

# ROTALIGN® Ultra iS The Alignment intelligent System



## We care about your assets

Present in all industries













PRÜFTECHNIK Alignment Systems, the inventor of laser alignment, has many decades experience developing, manufacturing and applying laser-based alignment systems. Our measurement systems are used in alignment applications for rotating machinery within all industries.







## Our precision is your benefit

#### 40 years' experience in making your machines run better



#### Extend machine availability and efficiency

#### **Precision alignment pays**

Rotating machinery is susceptible to misalignment. Machines should be well aligned at the commissioning stage and thereafter regularly maintained. This increases the mean time between failures (MTBF) effectively resulting in high savings in maintenance costs.

Laser precision alignment extends machine availability and protects assets while increasing product quality as vibration is reduced to very low levels.

#### Precision alignment guarantees

- Reduced energy consumption
- Reduction in bearing, seal, shaft and coupling failure
- Reduced bearing and coupling temperatures
- Reduced vibration
- No breaking (or cracking) of shafts
- Secure foundation bolts

#### Advantages of laser shaft alignment

Single laser technology shaft alignment systems from PRÜFTECHNIK take hundreds of readings, with the highest accuracy and simplicity, making it possible to perform measurement in all conditions.

- User-friendly and intuitive
- Accurate and precise
- > Take unlimited readings at any desired position
- Measurement repeatability check through a unique measurement table
- Simultaneous live monitoring of machine corrections in vertical and horizontal directions
- Documentation and professional reports

## ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS – the ideal solution for all requirements





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Achieve your objective with intelliSWEEP™ in three simple steps









3. Display alignment status

#### Live Trend

The monitoring function is used to analyze thermal or process-related machine positional changes during run-up and coast down phases, at the same time recording machine vibration.

#### Vibration Acceptance Check

The vibration check following the alignment ensures that the machine can be operated without restrictions. No additional accessories are required with ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS.



**ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS** – iS stands for 'intelligent System' – is a modular platform for a wide range of applications. ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS is a combination of ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra and the intelligent sensALIGN<sup>™</sup> sensor and laser.

## RFID machine identification

An RFID reader and tag uniquely identify the machine; basic data is read out and written back after the alignment job. Data can be accessed with NFCenabled smartphones.



Up to six couplings can be measured and aligned simultaneously.

#### Live Move

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0.21 mm

0.16 mm

Horizontal

Enter to stop measurement

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Simultaneous live monitoring of machine corrections in vertical and horizontal directions. 'Live Move' can be started with the sensor at any angular position.

#### Bore alignment

Ideal for repair and reconditioning of internal combustion engines, piston compressors and pumps and also for alignment of stern tubes.

Specially suited for alignment of steam and gas turbines and precision measurement of the internal components of turbines, such as bearing rings, diaphragms, inner shells and casings.

#### **Geometric applications**

Accurate measurement of straightness, surface flatness, levelness, parallelism and perpendicularity.



## ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS – the Alignment intelligent System

## Real time measurement quality

Measurement	- IntelliSWEEP	e
Current file name: PLANT 2		
Laser centred	264.70	265.10
-	Call	
SensALION 49800137	Vertical H	orizontal
sensALIGN 49000137 Quality 100% Rotation 1350	-0.174 mm	

301.8

18.30

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55º 134 344.80

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Measuring... Rotate the shaft, press Enter to stop measurement. As shafts are rotated, the attained measurement quality is clearly displayed on the screen – a green or blue sector signifies good measurement data.

1	leasurement Quality	
um	ent file name: PLANT 2	
Qu	ality factors	Mode: IntelliSWEEP 🍥
	Criteria	Current
1	Rotation angle	100% 💩 💼 👘 👘
2	Ellipse standard deviation	98% 💩 💼 💼 👘
3	Environmental vibration	98% 💩 💼 💼 👘
4	Rotation evenness	88% 💩 💼 💼 👘
5	Angle rotation inertia	85% 💊 💼 💼 👘
6	Rotation direction	100% 🗞 💼 💼 👘
2	Rotation speed	98% 💊 💼 💼 👘
8	Filter output	94% 💊 📷 👘 👘 👘
Tot	al	100%

Use Menu button to check screen options.

Quality factors are calculated from the innumerable values recorded while measuring. Users receive detailed information on the quality of the measurement data.

100% Precision – 0% Error





The intelligent intelliSWEEP<sup>TM</sup> HD measure mode actively supports the user by detecting error influences such as coupling play, rotational angle or vibration, and automatically eliminating them.

