

## 2021 PRODUCT CATALOG

Sectioning Mounting Grinding & Polishing Imaging & Analysis Hardness Testing

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## About **BUEHLER**

Buehler is a division of Illinois Tool Works (ITW) and is based in Lake Bluff, Illinois. ITW is a global, Fortune 200 company and global industrial manufacturer of value added consumables and specialty equipment with related service businesses. Buehler is a premier manufacturer of scientific equipment and supplies for use in materials analysis with offices in nine countries, sales distribution in over 40 countries, and over 45 Expert Solutions Centers.



Julien Noel Vice President & General Manager Buehler Global

#### Dear Valued Customer and Partner,

I am pleased to introduce the 2021 Buehler Product Catalog, the most comprehensive product guide for materials characterization and analysis. We hope you find what you are looking for in these pages and strongly encourage you to reach out to the Buehler sales and applications experts to answer any questions and assist with application testing. They will assure you not only get the right products, but also the right methods that ensure quality and reliability of results.

2020 has reminded all of us of the importance of reliability, trust and stability as we endure an unprecedented pandemic in modern times, impacting everyone around the world personally and professionally. As we adjust to the new normal, I want to thank our loyal and trusted customers, partners, distributors, suppliers and everyone that supports us and that have received our support during these challenging times. Thanks to all of you we have been able to navigate the uncertain conditions and continue to support our customers, and we are in a strong position to continue to support the recovery.

Of course, we could not have done it without the full engagement and excellence of the Buehler team. The effort, flexibility, and selflessness that all global Buehler colleagues have demonstrated in protecting the health and safety of our colleagues while continuing to serve our customers with excellence has been exemplary. I could not be prouder or more honored to be a member of this team. We are first and foremost caring for one another and we are going all out for our customers.

My deepest gratitude to each of our colleagues for their continued hard work, dedication, and perseverance during this unprecedented time.

Buehler is proud to be a division of ITW, a global enterprise who focuses on values and people. Integrity, Respect, Trust, Simplicity, and Shared Risk are firmly anchored in our shared commitment to being a highly diverse and inclusive team. By having a more diverse team and by creating an environment that values the diverse perspectives, backgrounds, and experiences of all our Buehler colleagues, we are a better performing company.

Buehler offers the most comprehensive solutions for metallography and material analysis – including sectioning, mounting, grinding, polishing, imaging and hardness testing. Our products are all designed and manufactured by Buehler to ensure the highest quality and reliability for your lab. After a complete refresh of our product line, with innovating market leading new products launched over the past several years, we are continuing to release additional new technologies moving forward. Buehler's innovations are patent-protected, driven by our customer-back approach to innovation which supports the active development of new products with our customers needs in the center, that satisfy the priorities of any experienced or novice users.

Whether you are operating in a high-volume Quality Control environment or conducting advanced Research & Development, our recognized and proven products will meet your most demanding needs. We are fortunate and proud to count over 40,000 customers – located in 93 different countries around the world that use our equipment, consumables, and services. With our global footprint, partner centers, and multi-sites service and warehouse capabilities, Buehler is best suited to provide unparalleled support and expertise this comes from working with customers across all industries in both research and quality control laboratories to develop the best and most reliable material analysis solutions. Buehler's local teams are focused on making customer satisfaction a priority by building strong partnerships and delivering reliable solutions every time, with a focus on superior customer service, technical knowledge, and product support

Thank you for considering Buehler and please let us know how we can further support your material preparation and hardness testing needs.

Stay well, Julien Noel Vice President & General Manager - Buehler Worldwide

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Buehler was founded in 1936 by Swiss immigrant, Adolph I. Buehler, who saw a need for metallographic sample preparation equipment and optical inspection instruments for the steel and automotive industries in the Midwest USA. Buehler is well established as the world's leading supplier of materials preparation and analysis instruments, equipment, consumable supplies and application solutions.

### SECTIONING

A full range of Abrasive and Precision saws, Blades, and Vises for cutting any material.

### MOUNTING

Automated Compression Mounting Presses, Vacuum Systems and over 20 types of mounting media.

### **GRINDING & POLISHING**

Automated and Manual Grinders and Polishers with the broadest range of consumables for any lab.

### **IMAGING & ANALYSIS**

OmniMet<sup>®</sup> Imaging Software for powerful image analysis combined with flexible database functionality.

### HARDNESS TESTING

Wilson® Hardness Testers including Rockwell®, Knoop/Vickers, Brinell and Universal machines. DiaMet® Software, Hardness Blocks and Accessories.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Customer Care, Expert Lab Solutions, Service, Consumable Shelf Life, 2022 Calendar Submissions.



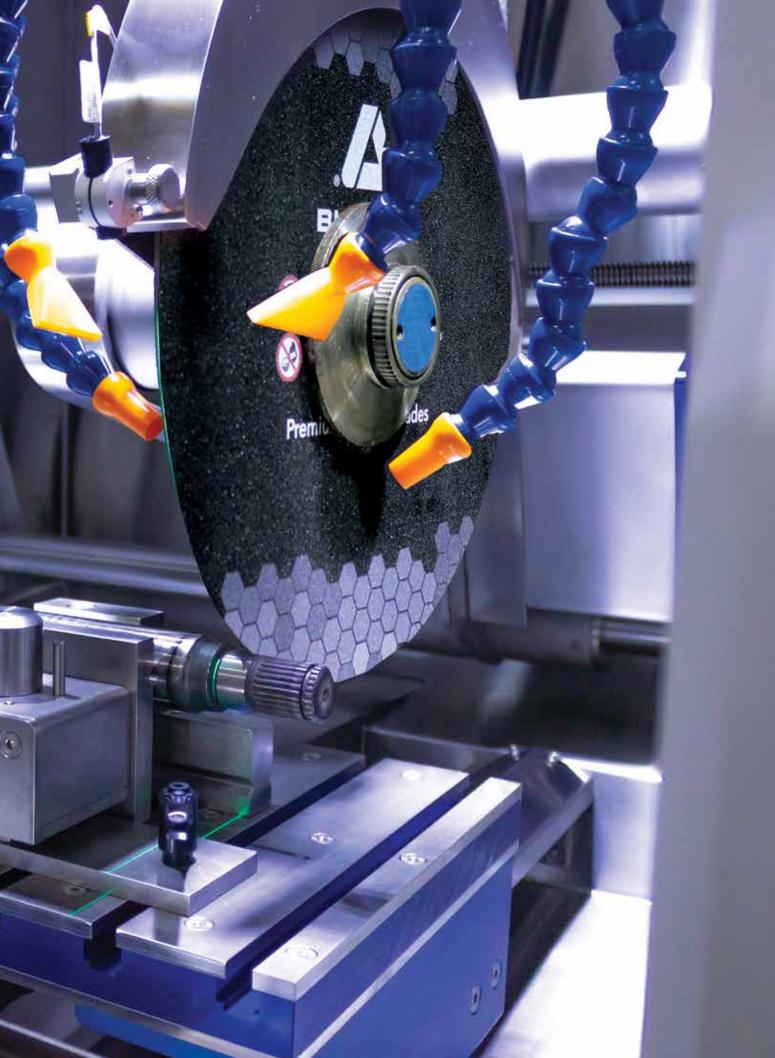


# SECTIONING

A full range of abrasive and precision saws, blades, and vises for cutting any material

Specimen preparation for microstructural examination starts with a quality cut. The proper equipment with firm and stable vising minimizes the depth of deformation on the sample surface. The abrasive and precision saws save time by limiting the number of steps needed to analyze samples after sectioning.





## **Product Comparison**

### Abrasive Cutters

	AbrasiMet <sup>®</sup> M	AbrasiMatic <sup>®</sup> 300	Delta <sup>®</sup> Manual	AbrasiMet <sup>®</sup> XL Pro
Wheel Diameter	10in [254mm] 12in [305mm]	12in [305mm]	14in [356mm]	14in [356mm] 16in [406mm] 18in [457mm]
Motor Power	5.5Hp [4kW]	5.5Hp [4kW]	10.7Hp [8kW]	13.4Hp [10kW]
Cut Types	Chop	Chop, Y-Feed, Pulsing	Chop	Chop, Y-feed, Planar, Pulsing
Manual Movement	Z-axis	X-axis*, Y-axis, Z-axis	Z-axis	X-axis, Y-axis, Z-axis
Automated Movement		Y-axis		X-axis, Y-axis, Z-axis
Vising Table Size	12 x 9.8in [305 x 250mm]	14.4 x 10in [365 x 254mm]	16.25 x 17.13in [413 x 435mm]	19.9 x 11.8in [505 x 300mm]
Maximum Part Size in Chamber	25 x 13 x 4.3in [636 x 330 x 109mm]	16 x 6 x 3.75in [406 x 152 x 95mm]	26 x 24 x 5in [660 x 610 x 127mm]	49 x 24 x 7in [1245 x 610 x 178mm]
Cutting Capacity**	4.3in [109mm]	3.75in [95mm]	5.00in [127mm]	7in [178mm]

\*Optional Items \*\*Maximum cutting capacity assumes largest size blade with smallest flange.

### **Precision Cutters**

	lsoMet <sup>®</sup> Low Speed	lsoMet <sup>*</sup> 1000	lsoMet <sup>®</sup> High Speed	lsoMet <sup>*</sup> High Speed Pro	PetroThin <sup>®</sup> Thin Sectioning System
Maximum Wheel Diameter	5in [127mm]	7in [178mm]	8in [203mm]	8in [203mm]	8in [203mm]
Cut Style	Gravity Fed	Gravity Fed	Y-Feed	Y-Feed	Manual
Sample Movement	X-axis, Z-axis	X-axis, Z-axis			X-axis, Z-axis
Wheel Movement			X-axis, Y-axis	X-axis, Y-axis and Z-axis	
Maximum Cutting Capacity**	1.77in [45mm]	2.5in [64mm]	2.8in [71mm]; 2 x 6.5 x 1in [51 x 165 x 25mm]	2.8in [71mm]; 2 x 6.5 x 1in [51 x 165 x 25mm]	Petrographic Glass Slides: 1.06 x 1.81in [27x46mm] or 3 x 1in [76.2 x 25.4mm]

\*\*Maximum cutting capacity assumes largest size blade with smallest flange.

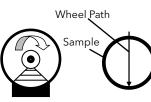
## Cutting Style and Wheel Path

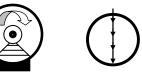
### Chop Cutting

The traditional form of machine operation. Wheel contact arc is governed by sample depth. Can sometimes have limited ability with large/difficult parts.

### Chop Cutting with Pulsing

Wheel contact still governed by sample depth. The pulsing action pauses the feed rate in short intervals enabling coolant to wash away swarf and dissipate heat, resulting in a better surface quality.





### Y-Feed Cut

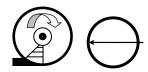
The abrasive wheel is stationary and the cutting table moves forward completing a one time cut into the sample. Wheel contact arc is governed by sample height.

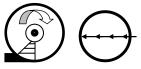
### Y-Feed Cut with Pulsing

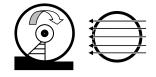
Wheel Contact arc is still governed by sample height. The pulsing action pauses the feed rate in short intervals enabling coolant to wash away swarf and dissipate heat, resulting in a better surface quality.

#### Planar Cut

In Planar mode, a Y-feed cut is completed in successive vertical steps. Wheel contact arc is governed by the height of each step rather than the height of the sample.









## Simple Setup for Efficient Cuts

The AbrasiMet M is an easy to use, manual, tabletop cutter that provides excellent cutting results.



The AbrasiMet M is a benchtop manual cutting machine for 10in [254mm] and 12in [305mm] blades that provides consistent sectioning results.

### Easy to Cut and Maintain

- No tools required to change blades
- Adjustable cutting arm to maximize ergonomics
- Recirculation tank with filter minimizes the frequency and time required to clean

### Durable Machine with Versatile Performance

- Powerful motor cuts through materials with ease
- Dual blade feature performs two cuts in a single cycle

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
10-10107-200	200 - 240VAC, 50-60Hz
10-10107-400	380 - 460VAC, 50-60Hz
10-10107-200C	CSA 200-240VAC, 50-60Hz



 Dimensions:
 31.1in [791mm] W x 27.3in [694mm] Dx
 36.2in [979mm] H open

 Weight:
 309 lb [140 kg]
 25.7in [653mm] H closed

### Recirculation Tank (Required)

The advanced Recirculation tank features a nested tank design with a filter screen that makes regular debris removal fast and simple, extending the time in between emptying the reservoir. The standard recirculation tank does not feature the filtering option, but comes at a more economical price. All tanks are 30 gal[113L]. See also on page 9.

10-2166-200 Advanced Recirculation Tank 200-240VAC, 50/60Hz 10-2166-400 Advanced Recirculation Tank 380-460VAC, 50/60Hz

- 10-2166-205 Standard Recirculation Tank 200-240VAC, 50/60Hz
- 10-2166-405 Standard Recirculation Tank 380-460VAC, 50/60Hz









## Highly Reproducible Results

Our line of abrasive cutters are built for high volume environments. Our cutters combine speed and advanced features without compromising cut quality.

### AbrasiMatic<sup>®</sup> 300

The AbrasiMatic 300 is a benchtop cutting machine for 12in [305mm] blades that provides both manual and automatic cutting capabilities. These capabilities provide versatility in sectioning to suit a wide variety of needs. All configurations come with movement in the Y and Z directions, but X movement is an additional option.

#### Y and Z axis cutting only

Part Number	Voltage
10-2190-260	200-240VAC, 60Hz
10-2190-460	440-480VAC, 60Hz
10-2190-250	200-240VAC, 50Hz
10-2190-400	380-400VAC, 50Hz

#### Additional X Axis cutting

Part Number	Voltage
10-2193-260	200-240VAC, 60Hz
10-2193-460	440-480VAC, 60Hz
10-2193-250	200-240VAC, 50Hz
10-2193-400	380-400VAC, 50Hz



Dimensions: 34in [864mm] x 27in [686mm] x 41in [1041mm] *open* 24in [610mm] *closed* Weight: 350lb [165kg]

## Delta<sup>®</sup> Manual

The Delta Manual is a floor standing manual abrasive cutter for 14in [356mm] blades. This cutter's high powered motor, large chamber and versatile vising options enable simple, quick and easy positioning of samples for sectioning.

Part Number	Voltage
10-2213EB-260	200-240VAC, 60Hz
10-2213EB-460	440-480VAC, 60Hz
10-2213EB-400	380-415VAC, 50Hz

\*Recircualtion tank is included





Dimensions: 33in [838mm]W x 48in [1212mm]D x 81.5in [2070mm]H open 64in [1626mm]H closed

Weight: 800lb [365kg]





## **Robust Machine with Intuitive Features**

The durable design and intuitive features of the AbrasiMet XL Pro make it the ideal machine for high volume environments that require the highest levels of cut quality, flexibility and consistency.

## AbrasiMet<sup>®</sup> XL Pro

The AbrasiMet® XL Pro is a floor standing automatic abrasive cutting machine for 14in [356mm] to 18in [457mm] blades that provides consistent and repeatable cut quality for large samples.

