

SYNC SERIES

Combining Laser Diffraction With Dynamic Image Analysis

ONE PLATFORM. THREE LEVELS OF PERFORMANCE.
FIND THE SYNC THAT FITS YOUR LAB

SYNC GO



**SIMPLE, FLEXIBLE,
COST-EFFECTIVE
PARTICLE SIZE
ANALYSIS**

| Dry range: 0.1 - 2000
µm

SYNC PLUS



**PARTICLE SIZE AND
SHAPE IN ONE
OPTICAL BENCH, WITH
AUTOMATION**

| Dry range: 0.1 - 4000
µm

SYNC PRO



**ADVANCED
PERFORMANCE WITH
SUB-MICRON
PRECISION**

| Dry range: 0.1 - 4000
µm

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FLOWSYNC & FLOWSYNC MINI

SAMPLE DISPERSION UNIT FOR WET MEASUREMENTS

The FLOWSYNC systems automate wet sample handling to deliver highly consistent and repeatable particle size and imaging results. From filling to circulation and cleaning, every step is controlled to ensure reliable measurements across a wide range of applications.

Key Benefits



Automated workflows for filling, de-aerating, circulation, and cleaning

- | Consistent dispersion with in-line ultrasonic probe (FLOWSYNC)
- | Programmable SOPs for fully reproducible measurement routines
- | Integrated pumping system for easy solvent and water connection
- | Built-in turbulence eliminates need for external stirring
- | Broad solvent compatibility, including organic solvents
- | Self-cleaning design prevents cross-contamination
- | Flexible volumes: 200 ml (FLOWSYNC) / 40 ml (MINI)

FLOWSYNC GO

SAMPLE HANDLING MADE SIMPLE

The FLOWSYNC GO is a manual wet dispersion unit designed for simple, consistent particle size measurements. It combines user controlled sample handling with software-guided operation for reliable and repeatable results.

Key Benefits

- | Manual filling with software-controlled flow, speed, and drain
- | Consistent circulation for improved measurement repeatability
- | Adjustable SOP settings for optimized measurement conditions
- | Compatible with Dynamic Image Analysis and BLEND technology
- | Seamless integration with all SYNC platforms
- | Built-in turbulence for effective dispersion without stirring
- | Supports a wide range of solvents, including



SMALL VOLUME CELL FOR USE WITH FLOWSYNC

ANALYZE PRECIOUS OR LIMITED SAMPLES WITH CONFIDENCE

The Small Volume Cell (SVC) enables precise particle analysis when sample volume is limited, valuable, or hazardous. It is ideal for applications where minimizing material use is critical without compromising measurement quality.

Key Benefits

- | Minimal sample volume down to 8 ml
- | Safe handling of toxic or high-value materials
- | Integrated stirring for stable and accurate dispersion
- | 0.01 - 500 μm range (density dependent)
- | Chemical-resistant design (stainless steel, quartz, Teflon)
- | Easy integration with FLOWSYNC systems
- | SmartCell ID for automatic recognition and setup



TURBOSYNC

SISTEMA DI DISPERSIONE PER ANALISI A SECCO

The TURBOSYNC module ensures reliable dry dispersion for consistent and repeatable particle size analysis. Powder samples are introduced via a moving tray, enabling controlled and reproducible measurements across a wide range of materials.

Key Benefits

- | Controlled dispersion with adjustable air pressure up to 50 psi (345 kPa)
- | Optimized for all materials, from agglomerated to fragile powders
- | Handles very small samples down to 0.1 cm³
- | Supports larger volumes with removable and combinable trays
- | Automated measurements via DIMENSIONS LS software
- | Fast analysis times typically 10 - 40 seconds
- | High repeatability across samples and instruments



MICROTRAC AUTOSAMPLER

LABORATORY AUTOMATION FOR PARTICLE ANALYSIS

The MICROTRAC Autosampler automates particle size analysis by integrating seamlessly with SYNC analyzers and automated FLOWSYNC systems. It enables high-throughput, consistent measurements with minimal user interaction.

Key Benefits

- | Automated sample handling for up to 64 vials per run
- | Full SOP control via Dimensions LS software
- | Flexible method setup (flow rate, run time, refractive index, rinse cycles)
- | Barcode identification for reliable sample tracking
- | Complete sample transfer with integrated vial wash-down
- | Safe operation using a programmable cobot arm with emergency stop
- | Fully unattended operation once the sequence is started
- | High reproducibility with consistent sample delivery





CHANGE BETWEEN DRY & WET MODULES

No other particle analyzer allows more rapid change from wet to dry and vice versa.

The modules can be removed from the analyzer with a single movement and reinstalled just as easily. All necessary cables and hoses are permanently connected to the back of the analyzer. This means that no changes to the measuring instrument or modules are required during the actual changeover.

