

# 4-Component Dynamometer (RCD)

Type 9170A...

# Rotating – for measuring cutting forces on a rotating tool

Rotating 4-component dynamometer for measuring the forces and torque on a rotating tool during cutting processes. Energy and measured values are transmitted on a non-contact basis, preventing wear.

- · Cutting force measurement on the rotating tool
- 4-component measurement: F<sub>x</sub>, F<sub>y</sub>, F<sub>z</sub> and M<sub>z</sub>
- Up to max. 20 000 min<sup>-1</sup>
- Non-contact data transmission
- Internal cutting fluid supply possible
- Available for conventional machine spindle interfaces
- Tool holder with ER clamps
- · High run-out and balance quality
- Complete measuring system



The complete measuring system comprises a rotor, stator, connecting cable and signal conditioner. The spindle type on the machine tool determines which rotor version is required. The piezoelectric 4-component sensor, four charge amplifiers and the digital transmission electronics are integrated into the rotor. It measures the radial forces  $F_x$  and  $F_y$ , the axial force  $F_z$  and the torque  $M_z$ .

Digitized measuring signals to the stator, the range selection of the charge amplifiers and the power supply are transmitted contactless. The stator is fastened to the machine tool with a gap of a few millimeters.

The signal conditioner is responsible for the power supply, signal transmission and for controlling the system. Three measuring ranges can be selected and the measurement can be started either manually or via a serial interface. The measuring signal is an analog  $\pm 10$  Volt signal. Either the DynoWare software from Kistler, or compatible data acquisition software, can be used to record the data.



# Technical data

Rotor Type 9170Axxx0

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Speed, max.		min <sup>-1</sup>	20 000 <sup>1)</sup>
Measuring range 1, nominal	$F_x$ , $F_y$	N	-5 000 5 000 <sup>2)</sup>
	Fz	N	-20 000 20 000 <sup>2)</sup>
	$M_z$	N⋅m	–150 150 <sup>2)</sup>
Measuring range 2, nominal	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	-2 000 2 000 <sup>2)</sup>
	Fz	N	-5 000 5 000 <sup>2)</sup>
	$M_z$	N⋅m	-50 50 <sup>2)</sup>
Measuring range 3, nominal	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	-500 500 <sup>2)</sup>
	Fz	N	-2 000 2 000 <sup>2)</sup>
	$M_z$	N⋅m	-10 10 <sup>2)</sup>
Sensitivity range 1	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	mV/N	≈2
	Fz	mV/N	≈0,5
	$M_z$	mV/N·m	≈66
Sensitivity range 2	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	mV/N	≈5
	Fz	mV/N	≈2
	$M_z$	mV/N·m	≈200
Sensitivity range 3	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	mV/N	≈20
	Fz	mV/N	≈5
	Mz	mV/N·m	≈1 000
Linearity		%FSO	≤±1,0
Hysteresis		%FSO	≤1,0

Notors with spindle adapter DIN 69871-AD50, MAS 403 BT 50 or ANSI B5.50-50 are limited to 12 000 min<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>2)</sup> Small spindle adapters limit the useable force range of the RCD. The rotors are calibrated in accordance with limit values (see page 4).



# Technical data (continuation)

$F_x < -> F_y$	%FSO	≤±2,0
$F_{x,y} \rightarrow F_z$	%FSO	≤±3,5
$F_z \rightarrow F_{x,y}$	%FSO	≤±1,0
$F_z \rightarrow M_z$	mN·m/N	≤±1
$M_z \rightarrow F_z$	N/N·m	≤±1
f <sub>O, Fx,y</sub>	Hz	≈2 000
f <sub>O,Fz</sub>	Hz	≈7 600
	kHz	3,0
		6 pol.,
		Butterworth
	kHz	22,2
	bit	12
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ure, max.	bar	70
	G	≤2,5
	kg	1,6
	$F_{x,y} \to F_{z}$ $F_{z} \to F_{x,y}$ $F_{z} \to M_{z}$ $M_{z} \to F_{z}$ $f_{0,F_{x},y}$ $f_{0,F_{z}}$ $ge$ $60529)$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> Applies to Type 9170A131 (RCD with HSK-A63 spindle adapter, ER clamp adapter, without tool)

