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More Precision

confocalDT // Confocal chromatic measuring system
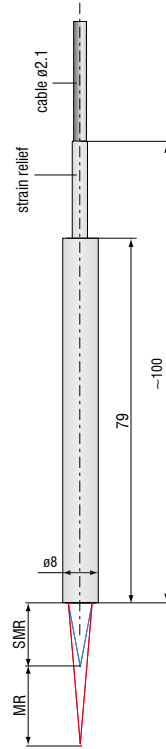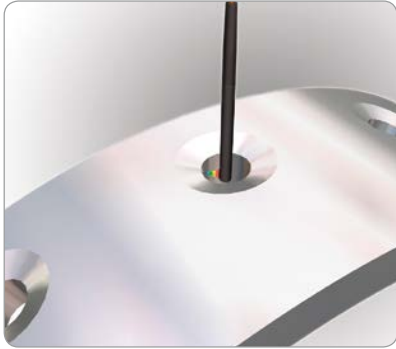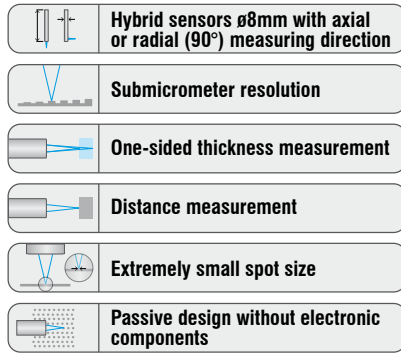
- **Hybrid sensors ø8mm with axial or radial (90°) measuring direction**
- **Submicrometer resolution**
- **One-sided thickness measurement**
- **Distance measurement**
- **Extremely small spot size**
- **Passive design without electronic components**

cable ø2.1

strain relief

~100

79

ø8

SMR

MR

Mechanical tolerances ±0.1mm
MR = measuring range
SMR = start of measuring range
Dimensions in mm.

Sensor model		IFS 2403-0,4	IFS 2403-1,5	IFS 2403-4	IFS 2403-10
Measuring range		400 μm	1.5 mm	4 mm	10 mm
Start of measuring range	approx.	2.5 mm	8.0 mm	14.7 mm	11 mm
Numerical aperture		0.5	0.3	0.15	0.15
Light spot diameter		9 μm	15 μm	28 μm	56 μm
Linearity (displacement and distance measurement)		≤ 0.3 μm	≤ 1.2 μm	≤ 3 μm	≤ 20 μm
Linearity (thickness measurement)		≤ 0.6 μm	≤ 2.4 μm	≤ 6 μm	≤ 40 μm
Resolution [1]		16 nm	60 nm	100 nm	250 nm
Weight		25 g			
Max. tilt [2]		± 20°	± 16°	± 6°	± 6°
Protection class		IP64, front operated			
Temperature range	Operation	+5 ... +70 °C			
	Storage	-30 ... +70° C			
Connection		integral cable 2 m; option up to 50 m; bending radius: static 30 mm; dynamic 40 mm			
Shock		15 g, 6 ms			
Vibration		2 g / 10 Hz ... 500 Hz			

FSO = Full Scale Output
All data at constant ambient temperature (25 ±2 °C) against optical flat; specifications can change when measuring different materials.
[1] Average from 512 values
[2] Maximum sensor tilt angle that produces a usable signal on a reflecting surface, near to the midrange

cable ø2.1

strain relief

~110

87.5

3.24

ø8

SMR   MR
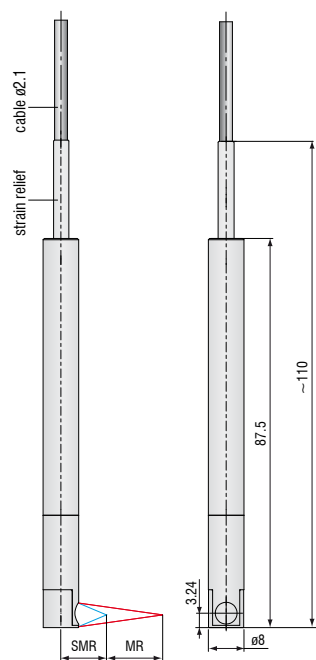
Mechanical tolerances ±0.1mm
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Dimensions in mm.

