Profile Projectors



PROFILE PROJECTORS V-20B / V-12B





V-20B configured with PS 10×6B Stage

PROFILE PROJECTOR

Large effective screen diameter of 500 mm. Permits mounting of a large stage and includes a built-in digital counter and digital protractor.

Parfocal projection lenses

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Stage Adapter S For V-20B only

Used to mount a stage other than the PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B Stage to the V-20B profile projector.





*1: Standard accessory *2: Alphabets above the stages represent accessories that can be mounted. *3: To use the Foot Switch and [Reset/Send] buttons simultaneously, the "MM cable (PXA20224)" is required.

PROJECTION LENSES

Five lenses are available, each featuring a different

magnification, working distance, and field of view (FOV) diameter.



(mm)

A= working distance

D= maximum diameter of a measurable cylindrical sample

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Magnification	FOV diameter	Half mirror	Α	D	
5×	100	Built-in; fixed	73	149	
10×	50	Built-in; switchable	79	215	
20×	25	Built-in; switchable	85	313	
50×	10	Built-in; switchable	50.5	130	
100×	5	Built-in; switchable	50.5	130	

*Part of the FOV is vignetted when 5x or 10x projection lens are used under diascopic illumination

SPECIFICATIONS

Туре	Vertical optical axis
Image	Inverted and reversed
Screen	ø500 mm with protractor screen
Projection lens	5×, 10×, 20×, 50×, 100×
	3-lens turret mount (screw type)
Magnification	Diascopic: 0.1 %
accuracy	Reflected: 0.15 %
Stages	PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B directly mountable
	PS 6×4B, PS 4×4B, PS 2×2B mountable
	via adapter
Illumination	Diascopic and reflected
	(both 24 V-150 W halogen lamp)
Maximum sample height	150 mm
Power source	AC 100-120 V (CSA), 220-240 V (CEE),
	240 V (SAA)
Dimensions(W×D×H)	570×1200×1900 mm
Weight	Approx. 260 kg
Accuracy	3.0 + <i>L</i> / 50 μm
	After calibration; weight capacity on stage
	not exceeding 1 kg
	3.5 + <i>L</i> / 50 μm
	With rotating stage after calibration
	*PS 2x2B will have this accuracy because
	of built-in rotating table

*L: Length in mm



V-12BDC configured with PS 10×6B Stage

V-12B Series

Benchtop projector with a wide measuring stroke up to 250×150 mm (cross travel). Models with a built-in digital counter and/or protractor are available.

	Built-in digital protractor	Built-in digital counter
V-12BDC	•	•
V-12BD	•	-

Deluxe (D): built-in digital protractor Counter (C): built-in X-Y digital counter

Large stage mountable

Focus is achieved by moving the objective head up and down, allowing stages with longer cross travel to be mounted. When the PS $10 \times 6B$ Stage is used, the projector can measure areas as wide as 250×150 mm.

Adjustable base feet

Less affected by irregularities in the installation surface and external vibrations because the base is 2 mm away from the installation surface and the base feet are adjustable.

Increased maximum sample height

Samples as tall as 100 mm can be loaded because the rigidness of the projector is increased by its CAE design.

Built-in digital counter and protractor

V-12BDC come with a digital XY counter, while V-12BDC and V-12BD have a built-in digital protractor for greater ease of use.

Erect images

Projection images are erect and unreversed for easy measurements, and their quality is as sharp as inverted images.

Switchable vertical/oblique illumination

Easier edge detection achieved with the switchable built-in reflection illuminator.

4-step zooming condenser lens with diascopic illumination

Delivers the right amount of light to suit the magnification of the projection lens. (DIA condenser needed for 200x magnification)

DIA Condenser Lens

Necessary when using 200× projection lens and diascopic illumination. *Cannot be removed when using PS 2x2B stage





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*Not required when using retrofit counter with V-12BDC

PROJECTION LENSES

Three lenses can be mounted on the rotary turret at one time. All lenses boast high resolution and minimal distortion, with long working distances.

				(mm)
Magnification	FOV diameter	Half mirror	Α	D
5×	61	Built-in; fixed	60	127
10×	30	Built-in; switchable	74	215
20×	15	Built-in; switchable	74	244
25×	12	Built-in; switchable	62	178
50×	6	Built-in; switchable	61	173
100×	3	Built-in; switchable	49	123
200×	1.5	Built-in; switchable	24	49