### Intuitive and Quick to Operate

- Quickly set up for a cut by positioning the blade and table with the joystick and laser alignment
- Save cutting methods to ensure repeatability and consistency
- Filtration recirculation tank with vibration motor continuously filters and compacts the coolant to minimize cleaning frequency and time.

### Powerful Machine for Demanding Environments

- Ideal for heavy duty, repetitive use in the toughest environments
- Efficiently and quickly cut through hard and difficult materials with the powerful 13.4hp [10kW] motor
- Choose between multiple cutting modes like Chop, Y-feed, Planar, and Manual to section parts
- Use Buehler's exclusive feature Variable SmartCut to maximize speed and cut quality

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
10-2320-400	380-480VAC, 50/60Hz

See page 8 for vise with 12mm T-nuts



Dimensions: 54in [1372mm] W x 50.7in [1288mm] D x 75in [1905mm] H Weight: 1750 lb [800 kg]



### Mist Extractor

It is highly recommended to use the mist extractor listed below or connect the machine to a facility exhaust system

10-2343-400 Mist Extractor









## Single Piece Sliding Vises

### **Speed Clamping Vise**



Size: Medium Part Numbers: Left: 10-3544 Right: 10-3545 Max Opening: 2.75" [70mm] Clamping Plate: 3.2" x 1.4" [80 x 35mm] T-Nuts: 12mm or 14mm

#### Size: Large

Part Numbers: Left: 10-3546 Right: 10-3547 Max Opening: 7.3" [185mm] Clamping Plate: 3.1" x 3.5" [78 x 89mm] T-Nuts: 12mm or 14mm

## Two Piece Sliding Vises

### **Sliding Vise Kit**



Size: Medium Part Numbers: Left: 10-3540 Right: 10-3541 Clamping Plate: 2.36"x 3" [60x76 mm] T-Nuts: 12mm\*

Size: Large Part Numbers: Left: 10-3542 Right: 10-3543 Clamping Plate: 2.95" x 4.23" [74 x 107mm] T-Nuts: 12mm\* \*14mm conversion kits are available

Medium: 10-3548

Large: 10-3549

### Vertical Clamping Vises

### Vertical Clamping Kit



### Size: Small

Part Numbers: 10-3531 Clamping Height: 2.3" [58mm] Reach: 2.1" [54mm] T-Nuts: 12mm

#### Size: Large

Part Numbers: 10-3523 Clamping Height: 4" [102mm] Reach: 2.4" [61mm] + 3.5" [90mm] with extension (included) T-Nuts: 12mm and 14mm

### MetKlamp VIII S



### MetKlamp VIII



Part Numbers: Left: 95-C1821S Right: 95-C1822S Max Opening: 2.08" [53mm] Clamping Plate: 1.75" x 2.25" [45 x 58mm] T-Nuts: 12mm

Part Numbers: Left: 95-C1821 Right: 95-C1822 Max Opening: 3.125" [80mm] Clamping Plate: 1.75" x 2.25" [45 x 58mm] T-Nuts: 12mm

### **Specialty Vises**

### **Chain Clamping Kit**



### large or irregularly shaped samples **Part Number:** 46-0030

Application: For clamping very

### **Fastener Vise**

**Riser Blocks** 

Small: 10-3532; 2.4" [60mm]

Large: 10-3528; 2.9" [74mm]

Vee Block Clamp Kit

T-Nuts: 12mm and 14mm

Part Number: 10-3527



**Application:** For longitudinal sectioning of fasteners. Must be held with either Single Piece (recommended) or Two Piece Left Hand Sliding Vice.

Max Opening: 1.6" [40.6mm] Part Number: 95-C1702

> Horizontal Clamp T-Nuts: 12mm and 14mm Part Number: 10-3526



Adjustable Vee Blocks T-Nuts: 12mm and 14mm Part Number: 10-3525



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## **Recirculating Systems for Abrasive Sectioning**

### For AbrasiMet<sup>®</sup> M



#### Advanced **Recirculating System** 19 gal [70L]

24.5 W x 16.5 D x 24.5in H 620 W x 420 D x 620mm H 10-2167-200 [200-240VAC, 50/60Hz] 10-2167-400 [380-460VAC, 50/60Hz]

### For AbrasiMatic<sup>®</sup> 300



### **Recirculating System** 22 gal [90L]

26.5 W x 18.25 D x 26.5in H 674 W x 464 D x 674mm H (22.5in [572mm]H w/o wheels) 10-2332-260 [200-240VAC, 60Hz] 10-2332-460 [440-480VAC, 60Hz] 10-2332-250 [200-240VAC, 50Hz] 10-2332-400 [380-400VAC, 50Hz]

10-2431-400

### Part Numbers Description

42 gal [160L] with sloped filter for AbrasiMatic 300 and Delta 30 W x 25.5 D x 24in H 762 W x 648 D x 610mm H

## Additional Abrasive Accessories



### Cool 3 Fluid

Water miscible fluid concentrate recommended for abrasive cutting. Dilute coolant to 1:25 to 2:25, with water.

10-6001 33.8oz [1L] 10-6004 1gal [4L] 10-6010 2.6gal [10L]



### Base Cabinet

For AbrasiMet M and AbrasiMatic 300 36 W x 30 D x 36in H [910 W x 760 D x 910mm H]

80-10001







### Abrasive Blades

Buehler's Abrasive Blades are designed to provide high quality sectioning results with no burning and minimal surface deformation. This can reduce the amount of grinding & polishing required later in the preparation process.

### Efficient Cutting with Extended Life

An abrasive blade wears down during cutting to expose new abrasive particles and maintain efficient cutting. However, too fast of a wear rate leads to shortened blade life. Buehler's blades have been designed to balance this wear rate to maintain efficient cutting while extending blade life.

### Resin Bond vs Rubber Bond

Buehler's line of abrasive blades includes both rubber bonded and resin bonded blades. While both provide high quality cutting, there are some differences between them. Rubber bonded blades may be thinner for some applications, but emit a burnt rubber odor while cutting. Resin bonded blades offer similar performance with a reduced odor.

### Abrasive Blades Selection, 1.25in [32mm] Arbor (Qty 10)

[Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number] Rubber Bond = Resin Bond = SiC Cutting Particle =  $Al_2O_3$  Cutting Particle =

Recommended Use	10in [254mm] Chop/Linear	12in [305mm] Chop/Linear	14in [356mm] Chop/Linear	16in [406mm] Chop/Linear
Superalloys, General Steel, Non-Ferrous	12-4205-010 0.051in [1.3mm]	12-4405-010 0.055in [1.4mm] 10-31205-010 0.08in [2mm]	12-4305-010 0.063in [1.6mm]	10-31605-010 0.125in [3mm]
	10-4210-010 0.083in [2.1mm]	12-4110-010 0.09in [2.3mm]	10-4310-010 0.075in [1.9mm]	
Ferrous materials >HRC60	102509P 0.06in [1.5mm]	103009P 0.08in [2mm] 10-31218-010 0.08in [2mm]	103509P 0.098in [2.5mm]	10-31610-010 0.125in [3mm]
Ferrous materials	10-4212-010 0.083in [2.1mm]	10-4412-010 0.105in [2.7mm]	10-4312-010 0.09in [2.3mm]	10-31612-010
HRC50-60	10-31014-010 0.06in [1.5mm]	10-31212-010 0.08in [2mm]	103509P 0.098in [2.5mm]	0.125in [3mm]
	10-4216-010 0.083in [2.1mm]	12-4116-010 0.105in [2.7mm]	12-4305-010 0.063in [1.6mm]	
Ferrous materials HRC35-50	102510P 0.06in [1.5mm]	103010P 0.083in [2.1mm]]	103510P 0.098in [2.5mm]	10-31616-010 0.125in [3mm]
	10-31014-010 0.06in [1.5mm]	10-31218-010 0.08in [2mm]		_
Ferrous materials	10-4220-010 0.067in [1.7mm]	12-4120-010 0.105in [2.7mm]	12-4305-010 0.063in [1.6mm]	
HRC15-35	102511P 0.06in [1.5mm]	103011P 0.079in [2mm]	103511P 0.098in [2.5mm]	
High Speed Steel, Stainless Steel, Carburized Steel	102508P 0.063in [1.6mm]	103008P 0.079in [2mm]	103508P 0.102in [2.6mm]	
Delicate Cutting	10-4227-010 0.032in [0.8mm]			
Titanium Alloys,	10-4245-010 0.063in [1.6mm]	12-4145-010 0.087in [2.2mm]	10-4345-010 0.063in [1.6mm]	
Zirconium Alloys, Ductile Materials	102507P 0.06in [1.5mm]	103007P 0.079in [2mm]	103507P 0.098in [2.5mm]	
Non-Ferrous Materials (Aluminum, Copper, Brass),	10-4250-010 0.063 in [1.6mm]	103012P 0.079in [2mm]	10-4350-010 0.087in [2.2mm]	10-31650-010 0.125in [3mm]
Very Soft Ferrous Materials	102512P 0.06in [1.5mm]	0.07 910 [21010]	103512P 0.098in [2.5mm]	0.12311[31111]

### AcuThin<sup>™</sup> Blades (Qty 10)



For certain applications, it is important to minimize the amount of damage done to the sample during sectioning. The AcuThin series offers thin blades that have been developed to minimize the area of cutting thus reducing the amount of damage to the sample. These blades utilize a rubber bond and allow for precise, delicate abrasive sectioning with minimal surface damage. [Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number]

Recommended Use	9in [230mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm] Chop	14in [356mm] Chop
General Use <hrc45< td=""><td>102301</td><td>102501</td><td>10-4360-010</td><td>10-3501</td></hrc45<>	102301	102501	10-4360-010	10-3501
	0.032in [0.8mm]	0.04in [1mm]	0.032in [0.8mm]	0.063in [1.6mm]
Ferrous Materials >HRC45	10-4161-010	10-4261-010	10-4361-010	103502
	0.025in [0.635mm]	0.025in [0.635mm]	0.025in [0.635mm]	0.105in [2.7mm]

### Abrasive Blades Selection, 1.25in [32mm] Arbor (Qty 10)

[Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number] Rubber Bond = Resin Bond = SiC Cutting Particle Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Cutting Particle **A**l<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Cutting Particle

Recommended Use	12in [305mm]	14in [356mm]	16in [406mm]	18in [457mm]
	Orbital	Orbital	Orbital	Orbital
Superalloys, General Steel,	12-4405-010	12-4305-010	12-5605-010	12-5805-010
Non-Ferrous	0.055in [1.4mm]	0.063in [1.6mm]	0.075in [1.9mm]	0.1in [2.5mm]
Ferrous materials	12-4410-010	12-4310-010	<b>12-5610-010</b>	12-5810-010
>HRC60	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.125in [3mm]	0.153in [3.8mm]
Ferrous materials	12-4410-010	12-4310-010	12-5612-010	12-5816-010
HRC50-60	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.125in [3mm]	0.153in [3.8mm]
Ferrous materials	12-4416-010	12-4316-010	<b>12-5616-010</b>	12-5816-010
HRC35-50	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.125in [3mm]	0.153in [3.8mm]
Ferrous materials	12-4420-010	12-4320-010	<b>12-5616-010</b>	12-5816-010
HRC15-35	0.105in [2.7mm]	0.087in [2.2mm]	0.125in [3mm]	0.153in [3.8mm]
Titanium Alloys, Zirconium Alloys, Ductile Materials			12-5645-010 0.075in [1.9mm]	

## Diamond & CBN Blades for Abrasive Cutters

[Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number] 1.25in [32mm] Arbor (Qty 1)



Recommended Use	Blade Type	10in [250mm]	12in [300mm]	14in [350mm]
General Use	Diamond	114610E 0.051in [1.3mm]		
Hard Materials	Diamond	114810E 0.047in [1.2mm]	103056 0.055in [1.4mm]	114814E 0.059in [1.5mm]
Ceramic and Petrographic samples	Diamond	114710E 0.047in [1.2mm]	103053 0.087in [2.2mm]	114714E 0.059in [1.5mm]
Plastics and Polymers	Diamond	102557 0.049in [1.25mm]		
General use, hardened steel, HRC55 and Up	CBN			103551 0.079in [2mm]





## Excellent Cut Quality for Delicate Samples

Sectioning tools capable of cutting virtually any material including metals, composites, cements, laminates, plastics, electronic devices and biomaterials.

## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> High Speed

The IsoMet High Speed and IsoMet High Speed Pro are benchtop precision cutters. These machines enable variety in sample preparation to best fit each sample process with automatic cutting capabilities. Quick sample placement or adjustments are achieved in seconds with the rapid rail and tool-less vising system. Sample capacity is 2.8in [71mm] diameter with blade speeds of 200-5000 RPM.

### Automatic Dressing System

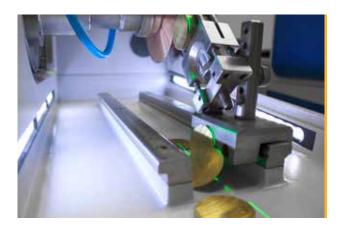
• Maintain consistent cut quality between and during cutting with the automatic dressing system.

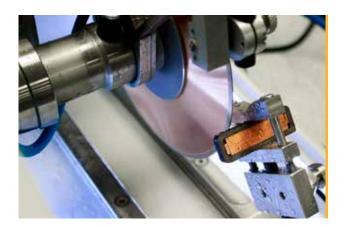
### Rapid Alignment Laser

• Minimize setup time by rapid visual alignment with the IsoMet High Speed Laser.

### Precise Cut Alignment [Z-Axis]

• Align precise cuts quickly by using the 3 axis variable movement of the blade.







Dimensions: 24in [609.6mm]W x 30in [762mm]D x	36in [914.4mm]H open
	19in [482.6mm]H closed
Weight: 157lbs [71kg]	

Model	Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
IsoMet <sup>®</sup> High Speed Pro	11-2700	100 - 240VAC, 50-60Hz
lsoMet® High Speed	11-2600	100 - 240VAC, 50-60Hz



## **Precision Cutter Accessories**



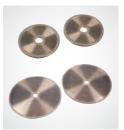
## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> High Speed Cutter Accessories

Single Saddle Chuck	Double Saddle Chuck	Mount Chuck	Fastener Chuck
Large Single Saddle Chuck holds specimens up to 1.5in [38mm] from 2 point	Securely holds specimens up to 1.5in [38mm] from 2 points	Stainless steel chuck holds mounted samples	Holds specimens from 0.04in [1mm] to 2in [50mm] for longitudinal sectioning
11-2661	11-2662	11-2666 1.25in [30mm] 11-2667 1.5in [40mm]	11-2687
Large Bone Chuck	T-Slot Bed	Sliding Vise	Rapid Rail Post
Ideal for clamping bone, plastics, or other semi-rigid specimens up to 2in [50mm] in diameter	Additional T-slot for positioning vises	6in [152mm] maximum opening, use requires flange to be 2in [50mm] or less, requires T-slot bed	Use with Rapid Rail
11-2494	11-2707	11-2669	11-2660
Small Vertical Clamp	Irregular Specimen Chuck	Recirculating System 7gal [2	7L]
Clamps specimens up to 58mm in height	Adjusts to hold irregular shaped specimens up to 1in [25mm] in diameter	Increases cutting fluid capacity to 7 [27L] at 1.25gal/min [4.7L/min] 16in [406mm]W x 20in [508mm]D x [381mm]H	-
460022	11-1185	11-2640	

### IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Precision Cutter Flanges

	Aluminum Flange Set		
00	11-1191 11-2679	1.38in [35mm] 1.75in [44mm] 2.5in [64mm]	
$\bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc$	11-2282 11-2283 11-2284	3in [76mm] 4in [102mm] 5in [127mm]	

11-1192	1.38in [35mm]
11-1191	1.75in [44mm]
11-2679	2.5in [64mm]
11-2282	3in [76mm]
11-2283	4in [102mm]
11-2284	5in [127mm]



### Stainless Steel Flange Set

11-2688\* 3in [76mm] 11-2689\* 4in [102mm] \*Recommended for the IsoMet High Speed





## Precision with Flexibility

The IsoMet product family is capable of cutting with precision via a gravity fed or automatic movement. The IsoMet family provides great versatility in holding all types of sample shapes and configurations.

## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> 1000

The IsoMet 1000 is a precision sectioning saw designed for cutting various types of materials with minimal deformation. Targeted for delicate parts by only using gravity fed force.

\*6in diamond blade, 3in flanges, single saddle chuck and mount chuck included

Part Number	Voltage
11-2180	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz



Dimensions: 15.5in [394mm]W x 20.25in [514mm]D x 24.5in [622mm]H open 12in [305mm]H closed Weight: 56lbs [25kg]

## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Low Speed

The IsoMet Low Speed is a precision sectioning saw designed for cutting various types of materials with minimal deformation. Targeted for delicate parts by only using gravity fed force. Includes 4in IsoMet Blade, assorted weights, dressing stick, flanges and the following chucks: single saddle, irregular specimen and wafer

Part Number	Voltage	Units
11-1280-160	115VAC, 50/60Hz	Inches
11-1280-170	115VAC, 50/60Hz	Millimeters
11-1280-250	230VAC, 50/60Hz	Millimeters



Dimensions: 10.5in [267mm]W x 12in [305mm]D x 25.5in [571mm]H Weight: 25lbs [11.3kg]



### For the best performance from your Precision Cutter System:

- Always tightly clamp your sample
- Use double saddle chucks for long parts such as rods
- Do not hand dress blades
- Mount spheres, unusual shapes and friable materials
- Use the largest flange for your blade and specimen
- Soft, gummy materials can build up on the blade during the cut and may require dressing while sectioning these materials.

## **Precision Cutter Accessories**



## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Low Speed Cutter Accessories



Positions specimen along 3 axis





Enables blade dressing without removing the sample fixture

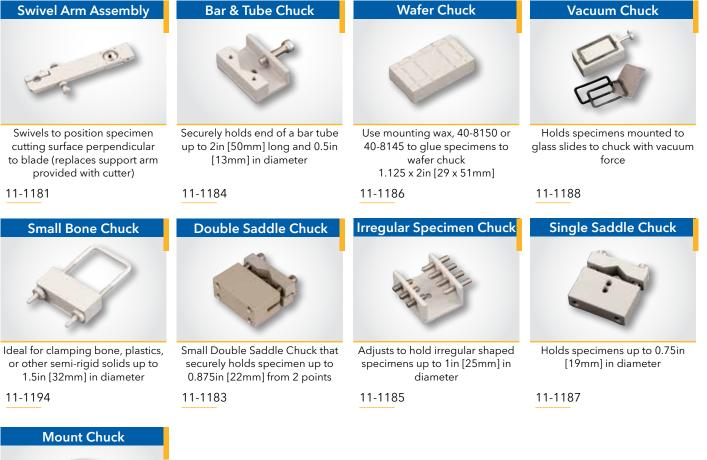
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Prevents lubricant from splashing out of saw

11-1199

## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Low Speed Cutter & 1000 Accessories





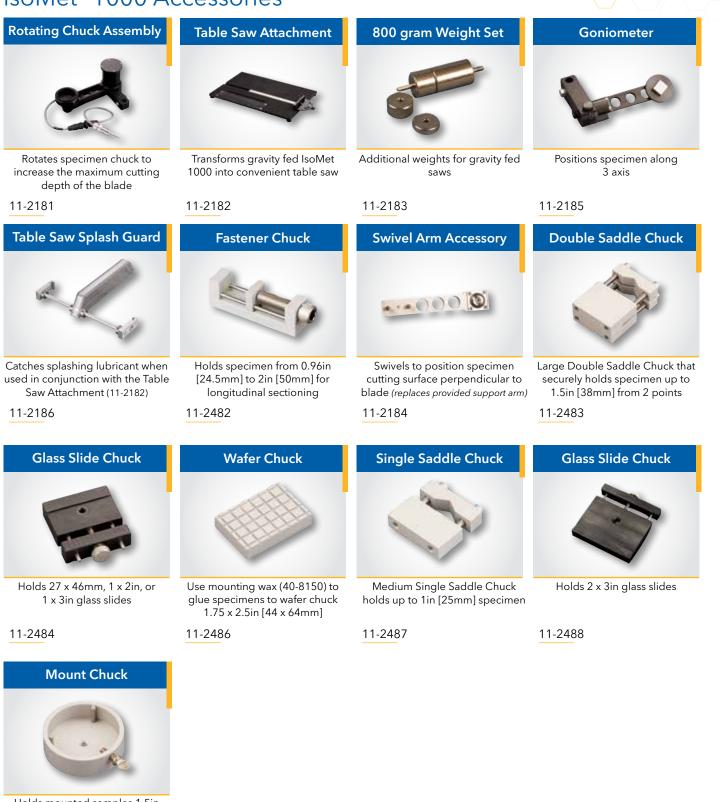
Aluminum chuck holds mounted samples 1-1.25in [25-32mm]

11-1189



## Precision Cutter Accessories

## IsoMet<sup>®</sup> 1000 Accessories



Holds mounted samples 1.5in [40mm]

11-2489

## **Precision Cutter Consumables**





## Precision Sectioning Blades for IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Cutters, 0.5in [12.7mm] Arbor (Qty 1)

[Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number]

Recommended Use	3in [76mm]	4in [102mm]	5in [127mm]	6in [152mm]
Use with Saws	All	All	All	1000 IsoMet High Speed
IsoMet 30HC - Polymers Rubber, Soft Gummy Materials			11-4239 0.030in [0.76mm]	
<b>IsoMet 20HC</b> - Agressive general sectioning of ferrous and non-ferrous materials			11-4215 0.020in [0.5mm]	
<b>IsoMet 15HC</b> - Blades for routine use, metal matrix composites, PC boards, bone, titanium, thermal spray coatings	11-4243 0.006in [0.15mm]	11-4244 0.012in [0.3mm]	11-4245 0.015in [0.4mm]	11-4246 0.02in [0.5mm]
IsoMet 20LC - Hard tough materials, structural ceramics, boron nitride, silicon nitride			11-4225 0.02in [0.5mm]	
<b>IsoMet 15LC</b> - Hard and brittle materials, structural ceramics, glass, electronic substrates, alumina, zirconia, concrete	11-4253 0.006in [0.15mm]	11-4254 0.012in [0.3mm]	11-4255 0.015in [0.4mm]	11-4276 0.02in [0.5mm]
IsoMet 10LC - Medium to Soft Ceramics, Glass Fiber Reinforced Composites	11-4283 0.006in [0.15mm]		11-4285 0.015in [0.4mm]	
<b>IsoMet 5LC</b> - Soft, Friable Ceramics, Composites with Fine Reinforcing, CaF <sub>2</sub> , MgF <sub>2</sub> , Carbon Composites	11-4293 0.006in [0.15mm]		11-4295 0.015in [0.4mm]	
IsoCut CBN - Ferrous materials, nickel, cobalt, lead-based alloys and super alloys	11-4263 0.006in [0.15mm]	11-5264 0.012in [0.3mm]	11-5265 0.015in [0.4mm]	11-5266 0.02in [0.5mm]
Cup Grinder for Ceramic & Geological Materials			11-2740	
* All Blades (Except 30HC) come with a Dressing Stick included. The Part Nur	mbers shown in the tab	le can be used for re-c	ordering the Dressing	Sticks.

Recommended Use	7in [178mm]	8in [203mm]	Dressing Stick*
Use with Saws	1000 IsoMet High Speed	lsoMet High Speed Pro only	
IsoMet 30HC - Polymers Rubber, Soft Gummy Materials	11-4241	11-4242	Blade should not
	0.03in [0.76mm]	0.035in [0.9mm],	be dressed
IsoMet 20HC - Agressive general sectioning of ferrous	11-4237	11-4238	11-1190
and non-ferrous materials	0.025in [0.6mm]	0.035in [0.9mm]	11-2490
IsoMet 15HC - Blades for routine use, metal matrix composites, PC boards, bone, titanium, thermal spray coatings	11-4247	11-4248	11-1190
	0.025in [0.6mm]	0.035in [0.9mm]	11-2490
IsoMet 20LC - Hard tough materials, structural ceramics, boron nitride, silicon nitride	11-4227	11-4228	11-1190
	0.025in [0.6mm]	0.035in [0.9mm]	11-2490
<b>IsoMet 15LC</b> - Hard Brittle Materials, Glass, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , ZrO <sub>3</sub> , Concrete	11-4277	11-4279	11-1190
	0.025in [0.6mm]	0.045in [1.1mm]	11-2490
IsoMet 10LC - Medium to Soft Ceramics, Glass Fiber	11-4287	11-4288	11-1290
Reinforced Composites	0.02in [0.5mm]	0.045in [1.1mm]	
<b>IsoMet 5LC</b> - Soft, Friable Ceramics, Composites with Fine Reinforcing, CaF <sub>2</sub> , MgF <sub>2</sub> , Carbon Composites			11-1290
<b>IsoCut CBN</b> - Ferrous materials, nickel, cobalt, lead-based alloys and super alloys	11-5267	11-5268	11-1190
	0.025in [0.6mm]	0.035in [0.9mm]	11-2490
* All Blades (Except 30HC) come with a Dressing Stick included. The Part Numbers shown in th	e table can be used for	re-ordering the Dressi	ing Sticks.





## **Precision Cutter Consumables**



### AcuThin<sup>™</sup> Abrasive Blades for IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Precision Cutters, 0.5in [12.7mm] Arbor (Qty 10)

[Blade Thickness is listed under Part Number]

Recommended Use	5in [127mm]	7in [178mm]	150mm	200mm
Tool Steel, hard steel, HRC45 & Up	10-4060-010 0.019in [0.48mm]			
Medium hard, soft steel, HRC45 & Below	10-4061-010 0.019in [0.48mm]			
Steel, Stainless Steel		11-4207-010 0.030in [0.76mm]		
Hard, soft non-ferrous materials		11-4217-010 0.030in [0.76mm]		
Tough materials and general use			1015998E 1mm	1020998E* 1.5mm
*IsoMet High Speed Pro Only				

## Additional Precision Cutting Consumables



for 10LC and 5LC precision blades



## Excellent cut quality for delicate samples

Buehler offers a complete solution for preparation of thin sections, bulk mounts, or as a powder such as mineral tailings. Each preparation method is dependent on the type of material and the examination method, and starts with proper sample sectioning and mounting.

## PetroThin<sup>®</sup>

The PetroThin Thin Sectioning System is a precise, easy-touse instrument for re-sectioning and thinning a wide variety of samples, such as rocks and minerals, ceramics, concrete, bone, and teeth for performing materials characterization.

### Precise Cut Location Control

- Two precision micrometers are used for controlling re-sectioning and thinning
- $\bullet$  Precision of resections and grinds material within  $\pm 5 \mu m$

## Increase Accuracy and Parallelism of Samples

- To avoid the need to remove the glass slide between steps with a diamond cutting blade and a diamond grinding cup wheel
- Single spindle design ensures parallelism of sample by eliminating the need to remove the glass slide between steps

\*8in diamond blade and an 8in diamond grinding cup included



**Dimensions**: 23.5in [597mm] x 19in [483mm] x 16in [406mm] **Weight:** 94lbs [43kg]

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
38-1450-160	115VAC, 60Hz
38-1450-250	220VAC, 50Hz

PetroVue

specimen.

30-8050-220

Thin Section Viewer

Polarized light allows monitoring

220VAC, 50/60Hz

of thickness & uniformity of the





### PetroBond™

Thin section bonding fixture assists in bonding specimens to glass slides, accurately controlling the thickness of the bonding media. Applies continuous pressure until sample has completely cured. Controls adhesive thickness by evenly distributing adhesive. Can hold up to 12 slides.

38-1490

### PetroThin Consumables



Part Number	Description
11-4278	Continuous Rim Diamond Blade, 8 x 0.045 x 1in [203 x 1 x 25mm]
40-4508	Diamond Cup Grinding Wheel, 8 x 0.25 x 1in [203 x 6 x 25mm]
40-4510	Dressing Stick, 0.5 x 0.5 x 4in [13 x 13 x 102mm]









# MOUNTING

Automated compression mounting presses, vacuum systems and over 20 types of mounting media

Mounting your specimens is important for ease of handling and preservation of the sample edge. When deciding on which mounting technique to use, consider the size and geometry of your part, the part's susceptibility to heat and pressure, and the desired throughput.

## Epoxy Mounting Systems

## **High Performance Choices**

Buehler epoxies are formulated to excel in a wide variety of applications. Whether the priority is speed, pore penetration, or low curing temperature, there is a Buehler epoxy suited for every sample type.

### EpoKwick<sup>®</sup> FC



## Spend less time preparing and more time analyzing.

- Combines very low viscosity and extremely low shrinkage with good hardness and a fast cure.
  Obtain the best sample prep quality even with
- highly porous samples. • Recommended for aerospace coatings and
- Recommended for aerospace coatings and other porous samples insensitive to heat.

### EpoxiCure<sup>®</sup> 2

## General purpose epoxy system optimized for routine application

- A balanced formula providing good hardness and low shrinkage
- Can be used with larger mounting cups

### EpoThin<sup>™</sup> 2



### Protect samples with this gentle low cure temperature epoxy

- Combines low viscosity and low cure temperature
- Provides strong adherence and good pore penetration.
- Recommended for electronic boards and heat sensitive materials

### EpoHeat<sup>®</sup> CLR



#### Save time with long pot life

- Can remain mixed at room temperature for 3 hours and cures in 60 minutes in the oven.
- Water-like viscosity when heated
- Recommended for samples requiring maximum pore penetration.