Sensor model		IFS 2403/90-1,5	IFS 2403/90-4	IFS 2403/90-10
Measuring range		1.5 mm	4 mm	10 mm
Start of measuring range	approx.	4.9 mm [1]	12 mm [1]	8.6 mm [1]
Numerical aperture		0.3	0.15	0.15
Light spot diameter		15 μm	28 μm	56 μm
Linearity (displacement and distance measurement)		≤ 1.2 μm	≤ 3 μm	≤ 20 μm
Linearity (thickness measurement)		≤ 2.4 μm	≤ 6 μm	≤ 40 μm
Resolution [2]		60 nm	100 nm	250 nm
Weight			25 g	
Max. tilt [3]		± 16°	± 6°	± 6°
Protection class			IP40	
Temperature range	Operation		+5 ... +70 °C	
	Storage		-30 ... +70 °C	
Connection		integral cable 2 m; option up to 50 m; bending radius: static 30 mm; dynamic 40 mm		
Shock			15 g, 6 ms	
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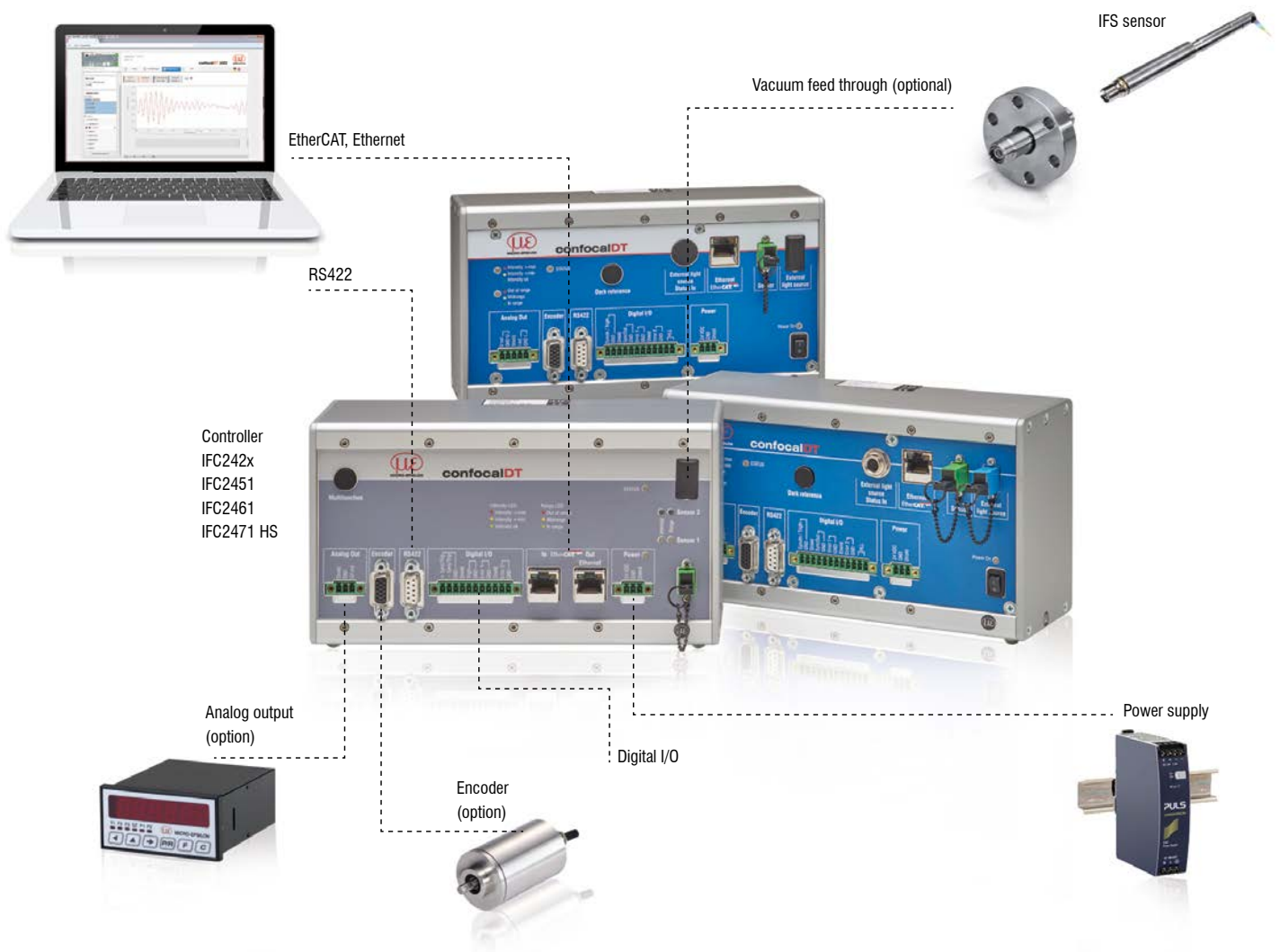[1] Start of measuring range measured from sensor axis
[2] Average from 512 values
[3] Maximum sensor tilt angle that produces a usable signal on a reflecting surface, near to the midrange