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SPECIFICATIONS

Vertical optical axis bench type Erect and unreversed			
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ø305 mm with etched center crossline			
V-12BDC/V-12BD: 360°rotatable screen			
with knob for digital protractor			
5×, 10×, 20×, 25×, 50×, 100×, 200×			
3-lens turret mount; clamping type			
Oblique reflected/diascopic: 0.1 %			
Vertical reflected: 0.15 %			
PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B, PS 6×4B, PS 4×4B,			
PS 2x2B directly mountable			
Diascopic and reflected			
(both 24 V-150 W halogen lamp)			
100 mm			
(70 mm: with PS 10×6B, PS 8×6B Stage)			
AC 100/120V (50/60 Hz),			
AC 220/230/240V (50/60 Hz)			
410×650×938-1038 mm			
Approx. 80 kg			
3.0 + <i>L</i> / 50 μm			
After calibration; weight capacity on stage			
not exceeding 1 kg			
3.5 + <i>L</i> / 50 μm			
With rotating stage after calibration			
*PS 2x2B will have this accuracy because			
of built-in rotating table			

*L: Length in mm

ACCESSORIES

Stages



PS 8×6B (Stroke: 200×150 mm)

60 60

10-M6 Depth 10

Tool installation





· Lever control allows for smooth changeover

• The course/fine changeover lever and the RESET and SEND buttons are located near

Y-axis knob

Large stage adjustment knob • Enables fine adjustment of swivel plate

Stage Operation

of coarse and fine movement. Swivel plate comes as standard for PS 10×6B and PS 8×6B stage.

the X- and Y- axis knobs.

X-axis knob

rotation.

*Available for PS 10×6B and PS 8×6B stages

*Not available for PS 2×2B stage

(Unit: mm)

PS 4×4B (Stroke: 100×100 mm)







PS 2×2B (Stroke: 50×50 mm)

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(Unit: mm)

Stage Specifications

Туре	Surface area (mm)	Stage glass dimensions(mm)	Stroke (mm)	Reading method	Min. reading	Rotation range	Tool installation screw hole	Loading capacity(kg)	Weight (kg)		
PS 10×6B	398×260	305×190	250×150			±3°	12-M6 depth 10	20	51.5		
PS 8×6B	348×260	255×190	200×150	Linear encoder	Linear encoder	Linear		(swivel plate)	10-M6 depth 10	20	48.5
PS 6×4B	354×230	210×160	150×100				0.1		10-M6 depth 10	15	27.5
PS 4×4B	284×230	160×160	100×100				_	8-M6 depth 10	15	23.5	
PS 2×2B	ø174	ø107	50×50			±360°(rotation table)	6-M6 depth 7	5	15.5		

Rotating Tables

Type 3



Rotating Table Specifications

	Table diameter (mm)	Glass insert diameter (mm)	Reading range	Tool installation	Weight (Approx. kg)
Rotating Table Type 3	204	165	360° (uncalibrated)	Screw hole 6-M6	5
Rotating Table Type 4	282	262	360° (uncalibrated)	Screw hole 6-M6	8

Tilting Center Fixture A2

Used to tilt samples around the center axis Type A2 is available for PS 2×2B with Rotating Table Type 3.



Maximum sample size	Center	Tilt angle	Weight
diameter×length (mm)	height(mm)		(Approx. kg)
ø68×120	45	10° (in 1° increment)	2.2

6





(Unit: mm)

Standard 300 mm Scale

Gauges stage travel accuracy up to 300 mm. Both 10 mm-interval sensor patterns and calibrations are provided. Made of low heat-expansion glass for minimizing influence of heat.

Pitch: 10 mm (attached with calibrated value)

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10 mm increments

ACCESSORIES

Nikon has a complete lineup of measurement support system/ data processing systems for specific purposes and applications that support data utilization.

Data Processing Software E-MAX Series

E-MAX is a series of general-purpose measurement support systems with a common user interface for PCs. The software processes 2D data from manual measuring instruments. Data result can be saved as a csv file.



Measurement Processing Actual measurement + recall measurement



1. Point (X Y Z F) 5. Circle (X, Y, Z, R, D, E) 9. Square (X. Y. Z. L1. L2. N1) 6. Ellipse (X, Y, Z, LD, SD, N1) 10. Key input point 2. Midpoint (X Y 7) 3. Maximum point (X, Y, Z) 7. Line (N1, E) 11. Key input circle 4. Minimum point (X, Y, Z) 8. Plane (N, N1, E)

Recall settings



1. Distance between two points (L, Lx, Ly, Lz) 6. Intersect of two circles 2. Distance between a point and a line (X, Y, Z, L) (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2) 3. Intersect of two lines (X, Y, Z, A) 4. Midline (N1) 5. Intersect of a circle and a line (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2)

7. Contact between a point and a circle (X1, Y1, Z1, X2, Y2, Z2) 8. Perpendicularity (W1) 9. Parallelism (W1)





Name of output element X, Y, Z: Coordinate values E: Deviation R: Radius D: Diameter A: Intersection angle LD: Longest diameter SD: Shortest diameter L: Distance N: Slope from third axis N1: Slope from first axis W1: Geometric deviation

User-friendly interface allows a host of measurement and processing functions to be easily controlled using multi windows and a mouse.