As shafts rotate, a large number of measurement data is automatically and continuously recorded. This is much more accurate when compared to measurement methods where measurement is taken at three positions only.

"intelliSWEEP™: the new and unique intelligent HD measurement mode that collects and processes hundreds of real measurement points" The user is kept informed of the quality of the measurement and given hints on how to achieve improved measurement data.

#### **Quality factors**

- Rotation angle
- Ellipse standard deviation
- Environment vibration
- Rotation evenness
- Angle rotation inertia
- Rotation direction
- Rotation speed
- Filter output

## sensALIGN<sup>™</sup> on-board intelligence

### Automatically compensates for negative influences

**4 adjustment LEDs** Initial laser adjustment becomes child's play over any distance. Four green LEDs signal that the laser beam is hitting the centre of the detector.

sensALIGN™ handles any kind of misalignment always precise, accurate and repeatable eliminates user error provides top system accuracy

#### At a glance

- ▶ Real time quality by intelliSWEEP™ Always precise, accurate and repeatable
- 7-axis measurement system with High Definition PSD, XXL detector Any amount of misalignment can be casily be realed
- In-built vibration measurement Measure machine vibration before during and after alignment, no need for additional hardware
- Environmental vibration monitoring Accurate shaft alignment under vibration condition
- Precision in-built inclinometer through MEMS Used for backlash detection
- Communication to the sensor through the laser beam sensALIGN™ laser information readily available
- Integrated class 1 Bluetooth<sup>®</sup> Wireless communication without additional accessories

Rechargeable battery with latest LiPo technology and intelligent power management Long runtime without memory effect

sensALIGN <sup>™</sup> laser	2 clamping levers	sensALIGN <sup>™</sup> sensor
Beam active LED	Battery status LED	
Vertical beam position	On/Off push-button switch	
thumb wheel		Bluetooth®
Horizontal beam position thumb wheel		
	Sliding non-removable dust cap	
		4 adjustment LEDs
	AC adapter/charger socket	



## ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS – impressive features

#### Don't miss out on these highlights

#### 7-axis-measurement system with XXL HD PSD

7-axis HD PSD (Ultra-large High Definition Position Sensitive Detector) measurement system provides repeatable precision for any misalignment.



#### Inclinometer using MEMS

Precision built-in inclinometer using MEMS in both laser and sensor for detection of coupling backlash.

#### Built-in vibration measurement

- Check the running machine vibration before and after alignment
- Environmental vibration monitoring
- Recording vibration during 'Live trend' measurement



#### Power management

- Intelligent power management for laser and sensor
- Rechargeable battery with latest LiPo technology
- Long runtime and no memory effect
- Battery interchangeable between sensor and laser
- Laser and sensor can be powered through the computer

#### Communication / data transmission

Communication to the sensor through the laser beam: intelligent laser data streaming e.g. angle and battery status.

Integrated class 1 Bluetooth® wireless communication without additional accessories.



## ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS analysis tools

#### Tools to enhance machine alignment condition

#### Soft foot wizard



#### Soft foot analysis is simplified with a

diagnostic tool.

#### Editable ellipse

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Allows editing of raw measurement data and the analysis of the alignment conditions.



#### Thermal growth calculator



Used to determine the machine expansion parameters mathematically.

#### Move Simulator



Simulates shim values and horizontal movement corrections.

#### Templates (examples)

Current file name: AB	
File name: Refinery Pump	
Name	ř
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Moteur-Pompe 2XX	
SPump Spacer and Motor	
Pump-Motor	
Pump-Motor-with-spacer	
Pump-Motor[default]	19

Open the appropriate assembly from a list with a wide range of different machines ...



	Vertical		Horizontal		Additiona
	a Gap	+ Offset	t Gap	+ Offset	Std. dev.
1	-0.05	-0.01	0.22	0.03	0.008
2	-0.03	-0.01	0.22	0.03	0.007
3	-0.04	-0.01	0.22	0.03	0.007
4	0.03	-0.01	0.15	0.02	
5	-0.05	-0.02	0.23	0.04	0.008

Press Enter to include/exclude measurement from averaging It allows the quality and repeatability of measurements to be determined precisely.

#### Customized tolerances



The user can set customized tolerances for improved evaluation of the alignment conditions.



... or save a machine assembly that is commonly used in your organization.

#### Coupling play





## Alignment Center PC software

#### Document your job the most convenient way

#### ALIGNMENT CENTER

This PC software platform is used for all PRÜFTECHNIK Alignment instruments and applications. It is the perfect solution for preparing, analyzing, organizing and archiving measurement files. All alignment and measurement specifications including thermal growth compensation, alignment presets and tolerances are saved for future use. The files can be transferred from the PC to the instrument and vice versa. The software is also used for professional reporting capabilities.