System design

The confocalDT system consists of:
- Sensor IFS240x
- Controller IFC24xx
- Fiber-optic cable

IFS sensor

Vacuum feed through (optional)

EtherCAT, Ethernet

RS422

Controller
IFC242x
IFC2451
IFC2461
IFC2471 HS

Analog output
(option)

Encoder
(option)

Digital I/O

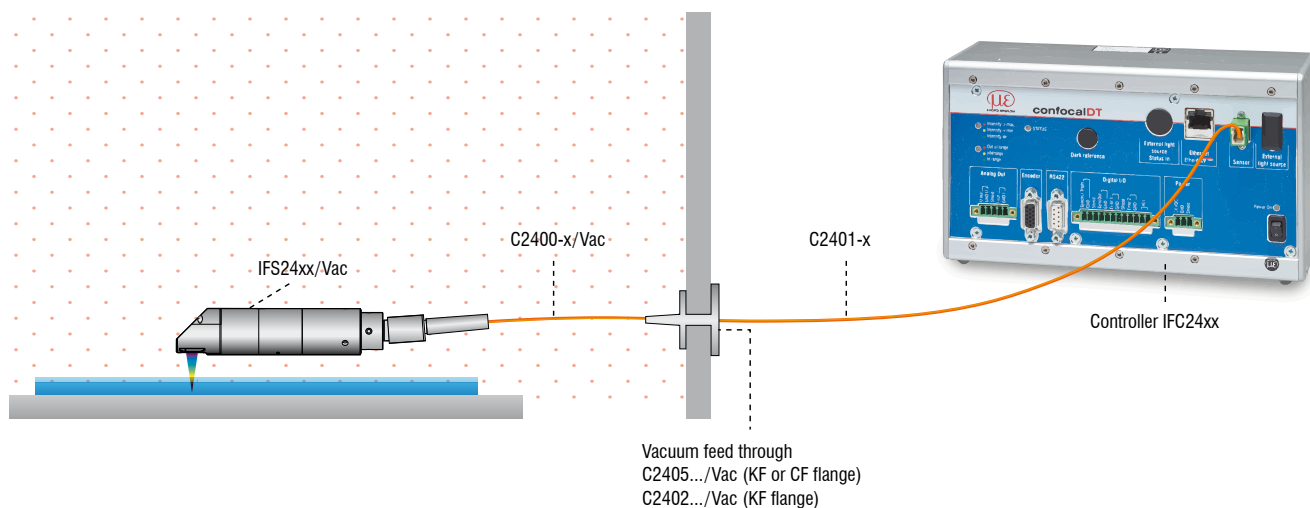Power supply

Customer-specific modifications

Application examples are often found where the standard versions of the sensors and the controller are performing at their limits. To facilitate such special tasks it is possible to customize the sensor design and to adjust the controller accordingly. Common requests for modifications include changes in design, mounting options, customized cable lengths and modified measuring ranges.
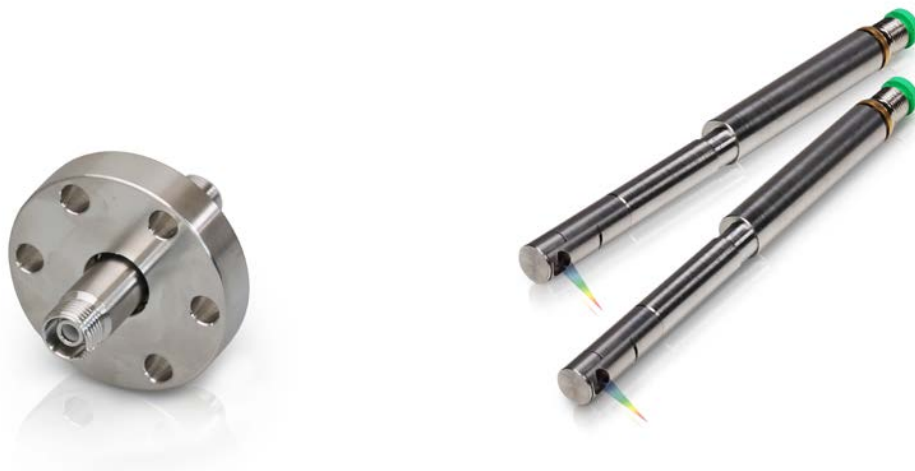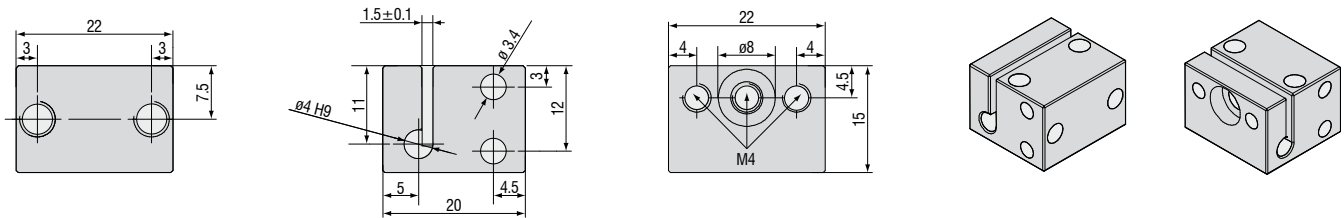
Possible modifications
- Sensors with connector
- Cable length
- Vacuum suitability until UHV
- Specific lengths
- Customer-specific mounting options
- Optical filter for ambient light compensation
- Housing material
- Measuring range / offset distance