(1) Graphical window (4) List window (2) Counter window (5) Toolbar (measurement codes) 3 Results display window

*An output window, image window, and editing listing window can be displayed as necessary.



A built-in navigation function improves measurement efficiency by displaying the current position and the next measurement position during replays.

Number (1) is the current position and number (2) is the next measurement position.

E-MAX/D Set

Example combination with V-12B, E-MAX, and PC

- Specialized for processing measurement data
- Enhanced 2D data processing functions
- Can be installed on notebook PCs (D Set only)



Data Processor DP-E1A

Effectively used in combination with a profile projector and/or measuring microscope, the DP-E1A quickly calculates geometrical features with simple and interactive operations. Measurement results are automatically memorized as teaching steps and can be easily used as a measurement routine.



Measurement Support Application (Option)

Custom Create For DP-E1A and Counter

Measurement data from counters and/or data

processors can be transferred directly to Excel sheets

- Compatible measuring instruments: V-20B, V-12B, MM-400N/800N series, DP-E1A
- · Allows data transfer to customized inspection-result sheet forms
- 3 standard inspection-result sheet forms are available

Operating environment: Windows®10 (32 bit / 64 bit)

Required memory: Codevelopment:

Microsoft Excel 2013, 2016, 2019, 2021 512MB (min) Aria Co., Ltd



User-friendly, small-footprint system

Includes a measurement counter function.

Easy-to-master control keys

Controlled using measurement code buttons and measurement result lists, enabling users to easily conduct measurement.

Saves measurement results on USB memory

Teaching files and measurement results files can be saved to a USB memory device for easy access.

* Retrofit Counter/DP unit is also required

Custom Fit QC

For E-MAX

Suitable for lot control of inspection data.

- Customization of inspection result sheets are possible, in addition to the 10 standard sheets
- Graphs can be automatically generated
- Displays are adjustable between degree/minute/ second
- Easy to generate histograms, X-R control charts, and scatter diagrams

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m	0	0	0	0	0	0
minal	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
per Tol.	-0.0300	-0.0300	-0.0300	-0.0300	-0.0300	-0.0300
wer Tol.	-0.0150	-0.0270	-0.0128	-0.0319	-0.0150	-0.0253
lumber						
1	-0.0156	-0.0274	-0.0108	-0.0307	-0.0150	-0.0312
2	-0.0150	-0.0249	-0.0114	-0.0290	-0.0152	-0.0389
3						
4						



ACCESSORIES

Thermal Printer TSP743 II



	TSP743 II
Paper width	58 mm or 80 mm
Applicable model/ Counter	V-20B, V-12B, SC-112, SC113, SC-212, SC-213, DP-302, DP-303, Retrofit Counter/DP Unit

2-Axis Counter Display



These displays show X and Y- axis coordinates with Retrofit Counter/DP Unit.

(Can be switched between 1 $\mu\text{m},$ 0.1 $\mu\text{m},$ and 0.01 $\mu\text{m})$

Glass Reading Scale



Used to measure projection images on the screen. 200 mm and 300 mm scales, both in 0.5 mm increments, are available. Accuracy: $\pm(15+L/20) \mu m$ *L = measurement length

Foot Switch 4



Used to send load command to DP-E1A. Frees both hands to enhance measurement efficiency.

Retrofit Counter/DP Unit



Needed to connect DP-E1A or 2-axis counter display to V-12BD.

Chart Clip Type LL



Used to measure charts on the screen. Comes standard with V-12B.

Glass Scale Set



Used to check the magnifying accuracy of the projector being used. Equipped with:

- 50 mm standard scale in 1 mm increments (accuracy ±[3+7L/100] μm)
- 300 mm standard scale in 0.1 mm increments (accuracy ±[6+L/50] μm)
- 6× magnifier
- *L = measurement length



The green filter is used for black- and-white photography or for viewing edges of a workpiece with greater sharpness. Must be used with the DIA Adapter A.

ISO/IEC 17025 Certified

Nikon Corporation Industrial Solutions Business Unit is certified as an ISO/IEC 17025 accredited calibration laboratory for measuring projectors (profile projectors) and measuring microscopes by the Japan Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment.

ISO/IEC 17025: International standard, which specifies the general requirements to ensure that a laboratory is competent to carry out specific tests and/or calibrations

	X/Y-axis Indication Accura	су		
	100×	0.041%		
	50×	0.021%		
	20×	0.021%		
	10×	0.021%		
	5×	0.021%		
Expanded Uncertainty:	Magnification Accuracy			
Calibration site:	Customer's laboratory (field service)			
Accredited section:	Industrial Solutions Business Unit			
Scope of accreditation:	Measuring projectors			
Date of initial accreditation:	: September 8, 2006			

Linear scale up to 250 mm	$(0.70 \pm 5.0 \times 10 - 3 \times 1)$ µm
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