Organize files in a tree structure with unlimited hierarchy.

#### Set-up

Create user-specific templates to suit the measurement job

Set up file information to include file and user names, company, plant, area and machine train

Prepare file in advance on a PC and transfer to the instrument via the two-way communication

#### Archiving

Create a backup of measurement files

Restore files saved in the backup

Organize files in a tree structure with an unlimited hierarchy

Any type of document can be stored in the tree structure

Comprehensive database search

Ability to import and export data

Management of measurement files and any other file type

#### Analysis and Reporting

Display results in either 2D or 3D graphics depending on the application

Evaluate results using the measurement table

Customise measurement reports to include company information and logo

Simulate measurement results by entering manual values

Optimize alignment by redefining fixed feet

User-defined tolerances

Conversion of dial gauge readings



Graphic display of measurement results.



Number
Numer
Numer
Numer

Customized professional reports (example).



## Quick steps to perfect machine alignment

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## PREPARATION



*Identification of the machine* Use the RFID reader for clear identification of machine to be aligned – all at the press of a button.



**Mounting** Sensor and laser mounted on the shafts using the compact chain type bracket or the magnetic bracket.

## **MEASUREMENT AND ALIGN**



**Measurement** Hundreds of measurement points are collected and transmitted wireless to the computer.



Vibration measurement The good alignment should be confirmed by reduced vibration values.



Updated machine data and alignment status are recorded on the RFID tag.



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**Adjustment of the laser beam** The four adjustment LEDs make centring the laser beam child's play.



**Enter dimensions** The necessary sensor and machine foot dimensions are quickly inputted.

## IMENT





Vertical and horizontal alignment correction Simultaneous live monitoring of machine corrections in vertical and horizontal directions. PERMABLOC® shims in appropriate sizes simplify the process of raising or lowering the machine.

# **CONCLUSION** – the machine runs smoothly again



## Three packages: Lite – Advanced – Expert

#### Lite

High resolution color backlit TFT screen – 145 mm/ 5.7 inch diagonal and backlit alphanumeric keyboard

USB interface for PC and printer

Heavy-duty Li-Ion rechargeable battery

Rigid pre-assembled universal brackets and additional support posts included in a pouch

UniBeam® - patented single laser-sensor technology for quick laser adjustment

Integrated electronic inclinometer

Alignment of horizontal, vertical and flanged-mounted machines

Alignment of coupled / non-coupled and rotatable / non-rotatable machines

Alignment of cardan and spacer shafts (cardan requires a special bracket)

Machine train alignment up to 6 machines

Soft foot measurement and correction

User-defined tolerances

TolChek® - automatic evaluation of alignment condition with 'Smiley' and LEDs

Variety of measurement modes: SWEEP, Static, Multipoint and Dial gauge inputs

InfiniRange® extends detector measurement range to handle gross misalignment

Live monitoring of horizontal and vertical corrections -Live Move

#### Move simulator

Static feet selection to resolve base-bound and bolt-bound problems

Realistic machine graphics which can be designated

Save thousands of measurement files in the device

Save reports as PDFs directly to memory stick

Data protection - auto save and resume capability

In compliance with IP 65 classifications

PC display for presentations/training in customer premises

Platform prepared for other alignment applications like Straightness, Flatness and Bore concentricity measurement ROTALIGN® Ultra iS is based on a three-level system. The basic Lite version is packed with powerful features that include the Move Simulator and user-defined tolerances. This version is easily upgradable to the Advanced version to include the intelligent features and the powerful analysis tools. The system can be extended to the Expert level by adding 'Live Trend' and/or the multiple coupling application.

Expert

'Live Trend' with magnetic or

permanent fixation brackets

Multiple coupling measurement

#### Advanced

Intelligence features

Vibration acceptance check without extra accessories

Live simultaneous Move in both horizontal and vertical directions

Soft foot wizard

Machine train up to 14 machines

Measurement Pass mode

Standard Deviation

Editable ellipse

Thermal growth calculator

Under/over-constrained feet

File/Machine templates

Vector tolerances

History table

**RFID** Machine Identification



Optional: Different mounting brackets for different applications.

# Optional: Move assist





Optional: shims (left) and a lifter unit to lift machine to insert or remove shims.







