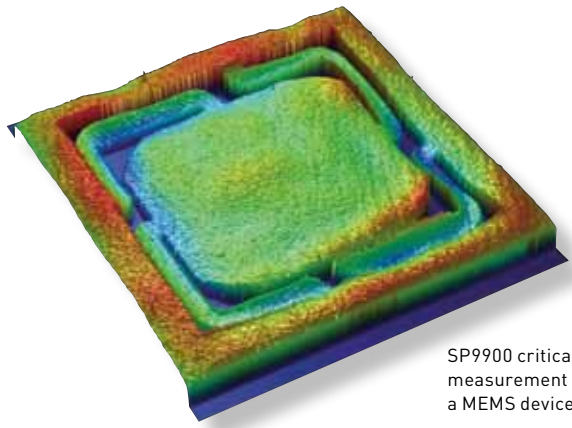


# SP9900 Large-Format Surface Profiling System

Unprecedented Speed and Performance

- Fast Gauge-Capable Data Acquisition
- Automated Non-Contact 3D Inspection
- Panel Sizes up to 600x600mm
- Configurable Sampling Plans and Analyses





SP9900 critical dimension measurement and 3D analysis of a MEMS device.

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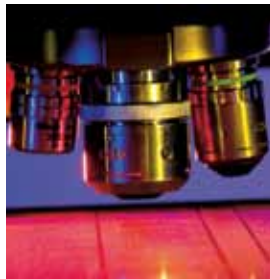
Enhance Product Performance and Maximize Yield

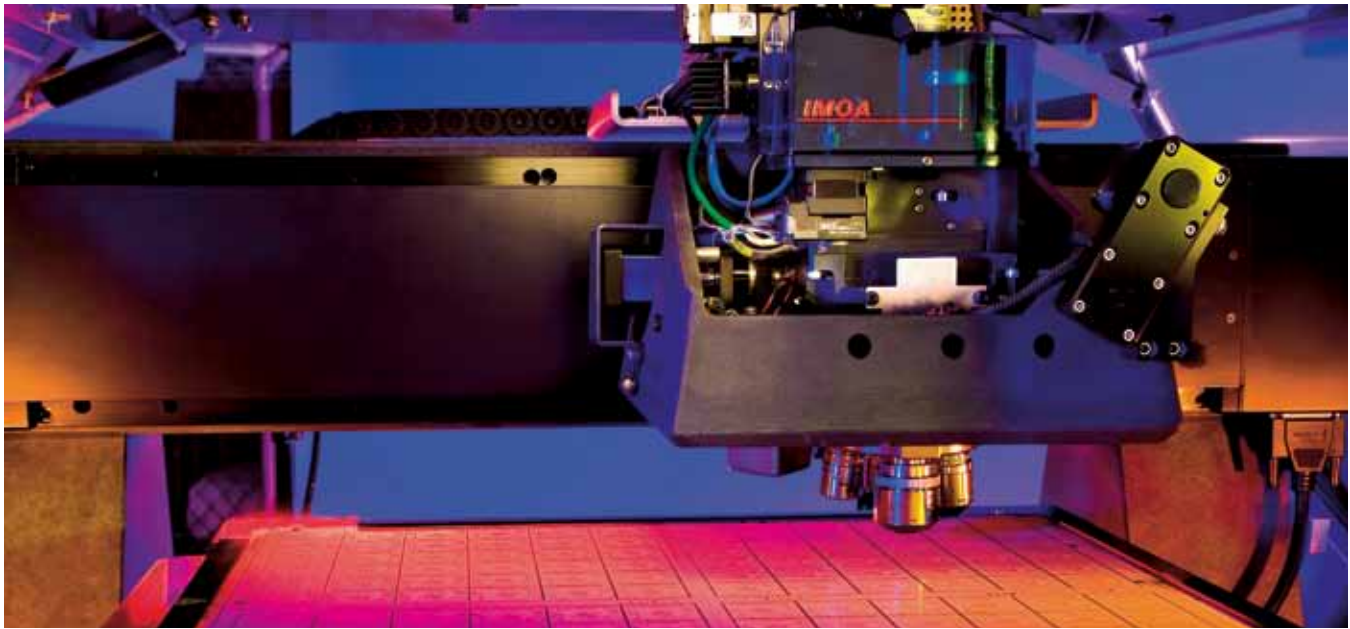


The third-generation SP9900™ Large-Format Surface Profiling System delivers unmatched measurement performance on substrate panels, bumped substrates, flat panels, and circuit boards for improved process monitoring and increased yields. The SP9900 incorporates over 10 years of packaging and panel measurement experience to provide unprecedented speed, metrology capability, reliability, serviceability, and manufacturing readiness for 3D critical dimension measurements in large-format applications.

## SETTING INDUSTRY STANDARDS

- Automated, non-contact 3D inspection for production-boosting performance
- Faster data acquisition for higher-throughput in-line process monitoring
- Larger stage design accommodating panels up to 600x600mm
- Improved production interface for ease of use and custom configurations





The SP9900 gantry design provides a 600x600mm measurement area with the same footprint as previous instruments.

### FASTER MEASUREMENTS, LARGER MEASURABLE AREA

The SP9900 provides extremely fast characterization of large panels and singulated substrates, without sacrificing accuracy or repeatability. This instrument incorporates a host of features to increase its measurement speed, including faster auto-focus and auto-intensity functions, a faster camera, and a faster stage. In addition, a revolutionary fixture-loading mechanism removes the need for a vertical axis, thus eliminating time-consuming motion within the system.