Vacuum setup

IFS24xx/Vac

C2400-x/Vac

C2401-x

Controller IFC24xx

Vacuum feed through
C2405.../Vac (KF or CF flange)
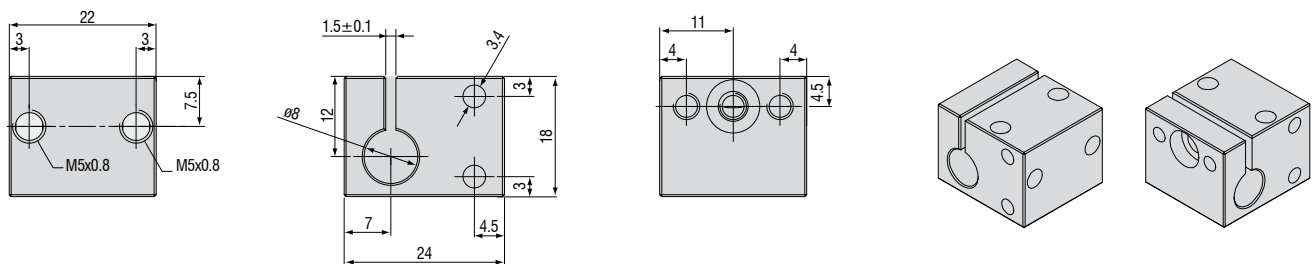C2402.../Vac (KF flange)
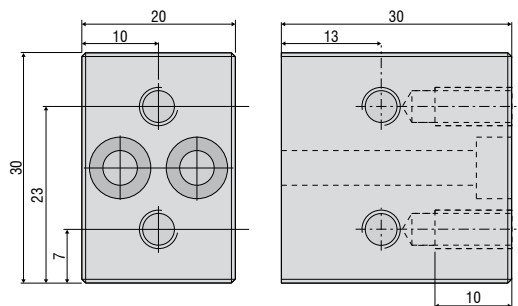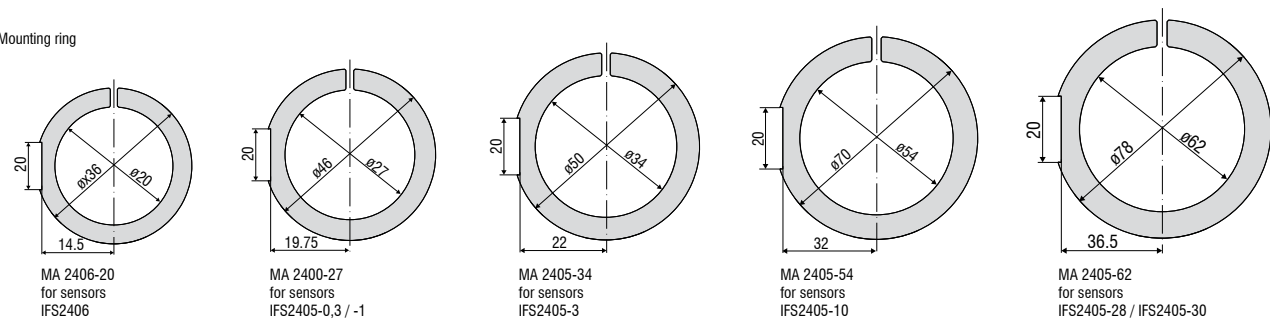
Accessories: mounting adapter
MA2402 for sensors 2402

