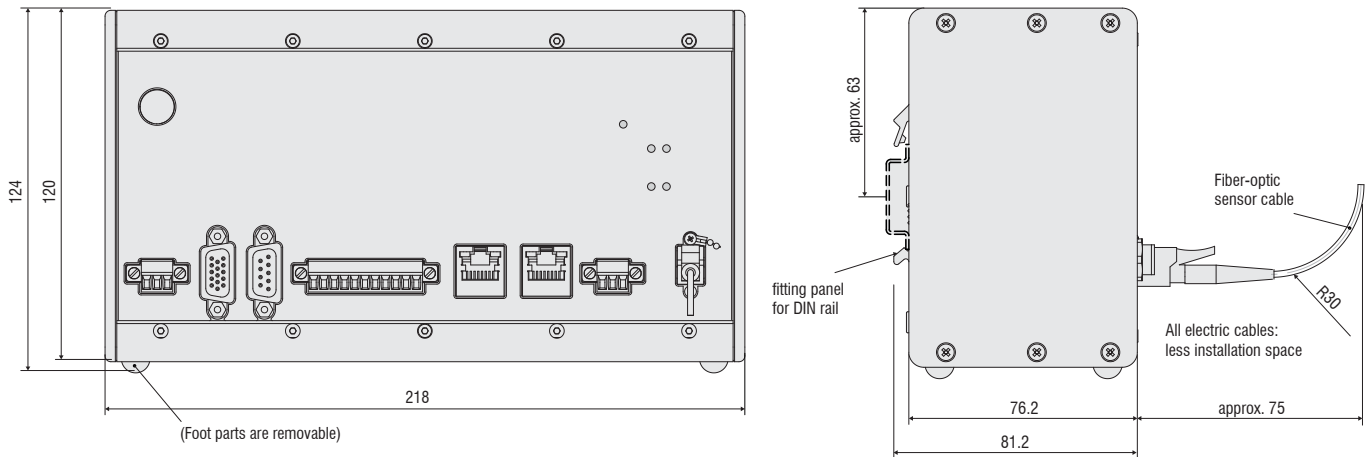
Sensor TH45



Sensor TH70



Controller



Accessories: Sensor mounting adapter