Removal of measuring cells or tedious plugging and un-plugging of mechanical and electrical connections is no longer necessary. This makes the process a real plug-and-play operation.

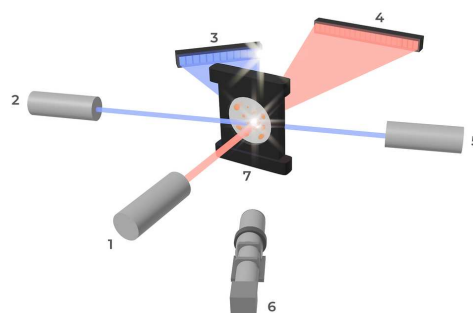
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LASER DIFFRACTION ANALYZER WITH THE PATENTED TRI-LASER SYSTEM

Laser Diffraction (LD) is the established standard for particle size analysis in research and quality control. A dispersed sample is illuminated by a laser, and particle size distribution is calculated from the resulting scattering pattern.

MICROTRAC systems measure scattered light across a wide angular range (0–165°) using dual detectors and a tri-laser setup with red and optional blue lasers. Smaller particles scatter at larger angles, larger ones at smaller angles, with intensity captured continuously. Using a modified Mie theory, the system delivers accurate results for spherical and non-spherical particles, as well as transparent and absorbing materials.

1. Laser #1 (red) 2. Laser #2 (red or blue) 3. High-angle detector 4. Forward detector 5. Laser #3 (red or blue) 6. High-resolution camera 7. Sample cell

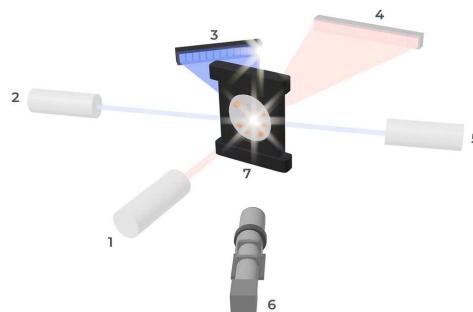


NEW OPPORTUNITIES

INTEGRATED DYNAMIC IMAGE ANALYSIS

Particle characterization is no longer limited to size alone. Dynamic Image Analysis (DIA) adds detailed insight into particle shape and morphology, revealing differences that may not appear in laser diffraction results but can significantly impact performance.

Particles in a flowing stream are illuminated by a stroboscopic light and captured by a high-speed camera, generating a continuous image dataset.



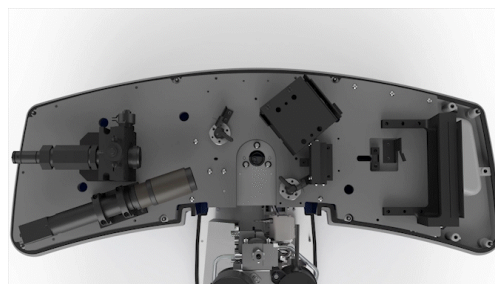
Over 30 size and shape parameters are calculated per particle, with powerful software tools enabling filtering, visualization, and evaluation of specific particle populations in formats such as scatter plots.

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THE BEST OF TWO WORLDS

COMBINING LASER DIFFRACTION WITH DYNAMIC IMAGE ANALYSIS

The MICROTRAC SYNC platform combines laser diffraction and dynamic image analysis in a single measurement, enabling simultaneous access to particle size and shape. Its Tri-Laser technology ensures accurate, repeatable results, while integrated imaging provides additional insight into morphology and dispersion quality in both wet and dry measurements.



As particles pass through the measurement cell, they are analyzed by lasers and imaged at the same time. This allows evaluation of both overall particle size distribution and individual particles from a large image dataset. With the patented BLEND feature, users can analyze or combine both data sets, supporting reliable QC and advanced material characterization.

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OPTIMUM SOLUTIONS FOR EVERY INDUSTRY

Laser diffraction is a versatile method widely used in research and industry. MICROTRAC particle analyzers are designed for intuitive operation, robust performance, and minimal maintenance—making them well suited for continuous 24/7 use.

Its high sample throughput and broad measurement range, from nanometers to millimeters, explain its widespread use. However, limitations include reduced resolution for large particles, limited sensitivity to oversize fractions, and no direct shape analysis. By combining laser diffraction with image analysis, the SYNC particle analyzer overcomes these gaps, delivering more complete data and improved overall measurement accuracy.



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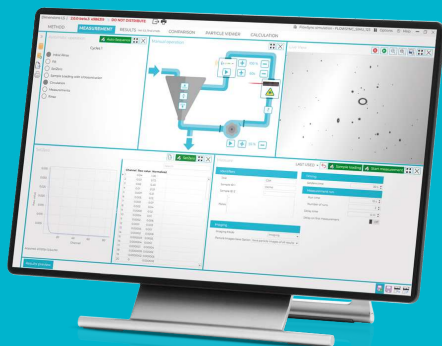
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- | cosmetici

- | farmaceutica
- | vetro / perle di vetro
- | rivestimenti
- | cibo
- | stampa 3D
- | ingredienti alimentari

- | emulsioni
- | polimeri
- | materiali per batterie
- ... e molti altri!