## Technical data

sensALIGN™ sensor

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CPU and memory	ARM Cortex <sup>™</sup> M3 and 2GB Flash memory
Environmental protection	IP 65 (dustproof and water jet resistant), shockproof
Relative humidity	10% to 90%
Ambient light protection	Optical and active electronic digital compensation
Operating temperature	-10°C to 50°C
Measurement range	Unlimited, dynamically extendible (U.S. Pat. 6,040,903)
Measurement resolution	1 µm
Measurement error	< 1.0%
Vibration measurement	mm/s, RMS, 10 Hz to 1 kHz, 0 mm/s – 5000/f ∙ mm/s² (f in Hertz [1/s])
Inclinometer resolution	0.1°
Inclinometer error	± 0.25% full scale
External interface	Integrated Bluetooth® Class 1 wireless communication, RS232, RS485, I-Data
LED indicators	4 x LED for laser adjustment, 2 LEDs for Bluetooth® communication and battery status
Operating time	12 hours continuous use
Power supply	Lithium Polymer rechargeable battery 3.7 V / 1.6 Ah / 6 Wh.
Dimensions	Approx. 103 x 84 x 60 mm
Weight	Approx. 310 g

#### sensALIGN™ laser

Туре	InGaAlP semiconductor laser
Beam divergence	0.3 mrad
Environmental protection	IP 65 (dustproof and water jet resistant), shockproof
Relative humidity	10% to 90%
Beam power	< 1mW
Wavelength (typical)	635 nm (red, highly visible)
Safety class and precautions	Class 2, IEC 60825-1:2007 Do not stare into laser beam
Operating temperature	-10°C to 50°C
Inclinometer resolution	0.1°
Inclinometer error	± 0.25% full scale
LED indicator	2 LEDs for battery status and laser transmission
Operating time	70 hours continuous use
Power supply	Lithium Polymer rechargeable battery
	3.7 V / 1.6 Ah / 6 Wh.
Dimensions	Approx. 103 x 84 x 60 mm
Weight	Approx. 330 g

CPU	Intel XScale Processor running at 520 MHz
Memory	64 MB RAM, 64 MB Internal Flash, 1024 MB Compact Flash Memory
Display	Type: Transmissive (sunlight-readable) backlit TFT color graphic display
	Resolution: Full VGA, 640 x 480 pixels; Dimensions: 145 mm/ 5.7 inch diagonal
	Keyboard elements: navigation cursor cross with up, clear and menu keys; Alphanumeric keyboard with dimensions, measure and results hard keys
LED indicators	4 LEDs for laser status and alignment condition
	2 LEDs for wireless communication and battery status
Power supply	Operating time: 25 hours (using Li-lon rechargeable battery) 1 hours (using disposable batteries) typical use (based upon an operating cycle of 25% measurement, 25% computation and 50% 'sleep' mode)
	Lithium-Ion rechargeable battery: 7.2 V / 6.0 Ah
	Disposable batteries: 6 x 1.5 V IEC LR14 ("C") [optional]
External	2 x USB host for printer, keyboard or PC communication
interface	1 x USB slave for printer, keyboard or PC communication
	RS232 (serial) for receiver
	I-Data socket for receiver
	Ethernet
	Integrated Bluetooth® wireless communication, Class 1, transmitting power 100mW
	AC adapter/charger socket
Environmental	IP 65 (dustproof and water spray resistant), shockproof
protection	Relative humidity 10% to 90%
Temperature	Operation: 0°C to 45°C [32°F to 113°F]
range	Storage: -20°C to 60°C [-4°F to 140°F]
Dimensions	Approx. 243 x 172 x 61 mm [9 9/16" x 6 3/4" x 2 3/8"]
Weight	1 kg (without battery)
CE conformity	EC guidelines for electric devices (2004/108 EEC) are fulfilled

#### ROTALIGN<sup>®</sup> Ultra iS case



The Alignment intelligent System



## Service and customer support

Come with us to the next level of alignment systems

#### **Quality of service**

The PRÜFTECHNIK high-tech lab is the heart of our development. Sensors, lasers and new systems are developed, tested and produced to the highest quality every day. Because we care about the quality of our products and our customers needs, we have established service centres worldwide to ensure that customers have precision alignment available to them at all times.

#### **Customized product training**

Training and seminars are presented by a professional team and are intended to support professional users with the application of the systems and to familiarise them with alignment applications in depth.

#### **Machinery service**

PRÜFTECHNIK provides a full range of high-end alignment services. Our dedicated machinery service experts assist you in the overhaul of large and complex machinery as well as with large-scale alignment projects such as the construction and installation of new turbines. Our services include shaft alignment, monitoring of positional changes, geometric alignment and turbine alignment.







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