Eucentric Five-Axis Table

The E5AT stage is a five-axis positioning tool especially designed to allow tilting samples to ±90 deg while allowing unlimited rotation of the sample and keeping the area of interest at the eucentric position.



The system consists of a small four-axis substage mounted on a tilting platform. The substage offers a range of 10 mm by 10 mm in the X and Y directions and 3 mm in the Z direction. Additionally, the rotational axis allows unlimited rotation of the sample through 360 deg.

The tilting platform is fitted with a positional encoder with a resolution of 0.1 deg.

Applications

- Electron Channel Contrast Imaging (ECCI)
- Electron Backscatter Diffraction (EBSD)
- Tomography
- ... any application that requires eucentric repositioning of samples

Technical specifications

- Dimensions
 - Length 72 mm
- Width 50 mm
- Height 44 mm
- Travel X and Y 10 mm
- Travel Z 3 mm
- Travel R 360 deg (unlimited), with optional Encoder
- Travel T ±90 deg, with Encoder
- Encoder specifications:
 - Absolute accuracy $< 0.4 \text{ deg } (7x10^{-3} \text{ rad})$
- Repeatablity < 0.03 deg (4×10⁻⁴ rad)
- Resolution
- Linear axes < 0.02 nm
- Rotational axes < 7x10⁻⁹ rad
- Speed up to 1 mm/s
- Drift 1.5 nm/min
- Cartesian movement
- Optional: Integrated Microgripper
- No backlash or reversal play
- Coarse and fine displacement in one drive
- Virtually insusceptible to vibrations

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