Per trovare la soluzione migliore per le vostre esigenze sulla caratterizzazione granulometrica, visitate il nostro database applicativo



UTILIZZO INTUITIVO CON POCHI CLIC

DIMENSIONI LS PER SYNC

Il software DIMENSIONS LS comprende sei spazi di lavoro chiaramente strutturati per lo sviluppo del metodo, il funzionamento dello strumento SYNC, la presentazione dei risultati e la valutazione di diverse analisi. Gli spazi di lavoro per la valutazione dei risultati rimangono accessibili durante l'analisi.

- | Sviluppo di un metodo semplice
- | Presentazione dei risultati chiaramente strutturata
- | Varie opzioni di valutazione
- | Flusso di lavoro intuitivo
- | Esportazione semplice dei dati
- | Capacità multiutente
- | Software with AI-supported analysis

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DATI TECNICI

Measuring ranges

GO: 0.1 - 2000 μm (dry & wet)

PLUS: 0.1 - 4000 μm (dry), 0.02 - 2800 μm (wet)

PRO: 0.1 - 4000 μm (dry), 0.01 - 2800 μm (wet)

Principio di misurazione

Diffrazione laser - Laser Diffraction (ISO 13320)

Analisi dinamica d'immagine - Dynamic Image Analysis (ISO 13322-2)

Precisione*

Perle di vetro sferiche D50 = 642 micron, precisione a CV = 0,7%

Perle di vetro sferiche D50 = 57 micron, precisione a CV = 1,0%

Perle di lattice sferiche D50 = 0,4 micron, precisione a CV = 0,6%

Classe laser

Rosso 780 nm, blu 405 nm

Prodotto laser di classe 1 secondo CFR 1040.10 e IEC60825-1

Potenza Laser	Laser rosso da 0,35 a 2 mW nominali Laser blu da 4-8 mW nominali
Sistema di rilevazione	Two fixed photo-electric detectors with logarithmically spaced segments are placed at correct angles for optimal scattered light detection from 0 to 165 degrees using 151 detector segments.
Dati	Distribuzioni di volume, numero e area, nonché percentile e altri dati di riepilogo
Formato dati	Archiviato in formato ODBC in database crittografati di Microsoft Access per garantire la compatibilità con applicazioni software statistiche esterne.
Integrità dei dati	L'integrità dei dati può essere garantita utilizzando le funzionalità di sicurezza conformi a FDA 21 CFR Parte 11, tra cui protezione password, firme elettroniche e autorizzazioni assegnabili
Tipi di analisi	Misura a secco e ad umido
Tempi di misura	~ 10 a 30 secondi
Requisiti di alimentazione	Ingresso CA: 90 - 264 V CA, 47 - 63 Hz, monofase
Consumo di energia	25 W nominali, 50 W max., A seconda delle opzioni installate
Condizioni ambientali	Temperatura: da 5 ° a 40 ° Celsius (da 50 ° a 95 ° Fahrenheit) Umidità: 90% RH, massimo senza condensa Temperatura di stoccaggio: da -10 ° a 50 ° Celsius (da 14 ° a 122 ° Fahrenheit) (secco solo) Inquinamento: grado 2
Standard	Diffrazione laser - Laser Diffraction (ISO 13320) Analisi d'immagine dinamica - Dynamic Image Analysis (ISO 13322-2) Rappresentazione dei risultati dell'analisi granulometrica (ISO 9276-6)
Analisi d'immagine	5.2 megapixel (2560 x 2048), 60 fps at max resolution
Funzionamento a umido	Volume: 200 ml nominale Portata: da 0 a 65 ml/sec con acqua Pressione in ingresso: 50 psig (345 kPa) massimo
Processo a secco	Pressione massima di 100 psi (689 kPa) 5 CFM (8,5 m ³ / h) a portata minima di 50 psi (345 kPa) Privo di contaminanti secchi, umidità e olio
Vuoto	Il vuoto deve raggiungere o superare 50 CFM (85 m ³ / h)

Specifiche fisiche

Materiale della cassa: plastica resistente agli urti
Le superfici esterne sono rifinite con vernice o rivestimento resistenti alla corrosione
Compatibilità chimica: Classe I

Dimensioni (L x A x P)

~ 820 x 460 x 500 mm (32.3 x 18.1 x 19.7 in)

Peso (Unità di misura)

FlowSync: 19.5kg (43lbs)
TurboSync: 13.6kg (30lbs)
Sync: 23.6kg (50.8lbs)

* A seconda del materiale e della tipologia di preparazione del campione

www.microtrac.com/sync