


Length Laboratory


Available Calibration Services

Length and Dimensional metrology

EQUIPMENT	METHOD	RANGE	UNCERTAINTY	RECOGNITION
Stabilized laser of the mise en pratique: vacuum wavelength/ absolute frequency	Optical beat frequency	633 nm / 474 THz	$1 \times 10^{-8} \lambda_0$	
Other stabilized laser: vacuum wavelength	Optical beat frequency	633 nm	1×10^{-11}	
Laser Interferometer system: error of indicated displacement	Comparison to master length interferometer	(0 to 3000) mm	$Q[0,3;4,6E02L] \mu\text{m}$	
Depth standard (ISO 5436-1 type A2): Parameter: depth d	Stylus instrument	0,1 μm to 10 μm	$(60 + 2d) \text{ nm}$ $d \text{ em } \mu\text{m}$	
Roughness standard (ISO 5436-1 type C): ISO roughness parameters: R_a , R_z , R_p , R_v , R_t	Stylus instrument	0,1 μm to 10 μm 0,1 μm to 20 μm	$Q[50,30R_a] \text{ nm}$ $Q[50,30R_z] \text{ nm}$	
Roughness standard (ISO 5436-1 type D): ISO roughness parameters: R_a , R_z , R_p , R_v , R_t	Stylus instrument	0,1 μm to 10 μm 0,1 μm to 20 μm	$Q[50,30R_a] \text{ nm}$ $Q[50,40R_z] \text{ nm}$	
Gauge block: central length L	Interferometry, exact fractions	(0,5 to 100) mm	$Q[52;0,56L] \text{ nm}$	
Gauge block: central length L	Interferometry, exact fractions	(100 to 300) mm	$Q[26;0,4L] \text{ nm}$	
Laser Interferometer system: error of indicated displacement	Comparison to master length interferometer	(0 to 10 000) mm	$(1,3 + 1,6 \times 10^{-4} L) \mu\text{m}$	
Scales	3 m bench and laser interferometer	to 500 mm	$(2,9 + 2,4 \times 10^5 \times L) \mu\text{m}$	
Material measures of length for general use	12 m bench	10 m, 20 m e 30 m	0,6 mm	

with L in mm $Q[a,bL] = \sqrt{a^2 + (bL)^2}$

Angle

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Angle block: included angle	Index table and autocollimator	0° to 90°	1,0"	
Optical polygon: face angle	Cross calibration versus index table and autocollimator	4 to 24 faces		
Index table: index angle		(0° to 360°) step size: 30°, 40° or 60°		
Optical Square (pentaprism)	2-mirror method	90°	0,5"	
Autocollimator	Angle comparator	error of indicated angle in "	0,3"	
Interferometer optical angular	Comparison with index table	N/A	0,50 μm	

Legal Metrological Control

EQUIPMENTS	TESTS	LEGISLATION
Material measures of length for general use	Periodical Verification Extraordinary Verification	Decree-Law n.º 45/2017 of April 27 Ordinance n.º 321/2019 of September 19