The new generation of contour measurement systems

**MarSurf XC 20**

**MarSurf XC 2**
Ladies and Gentlemen,

There is an increasing need in industrial production metrology for fast, simple measurement of workpiece profiles.

The measuring tasks are many and varied and require ever greater precision and optimum measuring strategies for the entire system.

Today, we’re pleased to be able to introduce the MarSurf XC 20 / MarSurf XC 2 contour measurement and evaluation system. Decades of experience in contour metrology and valuable feedback from our customers have shaped this latest generation of instruments.

What began around 30 years ago with the Conturograph, consisting of a drive unit and x-y plotter for recording contours and comparing these with templates, has since developed into a contour measuring system of the very highest quality.

This is true of the entire measuring station, consisting of: Measurement and evaluation system, drive unit, pick-up, measuring stand and equipment table.

With MarSurf XC 20 and MarSurf XC 2 the company has shown a clear commitment to top quality and reliability.

These units are among the very best on the market!

We wish you every success!
Measuring and evaluating geometries of workpieces and tools that are relevant for correct functioning is one of the primary requirements of research, technology and industry. Time and again, the tried-and-tested contour measurement system has shown itself to be the system of choice over all other procedures, since it is faster, easier to use, more cost-effective and delivers greater performance.

A measured profile can quickly and easily be turned into an accurate and reliable evaluation result at a time when accuracy and evaluation criteria are becoming increasingly important on the market.

Features such as
- creating regression straight lines and circles
- creating points, intersection points, free points, center points, maximum and minimum points
- creating coordinate systems
- determining radii, distances, angles, coordinates and line form deviations
- performing nominal/actual comparisons
- monitoring tolerances
- importing profile data, e.g. DXF files
- automatic program runs

are just a few examples of the many functions supported by MarSurf XC 20 / XC 2.

The key features of MarSurf XC 20 / XC 2 include not just the software, the mechanical components, the measuring characteristics of the drive units and pick-ups or the measuring station components such as the measuring stand, mounts, etc.,

they also include the excellent configuration achieved by ensuring the perfect interplay of all components to devise the optimum solution for your needs.

The MarSurf measuring stations combine outstanding instruments with patented ideas.
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The process flow

The simple, faster, more dependable way

From workpiece to measurement and final result:

Processing machine

Workpiece

Measurement

Result
Password-protected user login
You can define which operator is to have which rights on the instrument
For example
• Administrator
• Only start programs via function keys

The easy way to fast measurement
The start
• All axes of measuring stand, drive unit and pick-up can be controlled directly
• Functions such as start to end point measurement (with operator prompting via text tips) enable the user to perform correct measurements in interactive mode with practically no setup time
Logically structured icons speak all languages and need no translation!

Additionally, former Perthometer Concept users can select display of the familiar Perthometer Concept icons!

Use of the Quick & Easy function:
Setting up and saving an automatic program run without programming knowledge, "learning by doing".

Plausibility check for automatic program runs (XC 20 only)
Operating sequence list with program optimization
• Jumps, loops
• Interactive user intervention in the case of automatic evaluation
The evaluation

Sections
- Details can be shown separately

Examples:

By creating sections, individual results groups can be made error-free.

Angles

Radii

Distances
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The evaluation

Sample applications

**Thread tapper**

**Ball bearing**

**Synchronous ring**

**Tool die, ball bearing, ball pin**

**Ball pin**

**Wheel rim**
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The evaluation

Nominal / actual comparison

Up to five evaluation ranges can be selected
In many cases, profile comparisons are also performed with workpieces that are subject to heavy wear. The ability to select certain evaluation ranges offers the distinct advantage of being able to determine the fit-in ranges that are not subject to wear or deformation. This can be useful for optimum profile matching.

Methods for performing fit-in

- Minimum line form deviation
- Least squares (Best Fit)

Generating the nominal profile

- Using master profile measurement,
- DXF import or
- Entering nominal geometries

Tolerances zones can be selected in any areas in the nominal profile (XC 20 only)

Nominal profile with tolerances zones

Nominal profile with tolerances zones fitted in
MarSurf XC 20 / XC 2

The evaluation

Graphic display of the results
(enlarged deviation display)

Zoom, maximum 25 steps
- Display with non-proportional zoom
- Zoom area can be moved in the overview field
- Zoom area can be anchored to the profile

Bar chart display

Contour display
With roughness evaluation (XC 20 with LD 120 only)

Associative elements
Changing reference contours immediately results in a change in the measured value, e.g. increasing or reducing a radius segment using the mouse directly changes the dependent variables such as radius, line form deviation, distances to the coordinate system, etc.
The calibration

Calibration adds to the level of reliability through

• interactive operator prompting with graphic support
• documentation
• calibration intervals with reminder function
• calibration and measurement with twin stylus supported

Examples:
Measurement with stylus tip in +Z and -Z direction

You can measure in +z and -z direction by simply switching over the direction of the measuring force. The calibration of this stylus tip recorded earlier enables a direct link to be created between the "upper contour" and "lower contour".