#### Signal conditioner Type 5238Bx

Number of channels		4
Number of range per channel		3
Low-pass (adjustable)		
Cut-off frequency 1	kHz	0,3
Cut-off frequency 2	kHz	1,0
Cut-off frequency 3	kHz	3,0
Low-pass filter Type		6 pol.,
		Butterworth
Signal output FSO	V	±10
Connector signal output		4xBNC neg.
		D-Sub neg.
		15-pol.
Interface (for remote control)		RS-232C
Power supply VAC	V	100 240
Tolerance	%	±10
Mains frequency	Hz	50 60
Operating temperature range	°C	0 60
Degree of protection (IEC 60529)		IP30
Dimensions WxHxI	D mm	248x253x146
Weight (signal conditioner only)	kg	3,4

# **Applications**

A rotating dynamometer is used to measure the three orthogonal forces  $F_x$ ,  $F_y$  and  $F_z$ , as well as the torque  $M_z$  during cutting production processes (milling and drilling, in particular). A rotating dynamometer enables the:

- Recording of the mechanical load during the cutting process
- Wear analysis
- Optimization of cutting parameters
- Calculation of material-specific constants (e.g. the specific cutting force)
- Optimization of tool geometry and coating
- Verification of cutting simulations

The forces and the torque are measured close to the cutting edge of the tool. This allows the active force vector on single-point tools to be measured directly. Due to the newly developed piezoelectric sensor located in the rotor, it is possible to record highly dynamic signals. The higher natural frequency and sampling rate, compared with the predecessor system, allows signals to be monitored during high-speed processes.

# Advantages of a rotating Dynamometer

Employing a rotating dynamometer as a measuring tool offers a number of advantages to the user. For example:

- The torque to be applied during the machining process is measured directly. This permits an accurate assessment of the condition of the tool, such as its state of wear
- The rotor of a rotating dynamometer rotates with the tool and allows the direct quantification of the mechanical load of the tool
- Thanks to the independence of workpiece mass, size and shape, the cutting force and torque can be measured on complex and cost-intensive components, e.g. structural parts of aircraft or Blisks (Blade Integrated Disc)



# Signals of a rotating Dynamometer (RCD)

The Type 9170A... rotating dynamometer is based on a piezoelectric 4-component sensor. The rotor of the measuring system is connected to the machine spindle. This means that the coordinate system of the RCD also rotates around the vertical Z-axis. Due to the rotating coordinate system of the RCD, it is possible to directly assess the mechanical loads of the tool cutting edge.

# Mounting the RCD Type 9170A...

Like a conventional tool, the rotor of a rotating dynamometer is pulled into the machine spindle through the spindle adapter. Mounting the stator onto the machine structure or the stationary part of the machine spindle is up to the user. Reference the Type 9170A... instruction manual for more detailed information.

# Handling the RCD Type 9170A... during operation

To prevent a collision between the stator and the stator holder, we recommend manually inserting the RCD Type 9170A... into the machine spindle.