		Product Specifications			
Material	Cure Time	Viscosity*	Shrinkage*	Shore D Hardness	Peak Exotherm•
EpoKwick <sup>®</sup> FC	2hrs @ room temperature	Best	Best	~82	250°F [121°C]
EpoThin <sup>™</sup> 2	9hrs @ room temperature	Better	Better	~78	149°F [65°C]
EpoxiCure® 2	6hrs @ room temperatures	Good	Better	~80	104°F [40°C]
EpoHeat® CLR	1hr @ 149° F(65°C)	Best	Good	~82	324°F [162°C]

\*values compared with other epoxies

Peak exotherm is for 20g cured at 70° F

### **Ordering Information**

	Small	Resin & Hardener	Large	Large Resin & Hardener		
Material	Resin	Hardener <sup>†</sup>	Resin	Hardener <sup>†</sup>		
EpoKwick® FC mix ratio 4:1 by volume			20-3453-128 128oz [3.8L]	20-3453-032 32oz [0.95L]		
EpoThin™ 2 mix ratio 2:1 by volume	20-3440-032 32oz [0.95L]	20-3442-016 16oz [0.48L]	20-3440-128 128oz [3.8L]	20-3442-064 64oz [1.9L]		
EpoxiCure® 2 <i>mix ratio</i> 4:1 by volume	20-3430-064 64oz [1.9L]	20-3432-016 16oz [0.48L]	20-3430-128 128oz [3.8L]	20-3432-032 32oz [0.95L]		
EpoHeat® CLR <i>mix ratio</i> 4:1 by volume	20-3423-064 64oz [1.9L]	20-3424-016 16oz [0.48L]				

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## Acrylic Mounting Systems



## Increased Mounting Throughput

With cure times as low as 5 minutes, our line of acrylics is designed to increase throughput in your mounting process while providing consistent results.

### SamplKwick<sup>®</sup>



SamplKwick offers quick cure times and excellent wetting characteristics making it ideal for electronics and PWB applications.

### VariDur<sup>™</sup> 10



VariDur 10 is a general purpose acrylic system offering a semitransparent mount with a reduced odor while curing.

### VariDur<sup>™</sup> 200



VariDur 200 is a quick curing acrylic with good edge retention that is ideal for mounting hard materials.

### VariKleer™



VariKleer produces a crystal clear mount when cured under pressure making it ideal for applications where clarity is required.

### VariDur<sup>™</sup> 3003



VariDur 3003 is a threepart acrylic with minimal shrinkage and high hardness making it ideal for edge retention applications.

		Product Specifications			
Material	Cure Time	- Viscosity*	Shrinkage*	Shore D Hardness	Peak Exotherm•
SamplKwick®	5-8min @ room temperature	Better	Good	~85	~179°F [81°C]
VariKleer™	5-15min @ room temperature	Better	Good	~84	~212°F[100°C]
VariDur™ 10	8min @ room temperature	Good	Good	~80	~212°F [100°C]
VariDur™ 200	5-8min @ room temperature	Good	Better	~85	~212°F[100°C]
VariDur <sup>™</sup> 3003	15-30min @ room temperature	Good	Best	~90	~252°F [122°C]

\*values compared with other acrylics

•Peak exotherm is for 20g cured at 70° F

### **Ordering Information**

	Powe	der	Liqui	dt
Material	Part Number	Size	Part Number	Size
SamplKwick®	20-3562	1 lb [0.45kg]	20-3564	12oz [0.36L]
	20-3566	5 lbs [2.3kg]	20-3568	64oz [1.9L]
	20-3562-025	25 lbs [11.3kg]	20-3564-320	2.5gal [9.5L]
	20-3562-100	100 lb [45kg]	20-3564-640	5gal [19L]
VariKleer™	20-3591	2.2 lbs [1kg]	20-3592	16.9oz [500mL]
	20-3591-002	4.4 lbs [2kg]	20-3592-001	33.8oz [1L]
	20-3591-010	22 lbs [10kg]	20-3592-005	1.3gal [5L]
VariDur <sup>™</sup> 10	11-1027	2.2 lbs [1kg]	11-1029	16.9oz [500mL]
	11-1031	22 lbs [10kg]	11-1033	1.3gal [5L]
VariDur <sup>™</sup> 200	11-1030	2.2 lbs [1kg]	11-1029	16.9oz [500mL]
	11-1034	22 lbs [10kg]	11-1033	1.3gal [5L]
VariDur™ 3003	20-3531	3.3 lbs [1.5kg]	20-3535	.65gal [2.5L] Liquid 1
3-part system	20-3534	16.5 lbs [7.5kg]	20-3536	1.3gal [5L] Liquid 2
			20-3532	Kit Contains: 16.9oz [500mL] Liquid 1 33.8oz [1L] Liquid 2

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## SimpliVac<sup>™</sup>

Our new vacuum system with unique multi-cycle capabilities, offers excellent pore impregnation in a compact format. Using your compressed air source, this system quickly and efficiently pulls a vacuum to evacuate trapped air from any porous samples, resulting in optimized edge retention and additional support for processing delicate samples.

### **High efficiency**

• Large chamber diameter allows for a high volume of samples to be processed, while the sample tray also provides ample room for larger samples to fit easily in the chamber.

### Simple Dispensing

• Use dispensing tubes and the built-in rotating turn table to dispense epoxy while under vacuum.

### Programmability

- Set the number of cycles, vacuum level and time under vacuum
- Allows for multiple cycles to run without user interference, creating consistency while reducing active user time to process samples

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
20-1500	100-240 VAC/ 50-60 HZ, Single Phase

Includes vacuum bowl liner and tray liner, no dispensing tubes included



#### Vacuum Chamber Dimensions: 12.8in (325 mm) H X 19.2in (488 mm) D X 18.6in (472 mm) W Weight: 51lb (23 kg)



## **Ring Forms** & Castable Molds



### **Disposable Mounting Cups**

Best for mounting low exotherm castable systems like EpoxiCure® 2 and EpoThin® 2. Also great for specimen storage (Qty 50)

20-8280 1in x 1in H 20-8281 1.25in x 1in H



### 20-8282 1.5in x 1in H



20-8151-100 1in 20-8152-100 1.25in 20-8153-100 1.5in 20-8154-100 2in



### SamplKup™

Reusable with best dimensional stability and suitable for use with all Buehler castable systems. (Qty 12) \*not for use in ovens

EPDM Round & Rectangular Molds

Suitable for use with all Buehler castable

systems. Best choice for large, rectangular mounts and for curing mounts in ovens

20-9178 1in x 1in H 20-9177 25mm x 1in H 20-8180 1.25in x 1in H 20-9179 30mm x 1in H 20-9181 1.5in x 1in H 20-9182 40mm x 1in H 20-9184 2in x 1in H 20-9183 50mm x 1in H





#### EPDM Round Molds (Qty 5) 20-8181 1in dia x 5/8in H 1.25in dia x 5/8in H 20-8182 20-8183 1.5in dia x 5/8in H 20-8184 2in dia x 1in H 20-7183 40mm dia x 31mm H 20-7184 50mm dia x 31mm H EPDM Rectangular Molds (Qty 1) 20-7185 2.2 x 1.2 x 0.9in [55 x 30 x 22mm] 20-6185 2.5 x 1.4 x 1.8in [63 x 25 x 46mm] 20-7186 2.8 x 1.6 x 0.9in [70 x 40 x 22mm] 20-6186 6 x 4 x 2in [150 x 100 x 50mm] 20-6187 6 x 3 x 1in [150 x 76 x 25mm]

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## **Consumables & Accessories**



### Mounting Consumables & Accessories

Pigments	Release Agent	Mold Release Spray	Mold Release Powder
Use with castable resins for color coding or creating contrast 20-8505 Black, 1.5oz [45mL] 20-8506 Red, 1.5oz [45mL] 20-8507 Blue, 1.5oz [45mL]	Liquid release agent for easier removal of mounts from castable molds or compression mounting presses 20-8186-004 <sup>†</sup> 4oz [120mL] 20-8186-032 <sup>†</sup> 32oz [950mL]	Less hazardous spray release agent for use on castable mounting molds 20-3050-008 8oz [0.24L]	Powder release agent for use or mounting presses 20-3048 2oz [45g]
SamplKlip	SamplKlip I	Specimen Support Clip	UniClip Support Clip
with all mounting systems.* 0.25 H x 0.550 W x 0.350in L 6 x 14 x 9mm] 0.575g 20-4000-100 (Qty 100)	castable mounting systems.* 0.25 H x 0.475 W x 0.3in L [~6 x 12 x 8mm] 0.230g 20-4100-100 (Qty 100) 0.25 H x 0.425 W x 0.25in L [~6 x 11 x 6mm] 0.230g 20-4100-100S (Qty 100)	castable mount systems.* 0.25 H x 0.290 W x 0.375in L [6 x 7 x 9.5mm] 0.145g 20-4001-000 (Qty 1000)	mounting systems. 0.4 H x 0.360 W x 0.500in L [10 x 9 x 13mm] 0.290g 20-5100-100 Clear (Qty100 <u>113043</u> Black (Qty 10
Plastic Mixing Cup	Paper Mixing Cup	Stirring Sticks	MetKleer <sup>®</sup> Adhesive Bases
Graduated Plastic Mixing cup for mixing castable mounting systems. 8.5oz [250mL] (Qty 100) 20-8176-100	Non Graduated Paper Mixing cup for mixing castable mounting systems. 8oz [236mL] (Qty 100) 20-8178-100	For stirring castable mounting systems. (Qty 1000) 20-8175	For use with ring forms and castable systems. 4 x 5in [102 x 127mm] (Qty 10 20-8188
Conductive Filler	Flat Edge Filler	Thermoplastic Cement	Crystalbond Mounting Was
Vickel-based filler makes castable mounting systems conductive 20-8500 2 lb [0.9kg]	Ceramic Powder enhances edge retention in castable mounting systems by increasing hardness of mount 20-8196 1 lb [0.45kg]	For adhering samples to glass slides or other specialty holders <u>40-8100</u> Use at 266° F [130°C] (Qty 12)	For adhering samples to glass slides or other specialty holders 40-8150 Use at 257°F [125°C] 20-8145 Use at 127°F[53°C]

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## Protect the integrity of your samples

Compression Mounting is the preferred method for optimal edge preservation and highest throughput. Buehler carries compression mounting systems and mounting compounds designed to fit the varying needs of different labs.

## SimpliMet<sup>®</sup> 4000

The fastest mounting press designed for 24/7 use. Eliminate bottlenecks at the mounting stage, rapidly transforming your cut samples to specimens ready for grinding and polishing.

### High reliability in 24/7 use environments

The SimpliMet 4000 was tested in extreme conditions and simulated the duty cycle of the busiest labs in the world. This machine provides high reliability in continuous use environments.

### Optimize productivity in your space

The SimpliMet 4000 packs fast mounting cycles into limited bench space, optimizing productivity. Fast duplex mounting allows two mounts to be made during the same cycle with minimal increase in cycle time.

## Ease of use saves time and protects sample quality

The simple user interface limits errors and protects the quality of your sample prep. Everything you need is right on the front panel. Use the Simplimet 4000 out of the box without the wait.

### Comfortable to use

The single handed closure mechanism engages quickly, moving you right into your next task

Part Number	Mold Assembly
20-1011-5001	with 1in Mold
20-1011-5025	with 25mm Mold
20-1011-5125	with 1.25in Mold
20-1011-5030	with 30mm Mold
20-1011-5150	with 1.5in Mold
20-1011-5040	with 40mm Mold
20-1011-5050	with 50mm Mold

### **Chamfer Ram**

Increase your grinding and polishing efficiency with a Chamfer Ram. Chamfer rams eliminate sharp edges by creating a beveled edge around the working face of the sample. This saves time and consumable costs during your grinding step.

Part Number	Description
2011122	1.25in Chamfer ram and spacer
2011123	30mm Chamfer ram and spacer
2011124	1.5in Chamfer ram and spacer
2011125	40mm Chamfer ram and spacer
2011127	50mm Chamfer ram and spacer



Dimensions:12.25in [311mm]W x 26in [662mm]D x 20.62in [524mm] *open* 12.25in [311mm]W x 26in [662mm]D x 19.62in [498mm] *closed* 

Voltage/Frequency: 85-264VAC, 50/60Hz Weight: 120lb [54kg]



## **Compression Mounting Compounds**



Compression mounting compounds utilize heat and pressure to encapsulate a specimen. Buehler's compounds minimize shrinkage while protecting and preserving sample edges during the preparation process.

### Wide Portfolio for Every Application

The choice of a mounting compound depends on the goals of the lab and requirements of final analysis. See below for the many different compounds that are available to meet the needs of a lab.

### Excellent Edge Retention

EpoMet offers excellent edge retention making it ideal for processing harder materials. The fine particle size of EpoMet F is great for intricate structures and penetration while the granular size of EpoMet G optimizes ease of use.

### Quick Cycle Set-Up with No Mess

Save time and maximize cleanliness by eliminating the measuring and pouring of powder. Simply place a PhenoCure premold into the mounting chamber and the cycle is ready to begin.

Material	Recommended Use	Color	Hardness (Shore D)	Edge Retention
PhenoCure <sup>®</sup>	General purpose metallography	Black, Red, Green	~88	Good
Diallyl Phthalate - Mineral Filled	Moderately hard material	Blue	~91	Better
Diallyl Phthalate - Glass Filled	Moderately hard material for etching	Blue	~91	Better
EpoMet <sup>®</sup> G (Granular)	Very hard material	Black	~94	Best
EpoMet <sup>®</sup> F (Fine)	Very hard material with complex geometries	Black	~94	Best
TransOptic™	When transparency of the mount is useful	Clear	~80	Good
ProbeMet <sup>®</sup>	Great for Electropolishing and electroetching. Can be used for SEM when copper is not of interest	Copper	~94	Better
KonductoMet <sup>®</sup>	SEM analysis when ProbeMet is not suitable	Black	~88	Good

## General Purpose Compounds



The Phenocure and Phenocure LP powders are woodflour thermoset resins that provide good edge retention and moderate shrinkage. While the PhenoCure LP also provides a lower hazard level at the same performance.

#### PhenoCure

Size	Black	Red	Green
5 lbs [2.3kg]	20-3100-080	20-3200-080	20-3300-080
25 lbs [11.3kg]	20-3100-400	20-3200-400	20-3300-400
40 lbs [18.1kg]	20-3100-500	20-3200-500	20-3300-500

### PhenoCure LP

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Premolds reduce mess and save time. Simply place the premold over the specimen in the mold cylinder. Premolds are sold 500/pack.

Size	Black	Red	Green
1in [25mm]	20-3111-501		
1.25in [32mm]	20-3112-501	20-3212-501	20-3312-501
1.5in [38mm]	20-3113-501	20-3213-501	20-3313-501
1.75in [45mm]	20-10090		



## **Compression Mounting Compounds**

### General Purpose Compounds



### EpoMet<sup>®</sup> G (Granular)

A mineral filled epoxy thermoset with excellent edge retention for mounting hard materials.

Black

20-3380-0644 lbs [1.8kg]20-3380-16010 lbs [4.5kg]20-3380-40025 lbs [11.3kg]20-3380-50040 lbs [18.1kg]



Blue

### **Diallyl Phthalate**

A filled thermoset resin recommended for mounting moderately hard materials. Choose glass filled for etching or mineral filled for better abrasion resistance.

20-3330-080 20-3340-080

Mineral Filled, 5 lbs [2.3kg] Glass Filled, 5 lbs [2.3kg]

## Specialty Compounds



## EpoMet<sup>®</sup> F (Fine)

A mineral filled epoxy thermoset with fine particles and excellent edge retention for mounting hard materials with complex geometries.

Black

20-3381-070 4 lbs [1.8kg] 20-3381-160 10 lbs [4.5kg] 20-3381-400 25 lbs [11.3kg]



### TransOptic

A transparent thermoplastic acrylic that allows the user to easily extract the specimen from the mount with reheating. Requires a special cooling cycle available on the SimpliMet<sup>\*</sup> 4000.