Accessories: mounting adapter
MA2403 for sensors 2403

Accessories: mounting adapter
MA2400 for sensors IFS2405/IFS2406 (consisting of a mounting block and a mounting ring)

Mounting block

Mounting ring

MA 2406-20
for sensors
IFS2406

MA 2400-27
for sensors
IFS2405-0,3 / -1

MA 2405-34
for sensors
IFS2405-3

MA 2405-54
for sensors
IFS2405-10

MA 2405-62
for sensors
IFS2405-28 / IFS2405-30

Accessories

Software

IFD24n1-Tool	Free demo software tool included

Accessories light source

IFL2422/LE	Lamp module for IFC2422
IFL24x1/LED	Lamp module for IFC24x1
IFL2451/LED(003)	Lamp module for IFC2451(003)

Cables for IFS2402/IFS2403 sensors

CE2402 cable with 2x E2000/APC connectors

CE2402-x	Extension for optical fiber (3 m, 10 m,13 m, 30 m, 50 m)
CE2402-x/PT	Optical fiber with protection tube for mechanical stress (3 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)

Cables for IFS2405/IFS2406 sensors

C2401 cable with FC/APC and E2000/APC connectors

C2401-x	Optical fiber (3 m, 5 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)
C2401/PT-x	Optical fiber with protection tube for mechanical stress (3 m, 5 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)
C2401-x (01)	Optical fiber core diameter 26 μm (3 m, 5 m, 15 m)
C2401-x(10)	Drag-chain suitable optical fiber (3 m, 5 m, 10 m)

C2400 cable with 2x FC/APC connectors

C2400-x	Optical fiber (3 m, 5 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)
C2400/PT-x	Optical fiber with protection tube for mechanical stress (3 m, 5 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)
C2400/PT-x-Vac	Optical fiber with protection tube suitable for use in vacuum (3 m, 5 m, 10 m, customer-specific length up to 50 m)

Cable for IFS2407 sensors

C2404-x	Optical fiber with DIN connector and E2000/APC (2 m, 5 m)

Vacuum feed through

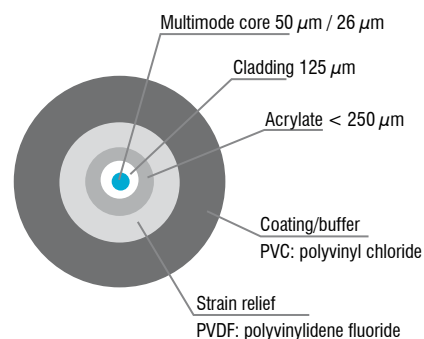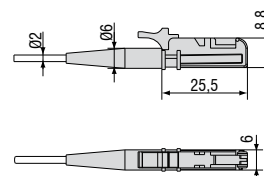| C2402/Vac/KF16	Vacuum feed through with optical fiber, 1 channel, vacuum side FC/APC non-vacuum side E2000/APC, clamping flange KF 16
C2405/Vac/1/KF16	Vacuum feed through on both sides FC/APC socket, 1 channel, clamping flange type KF 16
C2405/Vac/1/CF16	Vacuum feed through on both sides FC/APC socket, 1 channel, flange type CF 16
C2405/Vac/6/CF63	Vacuum feed through FC/APC socket, 6 channels, flange type CF 63

Other accessories

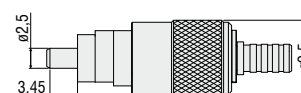| SC2471-x/USB/IND	Connector cable IFC2451/61/71, 3 m, 10 m, 20 m
SC2471-x/IF2008	Connector cable IFC2451/61/71-IF2008, 3 m, 10 m, 20 m
PS2020	Power supply 24 V / 2.5 A
EC2471-3/OE	Encoder cable, 3 m

Optical fiber

Temperature range : -50 °C to 90 °C
Bending radius: 30/40 mm

Multimode core 50 μm / 26 μm
Cladding 125 μm
Acrylate $< 250\ \mu m$
Coating/buffer
PVC: polyvinyl chloride
Strain relief
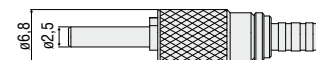PVDF: polyvinylidene fluoride

E2000/APC standard connector

FC/APC standard connector

DIN connector

High performance sensors made by Micro-Epsilon

Sensors and systems for displacement and position

Sensors and measurement devices for non-contact temperature measurement

2D/3D profile sensors (laser scanner)

Optical micrometers, fiber optic sensors and fiber optics

Color recognition sensors, LED analyzers and color inline spectrometer

Measurement and inspection systems

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