Automatic coordinate system

When performing a programmed, automatic measuring run, it is important for subsequent measurements that the evaluation created earlier is adapted accordingly. MarSurf XC 20 / XC 2 guarantees correct evaluation even if the workpiece is moved in x- and z- direction and for inclinations in x/z of up to 15°.

You save time, since you significantly reduce your setup time.

The time required for the evaluation drops to virtually zero.

You can be sure that your results will be correct.

Guaranteed reproducibility, no erroneous results.

Twin stylus

Do you have any questions? If so, click

Info box
When selecting an evaluation function, a short tip automatically appears for the action in question.
You are assured fast measuring results and save valuable time that you can devote to other tasks

- Self-explanatory user interface supported by graphic elements
- Easy programming in Teach-in mode, "learning by doing"
- Permanent online help in every programming step
- Fast measurement thanks to start/end point function

You can be sure that your measuring results will be correct

- Excellent calibration procedure thanks to many years of experience, i.e. including geometry calibration, measuring force calibration, compensation of the deflection, etc.
- Stability and rigidity of the pick-ups
- The drive units are very smooth in operation and are highly stable and accurate
- The MarSurf ST 500 / ST 750 measuring stand ensures optimum measuring conditions
- Plausibility tips ensure that the correct measuring strategy with the specified framework conditions is maintained.
- User access rights using password protection rules out the possibility of incorrect operator input.

When you use MarSurf XC 20 / MarSurf XC 2, you're among the best, since you're using the best possible Mahr contour metrology

- Measurement using the "twin stylus" for the upper and lower contours
- Creation of profile sections
- Evaluation of different parameters per section
- Associative elements
  Immediate changes to the parameters as a function of reference elements when changes are made

Rapid measurement since setup times are avoided through start/stop function

- Automatic measurement in Q & E (Quick and Easy) mode
  Rapid, simple programming in Teach-in mode
- When conducting series of measurements or repeat measurements, the coordinate system required for evaluation is created automatically at the correct position, even if the workpiece is moved in x and z directions and the inclination of X to Z is tilted by up to 15°.
- High degree of flexibility thanks to the ability to connect drive units PCV 200, LD 120 (XC 20 only) and CD 120 (XC 2 only)
- Measuring stations can be upgraded to the XCR 20 version (XC 20 only), i.e. they can also be used as combined measuring stations for contour and roughness
- All Perthometer Concept users can import measurements of nominal contours and profiles in MarSurf XC 20
- The user interface layout can also be changed over to the Perthometer Concept icons
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Measuring station combinations

1. XC 20 with drive unit PCV 200 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750

The combination of MarSurf XC 20 measurement and evaluation system, drive unit PCV 200 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750 gives you a powerful contour measurement station in Mahr’s familiar high quality. The contour drive unit PCV 200 is a long-range drive unit for precise determination of radii, distances, angles and straightness deviations.

The smooth travel combines with software-supported error correction to ensure reproducible measurements for high vertical and horizontal resolutions in a maximum measuring field of 200 mm x 50 mm.

- Automatic lowering and lifting of the tracing arm with adjustable speed
- Measuring force 2 mN to 120 mN
- High positioning speed
- Patented tracing arm fastening for reproducible tracing arm exchange without need for tools
- Collision protection

- Outstanding dynamics thanks to flexurally rigid construction and use of new materials
- Positioning and selection of various measuring speeds
- No control elements on the drive unit ➔ Reliable result
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Measuring station combinations

**XC 20 with drive unit PCV 200 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750**

**Technical data**
- Traversing length (in X): 1 mm to 200 mm
- Measuring range (in Z): 50 mm for 350 mm tracing arm, 25 mm for 175 mm tracing arm
- Measuring system (in X): High-precision incremental measuring system (factory calibration with laser interferometer)
- Measuring system (in Z): Inductive transformer*, with high accuracy and linearity
- Resolution (in Z) referred to stylus tip: 0.50 mm for 350 mm tracing arm, 0.25 mm for 175 mm tracing arm
- Resolution (in Z) referred to the measuring system: 0.04 µm
- Guide error (in Z): < 1 µm (over 200 mm)
- Measuring force (in Z): 1 mN to 120 mN, upwards and downwards (can be set in MarSurf XC 20)
- Tracing angle: On smooth surfaces depending on deflection: Descending flanks up to 88°, ascending flanks up to 77°
- Measuring speed (in X): 0.2 mm/s to 4 mm/s
- Contacting speed (in Z): 0.1 mm/s to 1 mm/s
- Positioning speed (in X) and return speed: 0.2 mm/s to 8 mm/s
- Positioning speed (in Z): 0.2 mm/s to 10 mm/s
- Positioning accuracy (in X): 1 µm
- Positioning accuracy (in Z): 1 µm
- Tracing arm length: 175 mm, 350 mm
- Stylus tip radius: 25 µm