20-3400-080 5 lbs [2.3kg]



### ProbeMet<sup>\*</sup> A copper and mineral filled phenolic thermoset recommended for SEM

thermoset recommended for SEM analysis of specimens when copper is not the object of analysis. *Note*: Can cause a Cu-Al galvanic corrosion on aluminum specimen.

Copper (

20-3385-064 4 lbs [1.8kg]



Black

### KonductoMet<sup>®</sup>

A graphite and mineral filled phenolic thermoset recommended for SEM analysis of specimens when ProbeMet is not suitable.

20-3375-016 1 lbs [0.45kg] 20-3375-400 25 lbs [11.3kg]

## **Compression Mounting Tips**



You can minimize shrinkage and improve edge retention by cooling the mount to room temperature under pressure before removing it from the mounting press.



Uncured mounts can be caused by excess moisture in the mounting compound. Make sure to properly close the container between uses.



Radial splitting of mounts is often caused by sharp edges on the sample, by samples that are too large for the mold or samples that are too close to the mold wall. Round off sharp corners and move the specimen farther from the edge of the mount.



Bulging or soft mounts are a result of insufficient cure times. Increase the cure time.



Unfused or frosted mounting compound is often a sign of insufficient molding temperatures or pressures. Ensure the temperature and pressure settings on the mounting press match the recommendations for the compression compound being using.



## **Castable Mounting Tips**

### **Epoxy** Tips

- Some epoxies can be cured more quickly by gently heating, typically at 30-40° C. Use caution as higher cure temperatures can cause excessive heating during curing.
- When mixing, tilt the cup containing the resin and hardener slightly and gently work the resin and hardener together using a lift and stir motion.
- To get the best results, use a vacuum system to evacuate air trapped in epoxy systems and samples. This reduces or fills pores in the specimen with epoxy and enhances the end result.
- Epoxies are sensitive to the ratio of resin and hardener. Be sure to follow the recommended mass ratio for each product.





### **Acrylic Tips**

- Acrylics cure quickly so it is highly recommended to pour the mixture into the mold immediately after mixing to prevent "gelling".
- Acrylic systems are not for use with Vacuum Systems because the vapor released can eliminate the vacuum nor are they for use with Disposable Mounting Cups because the heat of the reaction will degrade the plastic cup and produce a bad mount edge.
- To improve edge retention for acrylic systems, coat the sample in the liquid hardener before pouring in mixed compound.

See Mounting Guide for More Information





# GRINDING & POLISHING

Automated and manual grinders and polishers with a broad range of consumables for any lab

The goal of the grinding and polishing steps is to prepare a final polished specimen that is free of deformation and suitable for analysis. This can be achieved in multiple ways depending on the overall goals of the lab. Whether a lab is looking for the quickest overall process, the best surface finish or versatility to prepare many different materials, Buehler has a solution for the grinding and polishing process.





## 👰 Product Comparison

## A Grinder-Polisher Solution for Any Lab

Buehler offers a full line of easy-to-use machines. Choose between the EcoMet 30 and AutoMet grinder polishers to provide the perfect solution for your lab.

### EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Manual



EcoMet 30 Manual is a cost effective grinder-polisher with the essential functions. It has quick clean features to save time and effort, and is made from a durable metal casting for robustness and stability. It has an ergonomic splash ring for comfortable manual use. Available with single or twin platens

### AutoMet<sup>®</sup> 250



AutoMet 250 is an advanced grinder-polisher with more power to accommodate a greater capacity for high volume environments. The straightforward controls remove complexity from the grinding and polishing process.

### AutoMet<sup>®</sup> 300 Pro



AutoMet 300 Pro is similar to the AutoMet 250 Pro, with an enhanced motor and larger platen size to accommodate larger samples. It's also compatible with accessories such as PC-Met and PWB Met for PCB grinding and polishing.

### EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Semi-Auto



EcoMet 30 Semi-Auto is an entry level grinderpolisher with an emphasis on simplicity. All functions are easily accessible on an uncomplicated touch screen interface. It's compatible with a dispensing system to go hands-free during the polishing process and improve repeatability.

### AutoMet<sup>®</sup> 250 Pro



AutoMet 250 Pro has additional premium features. The enhanced programmability is highly intuitive with easy method storage. Improve repeatability with the automated dispensing system. The machine has Z axis removal capabilities for grinding and polishing by depth.



If you need further assistance in selecting the best Grinder-Polisher for your application, please reach out to your local Buehler Sales Engineer or visit www.buehler.com

	EcoMet 30 Manual	EcoMet 30 Semi-Auto	AutoMet 250	AutoMet 250 Pro	AutoMet 300 Pro
Style	Manual	Semi-Auto	Semi-Auto	Semi-Auto	Semi-Auto
Platen Count	Single or Twin	Single or Twin	Single	Single	Single
Platen Sizes	8″, 10″, or 12″	8", 10", or 12"	8″ or 10″	8″ or 10″	10″ or 12″
Controls	Knobs	Touch screen	Membrane	Touch screen	Touch screen
Dispensing Capability		Dispensing (3 max)		Dispensing (5 Max)	Dispensing (5 max)
Storage		Steps		Methods	Methods
Removal by Depth				Z axis removal	Z axis removal
Rinse & Spin		Х		Х	Х
Single Force Max Capacity		4	6	6	6
Central Force Max Capacity		12	12	12	12
Specimen Max Size		40mm	40mm	40mm	50mm

## **AutoMet<sup>®</sup> Grinder - Polisher**



### Designed for Demanding Production Lab Environments

Easily accommodate many applications with this versatile line of Grinder-Polishers. All products have durable construction for reliability in high use environments, unique quick cleaning features, and plenty of enhancements for user friendly operation.



The AutoMet grinder-polisher is a high performance machine, designed for reliability, flexibility, and ease of use. Upgrade to a Pro model for intelligent programming that makes advanced functionality easy with highly reproducible results.

### AutoMet Features

- Built tough for high volume use.
- Save time with quick clean features including a retractable water hose, disposable bowl liner and integrated 360 degree bowl rinse.
- AutoMet 300 12" platen size provides a larger working area for faster grinding or to accommodate large samples.
- AutoMet 250 8" and 10" platen size choice optimizes the cost of paper and diamond when a larger unit isn't required.

### AutoMet Pro Features

- Color touch screen controls add functionality needed for advanced methods, such as method creation/storage and Z-axis material removal by depth.
- Improve productivity and consistency by integrating with a Burst Dispensing System (see page 36).

Model	Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
AutoMet 250	49-7257	100 - 240VAC, 50-60Hz
AutoMet 250 Pro	49-7258	100 - 240VAC, 50-60Hz
AutoMet 300 Pro	49-7268	170-240VAC, 50-60Hz

### AutoMet 250 & 250 Pro:

Dimensions: 27.5in H x 24.4" D x 20in W [699mm H x 620mm D x 508mm W] Weight: 170lbs [77kg]

AutoMet 300 Pro:

 $\label{eq:Dimensions: 28.5in H x 28.6in D x 23in W [724mm H x 726mm D x 584mm W] \\ \end{Weight: 219lbs [99kg]}$ 

Accessories —						
Accessories						
AutoMe	t 250 & 250 Pro	AutoMet	: 300			
40-4061	8in [203mm] Aluminum Platen	40-0500	10in [254mm] Aluminum Platen			
40-0500	10in [254mm] Aluminum Platen	49-1777	12in [305mm] Aluminum Platen			
60-9080	Disposable Bowl Liner (Qty 5)	60-9081	Disposable Bowl Liners (Qty 5)			
49-1250	Lid for AutoMet 250	4961-300	Splash guard for AutoMet 300			
49-2250	Splash Guard Kit for AutoMet 250	49-1300	Lid for AutoMet 300			







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## 🕵 EcoMet® 30 Grinder - Polisher

## Grinding & Polishing Made Simple

The EcoMet 30 is an entry level grinder-polisher and an excellent choice for any lab that values simplicity. Best suited for low variety environments or those with a dedicated machine for each grinding-polishing step.

## EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Semi-Automatic

The EcoMet 30 Semi-Automatic provides simple operation for routine grinding and polishing. The user-friendly touchscreen interface puts all regularly used functions on the front screen with no complicated menus that can add time to the process. Ideal for users who have a dedicated machine for each step in their process, the EcoMet 30 saves time with advanced cleaning features. Durability tested over 2500 hours and flexible enough to be compatible with 8in [203mm], 10in [254mm] and 12in [305mm] platens.

### Routine Grinding and Polishing Made Easy

- Intuitive touchscreen interface
- No complicated menus
- Focus on everyday use features
- Stored steps for quick setting recall

### Easy to Clean

- User selectable rinse and spin function
- Easy to remove platens
- Large straight path draining system

### **Burst Dispensing**

- The EcoMet 30 Semi-Automatic units can be connected to the Burst Dispensing System for increased throughput in the lab
- The Burst will automatically dispense during the cycle allowing a user to operate other machines during the polishing process

### Thoughtful Design Elements

- Touchscreen location and angle is easy to see and easy to reach for users of various heights
- All cast aluminum design adds stability and durability

Model	Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
Single	49-10075	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz
Twin	49-10076	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz

\* Platen Kit not included

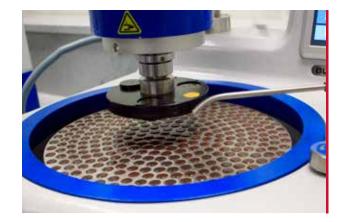


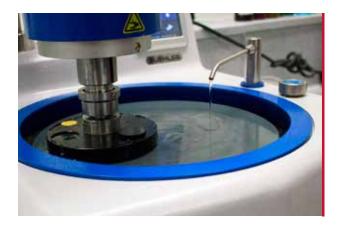
#### EcoMet 30 Semi Automatic Single

Dimensions: 19.7" L x 25.6" D x 25.6" H [500 mm L x 650 mm D x 650 mm H] Weight: 165lbs [75kg]

#### EcoMet 30 Semi Automatic Twin

Dimensions: 37.4" L x 26" D x 25.6" H [950 mm L x 660 mm D x 650 mm H] Weight: 232lbs [105kg]









### Grinding & Polishing Made Simple

The EcoMet 30 is an entry level grinder-polisher and an excellent choice for any lab that values simplicity. Best suited for low variety environments or those with a dedicated machine for each grinding-polishing step.

### EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Manua

The EcoMet 30 provides simple operation for manual grinding and polishing. The comfortable splash guard design allows for excellent control while holding a part. Easy to use and easy to clean. Durability tested over 2500 hours and flexible enough to be compatible with 8in [203mm], 10in [254mm] and 12in [305mm] platens.

#### **Ergonomic Manual Polish**

- Large flat work space and ergonomic bowl height provides better control and more comfort
- Additional control improves sample quality and reduces grinding time
- Low force on/off knob

#### Easy to Clean

- Easy to remove platens allows for fast deep cleaning
- Large straight path draining system

Model	Part Number	Voltage/Frequency	
Single	49-10070	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz	
Twin	49-10072	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz	

#### Accessories

Platen Kit (Required)						
Each Kit ind	Each Kit includes a platen, splash ring and cover					
49-1008	8in [203mm] Aluminum Platen					
49-1010	10in [254mm] Aluminum Platen					
49-1012	12in [305mm] Auminum Platen					
Replacement Bowl Liners						
All EcoMet	30's include one bowl liner per bowl.					
Remove and wash the liner for quick bowl cleaning.						
49-1005	Qty 5					



EcoMet 30 Single:

Dimensions: 19.7in [500mm] L x 25.6in [650mm] D x 17.7in [450mm] H Weight: 102lbs [46kg]

EcoMet 30 Twin: Dimensions: 37.4in [950mm] L x 26in [660mm] D x 17.7in [450mm] H Weight: 154lbs [70kg]







# Grinder Polisher Accessories

### Burst Dispensing System

The Burst Dispensing System is a flexible, easy to operate dispensing system for all diamond and final polishing suspensions. This product improves both productivity and consistency by dispensing suspensions at fixed intervals and configurable rates.

### Choose from two different Burst Configurations

### Fully Integrated

The Grinder-Polisher controls the start/stop function and the volume rate.



Compatible with EcoMet 30, AutoMet 250 Pro, AutoMet 300 Pro

#### How to configure the fully integrated Burst system for AutoMet 250 and AutoMet 250 Pro:

- Choose up to 5 Burst modules (Part Number 40-10005)
- Add stadium seating module (Part Number 40-10004)
- Add dispensing arm (Part Number 40-10006)
- Add optional stir bar (Part Number 00-10100)

### How to configure the fully integrated burst system with EcoMet 30:

Choose up to 3 Burst modules (Part Number 40-100005)

- Add cable to control start/stop function (Part Number 40-2704)
- Add optional stir bar (Part Number 00-10100)

#### Accessories

40-10004	<b>Stadium Seating Module</b> A compact and efficient method to hold up to 5 burst modules
40-10006	<b>Dispensing Arm for AutoMet* 250/300</b> The dispensing arm attaches the AutoMet Pro Grinder-Polisher to the burst dispensing system. Outlet tubing from the burst system is secured neatly into the arm. Outlet nozzles dispense suspension on to the platen.
00-10100	<b>Stir Bar</b> Magnetically driven stir bars prevent settling of suspension. Use one for each module.

### Independent

The Burst Module Control Panel is used to control dispensing stop/start and volume rate.



Compatible with all Grinder-Polishers

### How to configure independent Burst modules:

Choose Burst module (Part Number 40-10005)

- Up to 5 modules can be connected to one electrical power source; requires cable for connecting module to module (Part Number 40-2832)
- Add optional stir bar (Part Number 00-10100)
- Add optional hand switch (Part Number 40-2823)

#### Accessories

40-2832	<b>Cable for connecting module to module</b> For connecting more than 1 burst module in the independent configuration. Up to 5 modules can be connected together. Requires one cable for each module added to the first module.
40-2823	Hand Switch Used to control the start/stop function.
00-10100	<b>Stir Bar</b> Magnetically driven stir bars prevent settling of suspension. Use one for each module.
40-2704	Cable to Control Start/Stop Function For controlling start/stop function of Burst from the AutoMet 250/300 & EcoMet 30

Planar Grinder

### Grinding & Polishing Made Simple



The PlanarMet 300 bench top planar grinding machine with a high torque, continuous duty, 5.7Hp motor has an aggressive material removal rate normally seen in much larger, more expensive floor model machines. Convenience features such as an integrated auto wheel dressing and built in cooling make it easy to get consistent results.

#### **High Quality Results**

- Auto Dressing System ensures fresh consistent abrasive surface giving consistent results.
- Controlled material depth removal (Z-axis) is programmable and accurate to 0.0004in or0.1mm.
- High water flow and unique manifold keeps specimens cool, minimizing subsurface damage

#### Save Space

- Compact format that is just as powerful as a large, floor standing model
- Bench top design ideal for direct integration to bench top polishing steps

#### Flexibility to Adapt to Changing Needs

- Choice of grinding stones available for almost any material application
- Timed cycle provides flexibility in methods

#### **Benefits of Planar Grinders**

- Reduce process steps and grind 4X faster compared to SiC paper
- Go from 3 grinding steps to just 1 step

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
49-10000-250	208-240VAC, 50Hz, 3-Phase
49-10000-260	208-240VAC, 60Hz, 3-Phase
49-10000-450	380-480VAC, 50Hz, 3-Phase
49-10000-460	380-480VAC, 60Hz, 3-Phase

### Accessories & Consumables for PlanarMet 300 Grinding Stones



Planar Grinding Stones are multi-use abrasive discs designed for the PlanarMet 300. They provide high material removal rates and consistent scratch patterns.