The SP9900 also utilizes a revolutionary gantry stage to deliver an industry-first 600x600-millimeter measurement area, with virtually the same footprint as our previous-generation large-format SP profilers. Taken together, the speed improvements and larger sample support make the SP9900 an ideal platform for demanding in-line process metrology in a host of applications.

### COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS-GENERATION SP SYSTEMS

| Parameter                    | SP3050/3250                   | SP9900                              |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Throughput*                  | 7:26 min                      | 3:50 min                            |
| Max panel size               | 400 x 500mm                   | 600 x 600mm                         |
| System footprint (W x L x H) | 145 x 122 x 229cm             | 114 x 142 x 162cm                   |
| Installation time            | 2 days                        | <1 day                              |
| Enclosure                    | Painted steel                 | Stainless steel                     |
| User interface console       | Integrated on front door      | Mobile station                      |
| Sample/Fixture access        | Good (multiple access points) | Better (ergonomic loading position) |

\*for 5 locations per panel via measurement.

### HIGHEST RESOLUTION, BEST ACCURACY

Utilizing high-resolution imaging and patented Vertical Scanning Interferometry (VSI), the gauge-capable SP9900 system can perform accurate 3D critical dimension measurements, with nanometer resolution. This allows

the SP9900 to operate as both a powerful surface metrology instrument and an easy-to-use defect inspection tool.

The system uses the latest optical measuring head technology with optional internal reference signal to deliver closed-loop feedback for applications requiring the utmost accuracy and repeatability. The patent-pending all-LED illumination design provides superior illumination and uniformity for better results on low-reflectivity panels and other very rough surfaces.

### INDUSTRY-FRIENDLY OPERATION, INCREASED UPTIME

Every feature of the SP9900 has been engineered for production convenience, ease of use, and reliability. The system ships mostly pre-assembled, making installation and setup a matter of hours, not days. All hardware components use industry-standard interfaces such as Ethernet, Firewire, and USB, making maintenance simple and cost-effective. In addition, all control lights utilize LED technology to keep consumables at a minimum and maximize uptime and reliability.

Fast image processing, an operator-friendly interface, and field-proven advanced automation enable production-speed data acquisition with minimal operator-to-operator variability. This intuitive production interface offers faster and easier mouse-click fiducial alignment and configurable user input fields for database customization. In addition to pass/fail information, users can now select detailed parameter results for display on the summary screen. Measurement recipes enable fast setup of production sequences and lot-sampling plans. All these features combine to make this latest generation SP system the best metrology solution available.

## SP9900 SPECIFICATIONS

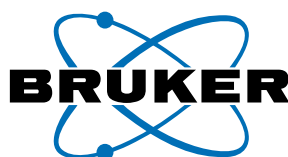
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| Measurement Capability           | Non-contact, three-dimensional, surface, critical dimension, film thickness, tribology   |
| Objectives                       | 1.5X, 2.5X, 5X, 10X, 20X, 50X for magnifications from 0.75X to 100X;<br>Long working distance objectives available;<br>Optional through transmissive media objective   |
| Field of View Multipliers        | 0.55X, 0.75X, 1X, 1.5X, 2X;<br>Auto-sensing motorized selector, discreet zoom  |
| Measurement Array                | Maximum array 640 x 480, high-speed, non-interlaced;<br>Optional large-format camera available   |
| Light Source                     | Long-lifetime green and white LEDs   |
| Stages                           | 600mm X/Y auto stage   |
| Optical Assembly                 | Integrated computer-controlled illuminator   |
| Computer System                  | Bruker-qualified Dell® PC;<br>17 in. flat panel monitor, mounted on Ergotron® mobile workstation   |
| Software                         | Wyko Vision® running under Microsoft® Windows XP® Professional;<br>Production mode, built-in data basing with pass/fail for any parameter;<br>Optional Stitching, MATLAB®/TCPIP, Film Analysis, Optical Analysis<br>and SureVision |
| Vertical Measurement Range       | 0.1nm to 10mm standard   |
| Vertical Resolution <sup>1</sup> | <0.1nm   |
| RMS Repeatability <sup>2</sup>   | 0.01nm   |
| Vertical Scan Speed              | User selectable up to 80µm/sec   |
| Lateral Spatial Sampling         | 0.1 to 13.2µm (≤160nm with large-format camera)  |
| Optical Resolution               | 0.55µm min. (based on Sparrow Criteria at 600nm)   |
| Field-of-View                    | 8.45mm to 0.05mm (10.8mm x 8.1mm max. with large format camera);<br>Optional stitching for larger FOVs   |
| Reflectivity                     | <1 to 100%   |
| Step Height                      | 50.6% accuracy;<br><0.1% at 1s repeatability   |
| Footprint                        | 163cm H x 143cm D x 115cm W (64in. H x 56in. D x 45 in. W)   |

<sup>1</sup> As demonstrated by a PSI measurement with nulled fringes on a SiC reference mirror.

<sup>2</sup> As demonstrated by taking the one sigma Rq value of 30 PSI repeatability measurements on a SiC reference mirror.

Note: Specifications are subject to change without notice. Visit the Bruker website for most up-to-date specifications.

Front cover images: The SP9900 provides critical dimension measurements for a wide variety of large-format applications, including (from top to bottom) bump measurements (revealing solder bridge and missing bump), via on copper pad, and panel traces.



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