*Patented

**Scope of delivery**
- MarSurf XC 20: 6268300
- Country package Win XP Professional de (German)*: 6268201
- TFT monitor 15": 5460040
- Printer: 5460030
- USB cable: 3018232
- Adapter PAV-CV: 6840338
- Drive unit PCV 200: 6720810
- Calibration set: 6820116
- Measuring stand MarSurf ST 500 with granite plate 700 mm x 550 mm: 6710250
- PCV 200 mount: 6851361
- X/Y table PKT: 6710522

*Other languages on request
Resolutions in the nm range are achieved in a combination consisting of the XC 20 with high-precision drive and tracing system LD 120 and measuring stand ST 500 / ST 750.

"Two in One" enables the contour and roughness depth to the measured in a single measuring run. 10 mm measuring stroke for 2 nm resolution and a measuring length of 120 mm are the dimensions within which the contour and roughness depth parameters are measured and evaluated with the highest accuracy.

- The magnetic pick-up mount guarantees flexibility in the diversity of pick-ups and exchangeability while maintaining the same high level of reliability.
- Guaranteed positioning accuracy when exchanging pick-ups in the µm range and collision protection, rigidity and stability of the pick-ups are essential for resolutions in the nm range.
- A calibration method for ensuring the very highest accuracy gives you the assurance that your results will be correct.
- Measuring forces from 0.5 mN to 30 mN whose settings can be varied via software and which remain constant over the entire measuring stroke deliver flexibility and reliability. You can select the optimum measuring force to match the material characteristics of the testpiece and the pick-up of your choice.
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Measuring station combinations

XC 20 with drive unit LD 120 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750

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Technical data

- **Traversing length (in X)**: 0.1 mm to 120 mm
- **Measuring range (in Z)**: 10 mm
- **Measuring system**: Interference-optical measuring systems
- **Standard stylus tip**: LD A14-10-2, diamond 2 µm, 90°
- **Resolution in Z**: 2 nm
- **Horizontal measuring axis**: Glass scale
- **Measuring point distance in X**: 0.05 µm to 1 µm
- **Contacting force**: 0.5 mN to 30 mN (can be set via software)
- **Measuring speed**: 0.1 mm/s to 1.0 mm/s in 0.1 mm increments for contour measurement, 0.1 mm/s and 0.5 mm/s for roughness measurement
- **Return speed and positioning speed in X direction**: Up to 4 mm/s
- **Guide error with straightness correction**: 0.12 µm/20 mm, 0.25 µm/60 mm, 0.4 µm/120 mm
- **Angle measurement**: $u_{95} < 0.5'$
- **Radius measurement**: ± 0.01% of the nominal value for R12.5 mm
- **Distance measurement**: ± (1+L/100) µm
Measuring station combinations

3. XC 2 with drive unit CD 120 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750

The combination of the MarSurf XC 2 measurement and evaluation system, drive unit CD 120 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750 enables you to conduct contour measurements in a measuring field of up to 120 mm in length and 50 mm in height.

- With proven and patented tracing arm mount and straightforward exchange of application-specific tracing arms
- Collision protection
- Measuring force 2 mN to 120 mN, selectable
- Operation and positioning is controlled via the software in a special measuring station view
- Programmed measuring run
- No control elements on the drive unit

A reliable result
# MarSurf XC 20 / XC 2

## Measuring station combinations

**XC 2 with drive unit CD 120 and measuring stand ST 500 or ST 750**

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Tracing arms / stylus tips

Stylus tips

HM Tastspitzen stylus tips

HM Kegeltastspitzen cone stylus tips

Querarm traverse arm

HM Doppeltastspitzen double stylus tips

Tastspitzen mit Kugel stylus tips with ball

HM Tastschneiden gerade stylus tips with blade

Nicht für M-Tastarme not for m-probe arms

Nur für M-Tastarme only for m-probe arms

Standard Tastspitze standard stylus
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Tracing arms / stylus tips

Tracing arms of carbon fiber reinforced plastic

PCV stylus tip overview
for CFK probe arms

6851525
für Tastspitzen ø3,5
for stylus tips ø3,5

6851526
für Tastspitzen ø3,5
for stylus tips ø3,5

6851529 (350-M)
für Tastspitzen ø3,5
for stylus tips ø3,5

9032280 (175-M)
für Tastspitzen ø3,5
for stylus tips ø3,5
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Tracing arms / stylus tips

CP 175 M tracing arms