Size: 12in [305mm], 1in [25mm] thickness Grit: 120grit [P120] Alumina or SiC

Part Number	Description
49-7280	Alumina Grinding Stone for Ferrous & Superalloy
49-7281	SiC Grinding Stone for Non-Ferrous & Ti Alloys
49-100	Replacement Dressing Stick, Metal-Matrix Diamond
49-1001	Chuck adaptor for legacy specimen holders

#### **Recirculation System**



Recirculation tank on wheels for use with PlanarMet® 300.

Part Number	Capacity	Voltage/Frequency
56-0026	12gal [60L]	380-400VAC, 50/60Hz
56-0027	12gal [60L]	200-240VAC, 50/60Hz



Dimensions: 21.25in [539mm]W x 31in [787mm]D x 29.75 [755mm]H Weight: 275 lbs [125 kg]

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## Grinder Polisher Accessories

Sample holders are designed for use with Buehler's grinder-polishers to facilitate process automation and optimization. Many options for different sample sizes and shapes are available depending on the shapes, sizes, and capacities required.

### Single Force Specimen Holders

Round/Barrel		ngle	Slides	
EcoMet 30 Power Head		with 60-9005 D	rive Adapter	
Part Number Style S		Capacity	Additional Accessories	
$\bigcirc$	1in	4	63-1022 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
$\bigcirc$	1.25in	4	63-1023 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
$\bigcirc$	1.5in	4	63-1024 Retaining Rings (Qty 3pk)	
$\bigcirc$	25mm	4	63-1022 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
$\bigcirc$	30mm	4	63-1023 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
$\bigcirc$	40mm	4	63-1024 Retaining Rings (Oty 3pk)	
	er Head	er Head For use v Style Size 1in 1.25in 1.5in 25mm 30mm	For use with 60-9005 DStyleSizeCapacity1in41.25in41.5in425mm430mm4	



#### AutoMet<sup>®</sup> 250 Power Head

For use with 60-9005 Drive Adapter.

Part Number	Style	Size	Capacity	Additional Accessories	
60-9010		1in	6	63-1022Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)60-910027 x 46mm Glass Slide Holder60-91201 x 3in Glass Slide Holder60-914028 x 48mm Glass Slide Holder60-91302 x 3in Glass Slide Holder60-914028 x 48mm Glass Slide Holder	
60-9011	$\bigcirc$	1.25in	6	63-1023 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
60-9012	$\bigcirc$	1.5in	6	63-1024 Retaining Rings (Qty 3pk)	
60-9020	$\bigcirc$	25mm	6	63-1022 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
60-9021	0	30mm	6	63-1023 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)	
60-9022	0	40mm	6	63-1024 Retaining Rings (Qty 3pk)	

#### AutoMet<sup>®</sup> 300 Power Head

For use with 60-9005 Drive Adapter.

Part Number	Style	Size	Capacity	Additional Accessories
60-9060		1in	6	63-1022Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)60-91201 x 3in Glass Slide Holder60-910027 x 46mm Glass Slide Holder60-91302 x 3in Glass Slide Holder60-914028 x 48mm Glass Slide Holder
60-9061	$\bigcirc$	1.25in	6	63-1023 Retaining Rings (Qty 6pk)
60-9062	$\bigcirc$	1.5in	6	63-1024 Retaining Rings (Qty 3pk)
60-9063	$\bigcirc$	2in	6	
60-9070	$\bigcirc$	25mm	6	63-1022 Retaining Rings
60-9071	$\bigcirc$	30mm	6	63-1023 Retaining Rings
60-9072	$\bigcirc$	40mm	6	63-1024 Retaining Rings
60-9073	$\bigcirc$	50mm	6	

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### **Grinder Polisher Accessories**

For use with 60-9000 Drive Adapters

AutoMet 250 and EcoMet 30 Power Heads

### Central Force Specimen Holders

#### Round/Barrel

#### Rectangle

∧ Teardrop

#### AutoMet 300 Power Head

For use with 60-9000 Drive Adapter. Uses Loading Plates 60-2412 or 60-2413 181mm diameter for 12" platens

Part Number	Style	Size	Capacity
60-5281	$\bigcirc$	1in	10
60-5282	$\bigcirc$	1.25in	10
60-5252	۵	1.25in or 30mm	9
60-5287	$\bigcirc$	30mm	10
60-5283	$\bigcirc$	1.5in	6
60-5253	$\Diamond$	1.5in or 40mm	6
60-5288	$\bigcirc$	40mm	6
60-5299	$\bigcirc$	2in	5
60-5296	0	2in or 50mm	5
60-5297		55 x 30mm	5
60-5298		70 x 40mm	3

Uses Loading Plates 60-2411 or 60-2413 130mm diameter for 8", 10" or 12" platens					
Part Number	Style	Size	Capacity		
60-2482	$\bigcirc$	1in	6		
60-2483	$\bigcirc$	1.25in	6		
60-2422	٥	1.25in [32mm]	6		
60-2485	$\bigcirc$	1.5in	3		
60-2486	$\bigcirc$	30mm	6		
60-2487	$\bigcirc$	40mm	3		
60-2409		1 x 1.25in [25.4 x 31.75mm]	4		
Uses loading plates	s 60-2411 o	r 60-2412 157mm diamet	er for 10" or 12" platens		
60-8240	0	18 - 51mm	5		
60-8210	$\Diamond$	12 - 40mm	6		
60-8262	0	10 - 25mm	12		
60-8254		55 x 30mm	5		

### Accessories for Specimen Holders

#### Loading Fixtures and Plates



Used for loading Central Force Specimen Holders to ensure planar samples.

Part Number Description	
60-2410 Loading Fixture	
60-2411         Loading Plate for 5.1in [130mm] and 6.1in [157           60-2412         Loading Plate for 6.1in [157mm] and 7.1in [187	

70 x 40mm

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#### **Drive Adapters**



Pairs specimen holders to the chuck of the automatic head

Part Number	Compatible With	
60-9000 Central Force	AutoMet 250/300 PlanarMet 300, EcoMet 30	
60-9005 Single Force	AutoMet 250/300, EcoMet 30	

#### **Target Holders**



60-8255

Designed for precise material removal to specified depths. Includes one ceramic and one steel stop ring.

Part Number	Description	
60-8100	For 28 x 48mm glass slide (histologic holder)	
60-8101	For 1in [25mm] mounted specimens	
60-8102	For 1.25in [32mm] mounted specimens For 40mm mounted specimens	
60-8113		







#### **Blank Specimen Holders**

#### For use with 60-9000 Drive Adapter.

Part Number	Diameter	Power Head
60-2408	5.12in [130mm] for 8", 10" or 12" platens	EcoMet® 30, AutoMet® 250 AutoMet® 300
60-5254	7.12in [181mm] for 12″ platens only	AutoMet 300



#### Slide Holders & Glass Slides

Glass Slide Size	Slide Holder	Single Force Specimen Holder	Glass Slides
1 x 3in	60-9120 (max 3 per specimen holder)	60-9010 for AutoMet 250 60-9060 for AutoMet 300	
2 x 3in	60-9130 (max 2 per specimen holder)	60-9060 for AutoMet 300	
27 x 46mm	60-9100 (max 3 per specimen holder)	60-9010 for AutoMet 250 60-9060 for AutoMet 300	40-8000-001 (Qty 144) 40-8000-010 (Qty 1440)
27 x 46mm	30-8005 hand-held holder		40-8000-001 (Qty 144) 40-8000-010 (Qty 1440)
28 x 48mm	60-9140 (max 3 per specimen holder)	60-9010 for AutoMet 250 60-9060 for AutoMet 300	

#### PC-Met<sup>™</sup> Precision High Volume Printed Wiring Board Accessory

- High volume printed wiring board preparation system
- Prepares up to 36 coupons simultaneously
- Prepares reproducible cross-sections of through-holes down to 0.008in
- For use with AutoMet 300

Part Number	Contents
60-5090	Indexing pins, carbide and diamond stops, pin loader, dial indicator, gauge blocks and wooden case

#### Accessories

60-5053	Coupon Pins 1.0625in [27mm] long (Qty 1000)
60-5067	Cup, Extended Upper Mold Plate, 0.8in (Qty 6)
60-9000	Central Force Drive Adapter for AutoMet® 250/300

#### PWB Met<sup>™</sup> Small Hole Accessory

- High volume printed wiring board preparation system
- Prepares up to 18 coupons simultaneously
- Prepares reproducible cross-sections of through-holes down to 0.004in
- For use with EcoMet 30 and AutoMet 300

Part Number

#### Contents

	60-5175	Indexing pins, polycrystalline diamond stops, Pin loader, dial indicator calibration gauge, silicone mold release spray, gauge blocks, sample extractor and wooden case
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#### Accessories

60-5186	PWB Met Short Pin Loader 0.375in [10mm] long
60-5084	PWB Met Pins 0.375in [10mm] long (Qty 3000)





### **Grinder Polisher Specialty & Support Equipment**



# MiniMet<sup>®</sup> 1000

A low volume, single specimen machine capable of preparing a wide variety of materials. Space saving design employs geometric action, increasing specimen consistency.

#### Easy to use

• Simple operations ideal for low volume applications

#### Save space and lower costs

• Designed to use 2.875in [73mm] abrasive paper and polishing cloths

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency		
69-1100	85-264VAC, 50/60Hz		



**Dimensions**: 7in [180mm]W x 16in [400mm]D x 8in [200mm]H **Weight:** 25 lbs [11 kg]

	Accessorie	s	
69-1111	Caged Specimen Holder, for 1in [25mm]	69-1581	Thin Section Bowls, 4.75in [121mm]
	or 1.25in [32mm] Mounted Specimens		(1 each Black, White, Blue)
69-1112	Caged Specimen Holder, for 1.5in [38mm]	69-1582	Thin Section Glass Platens, 4in [100mm]
	Mounted Specimens		(Qty 3) (replacement)
69-1500	Polishing Bowls, 4in [100mm] Diameter	69-1583	MiniMet Thin Section Slide Holder,
	(1 each Black, White, Blue)		46 x 27mm
69-1562	Glass Circular Slides, 0.5in [13mm] Diameter (Qty 50)	69-1590	MiniMet Wafer Polishing Attachment
69-1566	MiniMet 1000 Precision Thinning Attachment	69-1502	Storage Caddie for MiniMet Bowls (Qty 3)
69-1567	Glass Disc, 2.145in [55mm] Diameter (Qty 5)	69-1510	Glass Platen (Qty of 3)
69-1580	MiniMet Thin Section Attachment	69-1550	MiniMet Alignment Fixture with 3 Drill Bits
	(includes 3 bowls, glass and section holder)	69-1552	Set of 3 Drill Bits (replacement)

### Grinding & Polishing Consumables for MiniMet 1000

#### Silicon Carbide Paper, PSA Backed, 2.875in [73mm] (Oty 100)

CarbiMet*				
Grit Size - ANSI [FEPA]	Micron	Part Number		
120 [P120]	127	36-02-0120		
180 [P180]	78	36-02-0180		
240 [P280]	52	36-02-0240		
320 [P400]	35	36-02-0320		
400 [P800]	22	36-02-0400		
600 [P1200]	15	36-02-0600		

MicroCut*					
Grit Size - ANSI [FEPA]	Micron	Part Number			
800 [P1500]	13	36-02-0800			
1200 [P2500]	8	36-02-1200			



#### Premium Polishing Cloths, PSA Backed, 2.875in [73mm] (Qty 20)

Cloth	Stage	Part Number
UltraPol™	Coarse	40-7442
Nylon	Intermediate	40-7052
TexMet® C	Intermediate	40-1102
TriDent™	Intermediate	40-7502

Cloth	Stage	Part Number
MicroCloth®	Fine	40-7212
MasterTex®	Fine	40-7702
ChemoMet <sup>®</sup>	Fine	40-7902





### VibroMet<sup>®</sup> 2

VibroMet 2 Vibratory Polisher is designed to prepare high quality polished surfaces on a wide variety of materials, including EBSD applications. The 7200 cycles per minute horizontal motion produces a very effective polishing action, providing superior results, exceptional flatness and less deformation.

### Safe and Effective Results

• Vibratory polisher removes minor deformation remaining after mechanical preparation, revealing the stress-free surface without need for the hazardous electrolytes required by electro-polishers.

### **High Quality Surface Finish**

• Combine the VibroMet 2 with MasterMet® Colloidal Silica to chemomechanically polish a specimen to a surface finish suitable for electron-backscatter diffraction (EBSD).

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
67-1635-160	115VAC, 60Hz
67-1635-250	220VAC, 50Hz



Dimensions: 21.5in [546mm]W x 23in [584mm]D x 14.5in [368mm]H Weight: 175lbs [80kg]

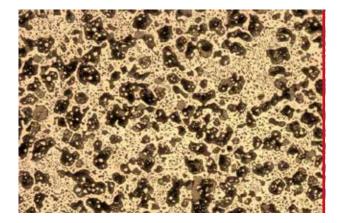


#### Accessories

67-1527

Specimen Holder, 2in [50mm] (Qty 3) Specimen Holder, 1in [25mm] (Qty 3) Specimen Holder, 1.25in [32mm] (Qty 3) Specimen Holder, 1.5in [38mm] (Qty 3) Specimen Weights (Qty 9) Polishing Bowl Accessory Loading Fixture, 2in and 50mm Loading Fixture, 1in [25mm], 1.25in [32mm], 1.5in [38mm]





### **Grinder Polisher Specialty & Support Equipment**



### EnvironMet<sup>™</sup> System

Ideal for laboratories concerned with water regulation and conservation requirements and/or environmental issues. Designed for use with manual and semi-automatic grinder-polishers, the EnvironMet<sup>®</sup> Filter System uses fresh water for each step in preparation. The filtration rate allows up to two grinder-polishers to operate off of one system. The 49-2500 EnvironMet<sup>®</sup> System is designed to filter up to 1µm and then recirculate the water. The 49-2501 EnvironMet<sup>®</sup> System is designed to filter water up to 100µm and uses fresh water. Both EnvironMet<sup>®</sup> Systems are powered by compressed air and require no electrical connections. \**Requires compressed air* 

#### Part Number

49-2500Recirculating Filter System (1μm Filter)49-2501Filter System (100μm Filter)

Accessories				
40.0540				
49-2510	Replacement 1µm Filter Paper			
	(Qty 100)			
49-2520	Replacement 100 µm Swarf Bag			
49-2530	Castor Kit			
	49-2510 49-2520 49-2530			



Dimensions: 25.5in [648mm]W x 20.5in [521mm]D x 16.8in [425mm]H

### Electropolishing & Etching Systems

The ElectroMet 4 and PoliMat 2 systems provide both electropolishing and etching capabilities to enable efficient sample preparation.