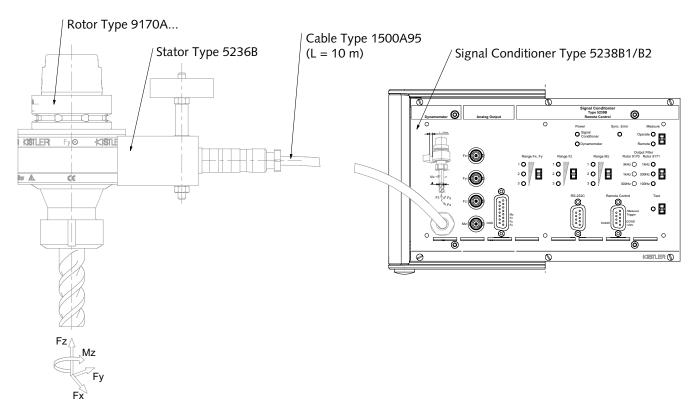


Fig. 1: Scheme of the measuring chain



# Calibration ranges of the different RCD Types

Туре	Machine adapter			Calibration range 1	Calibration range 2	Calibration range 3
9170A111x	HSK-A40	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 000	500	250
		F <sub>z</sub>	N	12 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	80	45	9
9170A121x	HSK-A50	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 500	1 000	250
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A131x HSK-A63	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300	
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
	Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9	
9170A141x	HSK-A80	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	4 500	1 800	450
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A161x	HSK-E40	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 000	500	250
		Fz	N	12 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	15	12	9
9170A171x	HSK-E50	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 500	1 000	250
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
04704404	LICK ECO	M <sub>z</sub>	N·m	35	25	9
9170A181x	HSK-E63	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
04704244	DIN ICO	M <sub>z</sub>	N⋅m	70	45	9
9170A211x	DIN ISO 7388-1 - AD30	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 000	500	250
	(DIN 69871-AD30)	Fz	N N	12 000	4 500	1 800
04704224	DINICO	M <sub>z</sub>	N·m	80	45	9
9170A221x	DIN ISO 7388-1 - AD40	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300
	(DIN 69871-AD40)	F <sub>z</sub>	N·m	18 000	4 500 45	1 800
9170A231x	DIN ISO	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	4 500	1 800	450
3170/1231X	7388-1 - AD50	F <sub>z</sub>	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
	(DIN 69871-AD50)	M <sub>z</sub>	N·m	100	45	9
9170A241x	JIS B 6339-2 JD 30	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 000	500	250
31707.2117	(MAS 403 BT 30)	F <sub>z</sub>	N	12 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	80	45	9
9170A251x	JIS B 6339-2 JD 40	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300
	(MAS 403 BT 40)	Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A261x	JIS B 6339-2 JD 50	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	4 500	1 800	450
	(MAS 403 BT 50)	Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A271x	ANSI / ASME	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 000	500	250
	B5.50-30 (CAT 30)	Fz	N	12 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	80	45	9
9170A281x	ANSI / ASME	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300
	B5.50-40 (CAT 40)	Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A291x	ANSI / ASME	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	4 500	1 800	450
	B5.50-50 (CAT 50)	Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A311x	Capto C5	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	1 500	1 000	250
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9
9170A321x	Capto C6	F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub>	N	3 000	1 500	300
		Fz	N	18 000	4 500	1 800
		Mz	N⋅m	100	45	9

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# Ordering example: 9170A1312

Tested RCD Type 9170A... measuring system consisting of:

- Integrated spindle adapter HSK-A63
- Integrated collet holder ER, size 32 (DIN 6499-B32)
- Stator
- · Connecting cable
- Signal conditioner in desktop case

The individual system components can also be ordered separately:

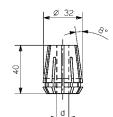
Component	Туре
• Rotor	9170Axx10
• Stator	5236B
<ul> <li>Connecting cable (I = 10 m)</li> </ul>	1500A95
<ul> <li>Signal conditioner for rack installation</li> </ul>	5238B1
<ul> <li>Signal conditioner for desktop case</li> </ul>	5238B2
<ul> <li>Clamping wrench for ER collets</li> </ul>	65007932

# Ordering key

Collets DIN 6499-B32-UP

# Diameter d of tool

- m	
1 2 mm	02
2 3 mm	03
3 4 mm	04
4 5 mm	05
5 6 mm	06
6 7 mm	07
7 8 mm	08
8 9 mm	09
9 10 mm	10
10 11 mm	11
11 12 mm	12
12 13 mm	13
13 14 mm	14
14 15 mm	15
15 16 mm	16
16 17 mm	17
17 18 mm	18
18 19 mm	19
19 20 mm	20



Type 9169A

Collet Type 9169A... Fig. 2:

# Included accessories

· Clamping wrench for ER collets

• Clamping nut Hi-Q/ER32 for ER collet

# Type/Art. No.

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# Optional accessories

• Collets DIN 6499-B32-UP

# Ordering key

Rotating 4-Component Dynamometer (RCD) for Cutting Force

Measurement

(NCD) for Cutting Force			
Measurement	Тур	e 9170A 🔲 🗌	
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Spindle adapter (integrated)		1	
HSK-A40	11		
HSK-A50	12		
HSK-A63	13		
HSK-A80	14		
HSK-E40	16		
HSK-E50	17		
HSK-E63	18		
DIN ISO 7388-1 - AD30			
(DIN 69871-AD30)	21		
DIN ISO 7388-1 - AD40			
(DIN 69871-AD40)	22		
DIN ISO 7388-1 - AD50			
(DIN 69871-AD50)	23		
JIS B 6339-2 JD 30 (MAS 403 BT 30)	24		
JIS B 6339-2 JD 40 (MAS 403 BT 40)	25		
JIS B 6339-2 JD 50 (MAS 403 BT 50)	26		
ANSI / ASME B5.50-30 (CAT 30)	27		
ANSI / ASME B5.50-40 (CAT 40)	28		
ANSI / ASME B5.50-50 (CAT 50)	29		
Capto C5	31		
Capto C6	32		
Other spindle adapters available on reques	t		
·			
Tool holder (integrated)			
Collet holder ER	1		
(DIN 6499 – B32)			
Measuring system			
Rotor only	0		
Complete measuring system with rotor,	1		
stator, connecting cable and signal			
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conditioner (rack mounted unit) Complete measuring system with rotor,

stator, connecting cable and signal conditioner (desktop case)

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