### ElectroMet<sup>®</sup> 4

ElectroMet 4 includes ElectroMet 4 Power Source, Polishing Cell and Etching Cell. Products not available in Europe

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency		
70-1830-115	115VAC, 60Hz		
70-1830-220	220-240VAC, 50Hz		
Accessories			

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70-1832	ElectroMet 4 Polishing Cell
70-2015	Masks (Qty 5)
70-2100	Stainless Steel Cathodes
70-2105	Copper Cathode
70-3100	Etching Cell



Dimensions: 13.125in [333mm]W x 18.5in [470mm]D x 9in [229mm]H



Includes controller, complete polishing cell and 4 masks Product only available in Europe

Part Number	Voltage/Frequency
511000	230VAC, 50/60Hz

	— Accessories ———			
Accessories				
510010	Complete polishing cell			
510100	Set of masks			
	(1cm <sup>2,</sup> 2cm <sup>2</sup> , 10cm <sup>2</sup> , and without hole)			



Dimensions: 19.7in [500mm]W x 11.8in [300mm]D x 9.8in [250mm]H



The choice of grinding and polishing consumables is a key factor that impacts the preparation process. Buehler's consumables are designed to improve efficiency and ensure repeatability within the process. With a wide variety of products, there is a Buehler consumable that can improve your materials preparation process.

#### CarbiMet Silicon Carbide Paper



CarbiMet is a specialized silicon carbide grinding paper that offers quick and efficient material removal with minimal surface damage.

#### Premium Polishing Cloths



The selection of a polishing cloth depends on the material being processed and the requirements for the final analysis. With a variety of fabrics, weaves and naps, there is a high quality Buehler cloth to fit every application.

#### MetaDi Suspension & Paste



MetaDi is the premier line of diamond suspensions and pastes that ensures consistency in the polishing process. A variety of types and micron sizes are available to fit any application.





Magnetic Backed

### **Platen Systems**

The choice of platen system depends on the goals of the lab and the products being used in the preparation process. The Magnetic system can be adapted for use with nearly all products while the Apex S system provides the fastest solution for changing between grinding papers.

#### **Magnetic System**

- Versatile system that allows easy removal and storage of grinding and polishing consumables
- First, adhere a PSA backed magnet to the aluminum platen.
- Directly apply magnetic backed surfaces or utilize a carrier plate for PSA backed surfaces.

PSA Backed Surface Carrier Plate Magnet Platen

#### Magnet Selection - to convert a standard platen to a magnetic platen

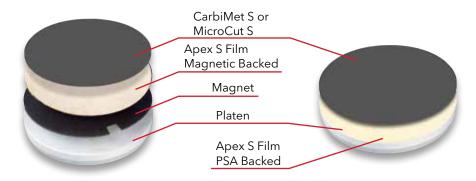
Туре	Description	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
Apex® M Magnet PSA Backed (Qty 1)	Contains tabs for easier plate removal	41-2739-608-001	41-2739-610-001	41-2739-612-001
MagnoFix Magnet PSA Backed (Qtv 1)	Standard magnet	16-2070	16-2570	16-3070

#### **Carrier Plate Selection**

Туре	Description	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
MagnoPad Teflon Coated Carrier Plate (Qty 5)	For easier removal of PSA surfaces, ideal for polishing cloths	16-2073	16-2573	16-3073
MagnoMet Carrier Plate (Qty 5)	Standard stainless steel carrier plate, ideal for SiC paper	16-2072	16-2572	16-3072
Apex B Carrier Plate (Qty 1)	Bimetallic disc for cloth or SiC paper. Prevents adherence of magnetic particles via bimetallic plate	41-2739-208-001	41-2739-210-001	41-2739-212-001

### Apex<sup>®</sup> S System

- High friction backing system that is the ideal choice to reduce changeover times between grinding paper steps
- Choose the PSA backed film for use directly on aluminum platen or the magnetic backed film for use with a magnetic system.



Туре	Description	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
Apex S Film PSA backed (Qty 2)	For application directly to platen	16-2075	16-2575	16-3075
Apex S Film Magnetic backed (Qty 2)	For use with magnetic system	16-2074	16-2574	16-3074



### CarbiMet<sup>®</sup> & MicroCut<sup>®</sup> Silicon Carbide Grinding Papers

Diamond Grinding Discs are ideally used as a substitute for SiC paper or other grinding media. Long-life, fixed abrasive provides high removal rates with superb edge retention and flatness. This versatile system works on a wide range of materials such as hard materials, ferrous materials, aluminium, ceramics, glass, thermal spray coatings and more. The surface is durable enough for unmounted specimens. Like your Silicon Carbide papers, just use water for the preparation process (dressing is required with some materials).

### High Material Removal with Superior Surface Finish

CarbiMet offers quick grinding times with minimal surface damage during the grinding process. Since there is less damage to remove, the amount of subsequent processing may be reduced, saving valuable time in the preparation process.

#### Quick Change-Overs

Apex S backing allows for fast changeovers between CarbiMet steps. Simply remove the previous paper and apply the next stage without needing to remove any backings or liners.

#### **Delicate Preparation**

MicroCut papers provide gentle material removal with superior surface finish, which is ideal for processing delicate or sensitive materials.

### Apex<sup>®</sup> S Backed

High friction backing allows for easy & fast changeovers between grinding steps. Qty 100

	Grit Size ANSI [FEPA]	Approx. Micron Size	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
	60 [P60]	260	16-08-0060*	16-10-0060*	16-12-0060*
	80 [P80]	188	16-08-0080	16-10-0080	16-12-0080
	120 [P120]	127	16-08-0120	16-10-0120	16-12-0120
	180 [P180]	78	16-08-0180	16-10-0180	16-12-0180
	220 [P240]	58	16-08-0220	16-10-0220	16-12-0220
Лet	240 [P280]	52	16-08-0240	16-10-0240	16-12-0240
CarbiMet	280 [P320]	46	16-08-0280	16-10-0280	16-12-0280
ပီ	320 [P400]	35	16-08-0320	16-10-0320	16-12-0320
	360 [P600]	26	16-08-0360	16-10-0360	16-12-0360
	400 [P800]	22	16-08-0400	16-10-0400	16-12-0400
	500 [P1000]	18	16-08-0500	16-10-0500	16-12-0500
	600 [P1200]	15	16-08-0600	16-10-0600	16-12-0600
	1000 [P2500]	8.4	16-08-1000	16-10-1000	16-12-1000
ut	800 [P1500]	13	16-08-0800	16-10-0800	16-12-0800
MicroCut	1200 [P2500]	8	16-08-1200	16-10-1200	16-12-1200
Σ	P4000	5	16-08-4000	16-10-4000	16-12-4000



\*Contains 50 pcs

#### CarbiMet and MicroCut Accessories

• Apex S film is applied to a platen for use with CarbiMet S or MicroCut S

• MetGrip liners are used with plain backed CarbiMet or MicroCut when holding bands are not used Description 8in [203mm] 10in [254mm] 12in [305mm] Apex S Carrier Film 16-2074 16-2574 16-3074 magnetic backed (Qty 2) Apex S Carrier Film 16-2075 16-2575 16-3075 PSA backed (Qty 2) MetGrip<sup>®</sup> Liners 30-8508 30-8510 30-8512 (Qty 10)



### PSA Backed

Pressure sensitive adhesive (PSA) backing for easy application directly to platen. Qty 100

	Grit Size - ANSI [FEPA]	Approx. Micron Size	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
	60 [P60]	260	36-08-0060*	36-10-0060*	36-12-0060*
	80 [P80]	188	36-08-0080	36-10-0080	36-12-0080
	120 [P120]	127	36-08-0120	36-10-0120	36-12-0120
	180 [P180]	78	36-08-0180	36-10-0180	36-12-0180
	220 [P240]	58	36-08-0220	36-10-0220	36-12-0220
/let	240 [P280]	52	36-08-0240	36-10-0240	36-12-0240
CarbiMet	280 [P320]	46	36-08-0280	36-10-0280	36-12-0280
ပီ	320 [P400]	35	36-08-0320	36-10-0320	36-12-0320
	360 [P600]	26	36-08-0360	36-10-0360	36-12-0360
	400 [P800]	22	36-08-0400	36-10-0400	36-12-0400
	500 [P1000]	18	36-08-0500	36-10-0500	36-12-0500
	600 [P1200]	15	36-08-0600	36-10-0600	36-12-0600
	1000 [P2500]	8.4	36-08-1000	36-10-1000	36-12-1000
Cut	800 [P1500]	13	36-08-0800	36-10-0800	36-12-0800
MicroC	1200 [P2500]	8	36-08-1200	36-10-1200	36-12-1200
Σ	P4000	5	36-08-4000	36-10-4000	36-12-4000

\*Contains 50 pcs

### Plain Backed

Plain backing requires the use of an adhesive liner or holding band. Qty 100

	Grit Size - ANSI [FEPA]	Approx. Micron Size	8in [200mm]	10in [250mm]	12in [300mm]
	60 [P60]	260	30-08-0060*	30-10-0060*	30-12-0060*
	80 [P80]	188	30-08-0080	30-10-0080	30-12-0080
	120 [P120]	127	30-08-0120	30-10-0120	30-12-0120
	180 [P180]	78	30-08-0180	30-10-0180	30-12-0180
	220 [P240]	58	30-08-0220	30-10-0220	30-12-0220
/let	240 [P280]	52	30-08-0240	30-10-0240	30-12-0240
CarbiMet	280 [P320]	46	30-08-0280	30-10-0280	30-12-0280
Ca	320 [P400]	35	30-08-0320	30-10-0320	30-12-0320
	360 [P600]	26	30-08-0360	30-10-0360	30-12-0360
	400 [P800]	22	30-08-0400	30-10-0400	30-12-0400
	500 [P1000]	18	30-08-0500	30-10-0500	30-12-0500
	600 [P1200]	15	30-08-0600	30-10-0600	30-12-0600
	1000 [P2500]	8.4	30-08-1000	30-10-1000	30-12-1000
Cut	800 [P1500]	13	30-08-0800	30-10-0800	30-12-0800
lo S	1200 [P2500]	8	30-08-1200	30-10-1200	30-12-1200
Micro(	P4000	5	30-08-4000	30-10-4000	30-12-4000

\*Contains 50 pcs



### **Diamond Grinding Discs**

Diamond grinding discs offer a long-wear surface that provides excellent surface flatness for a wide variety of materials. Buehler offers multiple different types of products depending on the material being processed. All DGD's come in a quantity of one per box

#### Long Life with Consistent Results

Fixed diamond particles provide consistent removal rates and extended lifetime with only an occasional dressing to maintain the surface.

#### Ideal Solution for Automation

Diamond Grinding Discs offer superb edge retention and excellent flatness making them the perfect choice for controlled material removal on automated systems.

#### Process a Variety of Materials

Grinding hard materials requires a different type of surface than grinding softer materials. Buehler's Diamond Grinding Discs offer customized solutions for different material types to ensure efficient and consistent grinding.

### DGD Mosaic<sup>®</sup>

- Combines high material removal rate with good recovery to reduce prep time
- Optimized for fastest material removal on ferrous materials
- Magnetic backing for fast & easy set up on machine

Grit Size ANSI [FEPA]	Approx. Micron Size	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
120 [P120]	125µm	41-708-0120	41-710-0120	41-712-0120
220 [P240]	60µm	41-708-0220	41-710-0220	41-712-0220
320 [P400]	40µm	41-708-0320	41-710-0320	41-712-0320
400 [P800]	30µm	41-708-0400	41-710-0400	41-712-0400
1000 [P2500]	10µm	41-708-1000	41-710-1000	41-712-1000



\*All DGD Mosaic discs includes dressing stick 11-1190 (Requires dressing before intial use)

### Application Methods for DGD Mosaic

Material	120 grit	220 grit	320 grit	400 grit	1000 grit
Low Hardness Surface Treated Steels			•		
Medium Hard Surface Treated Steels		•			
Very Hard Surface Treated Steels	•				
>60 HRC Steel	•				
50-60 HRC Steel		•			
40-50 HRC Steel			•		
Low Carbon Steel			•		
Cast Irons		•	+		
Nodular Cast Irons (SG)		•	+		
White Cast Iron	•				
High Alloy Steels		•			
Iron Based Superalloy		•	+		
High Strength Alloy Steel		•			
Nickel		•	+		
Cobalt			•		
Thermal Spray Coatings			•	+	
Silicon, Boron, and Sintered Carbides			• —		→ ·
Capacitors, Diodes and Si Wafers				•	‡

•=recommendation #1 ‡=recommendation #2 Note: Recomendation may vary based on specific material and desired surface finish

#### Accessories

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Dressing Stick for Diamond Grinding Discs 1 x 1 x 6in 15-6190



Dressing Stick for Diamond Grinding Discs 0.5 x 0.5 x 3 in 11-1190



### DGD Color

Our most versatile diamond grinding disc, the unique characteristics of the resin bond used provides long life and high removal rates on most materials, including softer materials such as brass and copper. Just add water and use

- Utilize a specially formulated resin bond for consistent material removal
- Ideal for most engineering metals
- Available with PSA or Magnetic backing

	8in [203mm]		10in [254mm]		12in [305mm]			
Co	lor	Micron	PSA	Magnetic	PSA	Magnetic	PSA	Magnetic
	Green	240µm	41-3308	414308D	41-3310	414310D	41-3312	414312D
	Black	125µm	41-3408	414408D	41-3410	414410D	41-3412	414412D
	Red	75µm	41-3508	414508D	41-3510	414510D	41-3512	414512D
	Purple	55µm	41-3608	414608D	41-3610	414610D	41-3612	414612D
	Yellow	35µm	41-3708	414708D	41-3710	414710D	41-3712	414712D
0	White	15µm	41-3808	414808D	41-3810	414810D	41-3812	414812D
	Blue	8µm	41-3908	414908D	41-3910	414910D	41-3912	414912D



### DGD Terra

Resin-bonded, fixed abrasive surfaces, excellent for hard materials, ceramic, glass, TSC. These discs provide superb edge retention and flatness. Just add water and use (dressing required with some materials).

- Provides consistent material removal with excellent flatness
- Ideal for brittle and hard materials such as ceramics and glass
- Available with PSA or Magnetic backing

Micron	8in [20	8in [203mm]		10in [254mm]		12in [305mm]	
	PSA	Magnetic	PSA	Magnetic	PSA	Magnetic	
165µm	41-5008	416008D	41-5010	416010D	41-5012	416012D	
125µm	41-5108	416108D	41-5110	416110D	41-5112	416112D	
70µm	41-5208	416208D	41-5210	416210D	41-5212	416212D	
45µm	41-5308	416308D	41-5310	416310D	41-5312	416312D	
30µm	41-5408	416408D	41-5410	416410D	41-5412	416412D	
15µm	41-5508	416508D	41-5510	416510D	41-5512	416512D	
9µm	41-5608	416608D	41-5610	416610D	41-5612	416612D	
6µm	41-5708	416708D	41-5710	416710D	41-5712	416712D	
3µm	41-5808	416808D	41-5810	416810D	41-5812	416812D	
0.5µm	41-5908	416908D	41-5910	416910D	41-5912	416912D	



### DGD Ultra

- Designed for initial grinding steps of mixed hardness materials
- Available with PSA backing

Color		Micron	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
$\bullet$	Black	125µm	15-6199	14-2581	15-6299
	Red	70µm	15-6170	14-2582	15-6270
	Yellow	45µm	15-6145	14-2583	15-6245
0	White	15µm	15-6115	14-2585	15-6215
	Blue	9µm	15-6109		15-6209
	Purple	6µm	15-6106		15-6206





### Premium Polishing Cloths

Buehler's premium performance cloths are for all material applications and are engineered for long life & superior surface finish.

#### Easy to Use Magnetic Backing

Utilize the magnetic backing for an efficient and easy-to-use solution. The durable magnetic backed cloth provides consistent polishing results while reducing the changeover time between cloths.

#### A Cloth for Every Application

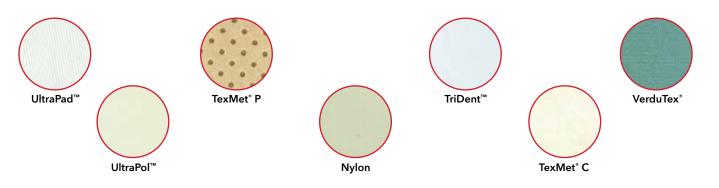
The type of cloth used depends heavily on the material being processed and the requirements for the final analysis. With a variety of fabrics, weaves and naps, there is a cloth to fit every application.

#### **Reliable Preparation Results**

Buehler's cloths are thoroughly tested and developed with MetaDi Diamond to provide a complete solution that delivers reliable results for each sample processed.

#### **Polishing Cloth Selection Guide**

Cloth         Backing         Quantity         8in [203mm]         10in [254mm]         12in [305mm]         Description           UltraPad*         PSA         10         40-7118         40-7120         40-7122         Hard woven, no nap           UltraPod*         PSA         10         40-7148         40-7450         40-7452         Hard woven, no nap           UltraPol*         PSA         10         40-7448         40-7450         40-7452         Hard woven, non-aggressive silk           TexMet* P         PSA         5         40-7638         40-7640         40-7642         Hard non-woven, perforated           Nylon         PSA         10         40-7068         40-7070         40-7072         Medium hard woven, oil resistant, r           TexMet* C         PSA         10         40-7108         42-3110         42-3112         nap           TexMet* C         PSA         10         40-7108         42-3110         42-3112         nap           TexMet* C         PSA         10         40-7108         42-3210         42-3212         Non-woven, pressed           TexMet* C         PSA         10         40-7518         40-7520         40-7522         Non-woven, pressed	
UltraPad*         Magnetic         5         42-3008         42-3010         42-3012         Hard woven, no nap           UltraPol*         PSA         10         40-7448         40-7450         40-7452         Hard woven, non-aggressive silk           TexMet* P         PSA         5         40-7638         40-7640         40-7642         Hard non-woven, perforated           Nylon         PSA         10         40-7068         40-7070         40-7072         Medium hard woven, oil resistant, r           TexMet* C         PSA         10         40-1108         40-1110         40-1112         Medium hard woven, perforated           Magnetic         5         42-308         42-3110         42-3112         Medium hard woven, oil resistant, r           Magnetic         5         42-308         42-3210         42-3212         Mon-woven, pressed	
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Magnetic 5 42-3208 42-3210 42-3212	
TriDent*         PSA         10         40-7518         40-7520         40-7522           Magnetic         5         42-3308         42-3310         42-3312         Soft woven synthetic, no nap	
VerduTex*         PSA         10         40-8018         40-8020         40-8022           Magnetic         5         42-3408         42-3410         42-3412         Medium hard, synthetic silk           VertuTex*         PSA         10         40-8218         40-8220         40-8222           Short nap, synthetic velvet         Short nap, synthetic velvet         5         5         5	
E         PSA         10         40-8218         40-8220         40-8222           VelTex*	
Magnetic 5 42-3508 42-3510 42-3512	
WhiteFelt™PSA516-200216-250216-3002Soft, durable, matted wool	
PoliCloth <sup>™</sup> − PSA 10 40-8418 40-8420 40-8422 − Medium hard, woven wool	
Magnetic 5 42-3608 42-3610 42-3612	
MicroCloth* PSA 10 40-7218 40-7220 40-7222 Soft synthetic rayon, long nap	
Magnetic 5 42-3708 42-3710 42-3712	
MicroFloc™ PSA 10 40-8318 40-8320 40-8322 Soft, long nap	
M .: E 40.0000 40.0040 40.0040	
Magnetic         5         42-3810         42-3812           MasterTex*         PSA         10         40-7738         40-7740         40-7742	
Magnetic 5 42-3908 42-3910 42-3912	
ChemoMet         PSA         10         40-7918         40-7920         40-7922         Soft synthetic, porous,	
Magnetic 5 42-4008 42-4010 42-4012 chemically resistant	



# Grinding Consumables



### Apex<sup>®</sup> Hercules

- Magnetic backed resin surface that provides excellent flatness and edge retention
  Use with MetaDi<sup>\*</sup> Diamond Suspension

Туре	8in [203mm]	10in [254mm]	12in [305mm]
<b>Apex Hercules H</b> Fine grinding disc for hard ferrous and non-ferrous material (> HRC 20/HV 236)	41-2740-308-001	41-2740-310-001	41-2740-312-001
<b>Apex Hercules S</b> Fine Grinding Disc for soft ferrous and non-ferrous material ( <hrc 20="" 236)<="" hv="" td=""><td>41-2740-408-001</td><td>41-2740-410-001</td><td>41-2740-412-001</td></hrc>	41-2740-408-001	41-2740-410-001	41-2740-412-001



Recommended Micron Size	Abrasive Type	Applications
6µm & Up	Diamond	Ferrous materials and thermal spray coatings
6µm & Up	Diamond	Minerals, coals, ceramics, inclusion retention in steels, and refractory metals
6µm & Up	Diamond	Electronics, ceramics, carbides, petrographic, hard metals, glass, and metal matrix composites
6µm & Up	Diamond	Ferrous materials, sintered carbides and cast irons
15 - 0.02μm	Diamond, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , SiO <sub>2</sub>	Ferrous and nonferrous metals, ceramics, electronics, PCB's, thermal spray coatings, cast irons, cermets, minerals, composites, plastics
15- 0.02µm	Diamond, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Ferrous and nonferrous metals, microelectronics, polymer matrix composites, coatings
9 - 1µm	Diamond	Ferrous and nonferrous metals, microelectronics, coatings
9 - 1µm	Diamond	Soft metals
6 - 0.02µm	Diamond, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , SiO <sub>2</sub>	Ferrous and nonferrous metals
6 - 1µm	Diamond	Cast iron, copper and aluminum alloys
5- 0.02µm	Diamond, Al <sub>2</sub> O3, SiO <sub>2</sub>	Ferrous and nonferrous metals, ceramics, composites, PCBs, cast irons, cermets, plastics, electronics
3 - 0.02µm	Diamond, Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , SiO <sub>2</sub>	Ferrous and nonferrous materials
1 - 0.05µm	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , SiO <sub>2</sub>	Soft nonferrous and microelectronics
1 - 0.02µm	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> , SiO <sub>2</sub>	Titanium, stainless steel, lead/tin, solders, electronics, soft nonferrous metals, plastics



### **Diamond Polishing Suspensions & Pastes**

MetaDi Diamond Suspensions and Pastes are high-quality diamond polishing products that provide repeatable performance and deliver exceptional surface quality.

#### Repeatable Polishing Results

Buehler's MetaDi Diamond products are tightly controlled to prevent any deviations in particle size or concentrations. This ensures repeatable polishing results and a high quality surface finish for every sample processed.

#### Fast Preparation Time

MetaDi Supreme Suspension offers a high material removal rate and minimal deformation making it the product of choice for most materials. The high concentration of polycrystalline diamonds offers numerous sharp cutting faces to efficiently remove material and polish the surface.

#### Processing Unique Materials

Some materials are not compatible with traditional water-based suspensions due to water-sensitivity or diamond embedding. The Oil-Based MetaDi Monocrystalline Suspension as well as MetaDi pastes offer multiple options when working with water-sensitive materials.

### MetaDi<sup>®</sup> Diamond Suspensions

#### MetaDi Supreme Polycrystalline Suspension

Water-based, free of solvents, high diamond concentration, tight distribution of diamond grain size. Very high removal rate.

Color		Diamond Size	8oz [0.24L]*	32oz [0.95L]	1gal [3.8L]
	Charcoal	0.05µm	40-6627		
	Grey	0.25µm	40-6629		40-6629-128
	Blue	1µm	40-6630	40-6630-032	40-6630-128
	Blue	1µm Fine	40-6630F	40-6630F-032	40-6630F-128
	Green	3µm	40-6631	40-6631-032	40-6631-128
	Green	3µm Fine	40-6631F	40-6631F-032	40-6631F-128
	Yellow	6µm	40-6632	40-6632-032	40-6632-128
	Deep Red	9µm	40-6633	40-6633-032	40-6633-128
	Brown	15µm	40-6634	40-6634-032	40-6634-128
	Orange	30µm	40-6635	40-6635-032	40-6635-128
	Purple	45µm	40-6636		



#### MetaDi Monocrystalline Suspension

Monocrystalline suspension provides good material removal for most materials.

Color		Diamond Size	16oz [0.47L]*	32oz [0.95L]	1gal [3.8L]
	Blue	1µm	40-6530	40-6530-032	40-6530-128
	Green	3µm	40-6531	40-6531-032	40-6531-128
	Yellow	6µm	40-6532	40-6532-032	40-6532-128
	Deep Red	9µm	40-6533	40-6533-032	40-6533-128
	Brown	15µm	40-6534	40-6534-032	40-6534-128



#### Dye-Free MetaDi Supreme Polycrystalline Suspension

Ideal for materials that may absorb dye and affect image analysis.

Diamond Size	8oz [0.24L]*
1µm	40-6730
3µm	40-6731
6µm	40-6732
9µm	40-6733

#### MetaDi Monocrystalline Suspension Oil Based

Ideal for processing materials that are water-sensitive.

Colo	or	Diamond Size	16oz* [0.47L]
	Blue	1µm	40-6540
	Green	3µm	40-6541
	Yellow	6µm	40-6542
	Deep Red	9µm	40-6543
	Brown	15µm	40-6544

### MetaDi Combo, Suspension & Extender

Combination of monocrystalline suspension and extender fluid to maintain consistency when using automated dosing systems.

Co	lor	Diamond Size	32oz [0.95L]
	Blue	1µm	40-5530-032
	Green	3µm	40-5531-032
	Yellow	6µm	40-5532-032
	Deep Red	9µm	40-5534-032

\*8oz and 16oz are supplied with spray nozzle.



### MetaDi<sup>®</sup> Diamond Pastes

For water free preparation. Polycrystalline for ductile materials, monocrystalline for hard, brittle materials and petrographic applications

#### MetaDi Ultra Polycrystalline Paste

Polycrystalline paste provides efficient material removal for soft materials that may be prone to diamond embedding. Use with MetaDi Fluid or AutoMet Oil.

Color		Diamond Size	20g	
	Blue	1µm	40-1-6301	
	Green	3µm	40-1-6303	
	Yellow	6µm	40-1-6305	
	Deep Red	9µm	40-1-6307	
	Brown	15µm	40-1-6309	
This product is grey in color with color coded packaging				

#### MetaDi Monocrystalline Paste

Natural monocrystalline diamond paste for materials that are prone to diamond embedding. Use with MetaDi Fluid or AutoMet Oil.

Color		Diamond Size	5g	20g
	Grey	0.25µm	40-6112	40-6102
	Blue	1µm	40-6138	40-6128
	Green	3µm	40-6152	40-6142
<u></u> Υ	ellow	6µm	40-6172	40-6162
Dee	o Red	9µm	40-6192	40-6182
E	lrown	15µm	40-6212	40-6202



#### MetaDi II Monocrystalline Paste

Synthetic monocrystalline diamond paste for materials that are very prone to diamond embedding. Use with MetaDi Fluid or AutoMet Oil.

Colo	r	Diamond Size	5g	20g
	Grey	0.25µm	40-6241	40-6240
	Blue	1µm	40-6244	40-6243
	Green	3µm	40-6247	40-6246
	Yellow	6µm	40-6250	40-6249
D	eep Red	9µm	40-6253	40-6252
	Brown	15µm	40-6256	40-6255

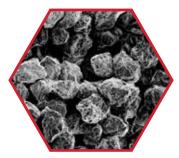
#### **Polishing Lubricants**

MetaDi Fluid is a water soluble lubricant for use with pastes and suspensions. AutoMet Oil is recommended for use with water sensitive materials.

#### Part Number Description

40-6016	MetaDi Fluid, 16oz [0.47L]
40-6032	MetaDi Fluid, 32oz [0.95L]
40-6064-085	MetaDi Fluid, 85oz [2.5L]
60-3250-006	AutoMet <sup>®</sup> Oil, 6oz [0.18L]
60-3250-128	AutoMet Oil, 1gal [3.8L]

### Differences between Polycrystalline and Monocrystalline Diamonds



45micron diamond in SEM (450X) Angular, polycrystalline diamonds provide numerous cutting facets on the particle surface, resulting in less deformation



45micron diamond in SEM (450X)

Sharp edges of monocrystalline diamonds ensure clean and efficient cutting action



### **Final Polishing Suspensions**

Final polishing suspensions are designed to remove the final layer of surface deformation and prepare a sample for analysis. A variety of products are offered to meet many different application needs.

#### Excellent Surface Finish

While the final layer of deformation is often invisible to the naked eye, it must be removed for some analysis techniques.



Sol-gel alumina suspension (0.05µm, ~8.5pH) is excellent for minerals, ferrous metals, carbides, precious metals, PWB's electronics and polymers.

63-6377-006	6oz [0.18L]
40-6377-032	32oz [0.95L]
40-6377-064	64oz [1.9L]

#### MasterPolish<sup>®</sup> Final Polish



Blend of high purity alumina and colloidal silica (0.05µm, ~9pH) that contains minimal water and is optimal for water sensitive materials.

40-10084

32oz [0.95L]



Agglomerated alumina powders offering high removal rates and suitable for use on pure and alloyed lead and magnesium.

40-10075	0.05µm 1lb [0.45kg]
40-10076	0.05µm 5lb [2.3kg]
40-10077	0.3µm 11b [0.45kg]
40-10078	0.3µm 5lb [2.3kg]
40-10079	1µm 1lb [0.45kg]
40-10080	1µm 5lb [2.3kg]

#### MasterMet<sup>®</sup> Colloidal Silica



Amorphous colloidal silica suspension (0.06µm, ~10pH) that provides chemomechanical polishing and is excellent for refractory metals, minerals and ceramics.

40-6370-006 6oz [0.18L] 40-6370-064 64oz [1.9L]



Iron oxide suspension (0.06µm, ~10pH) that provides chemo-mechanical polishing and is excellent for sapphire, glass, alumina, silicon nitride and metal/ceramic composites.

40-6376-032 32oz [0.95L]



High quality deagglomerated alumina powders offering good surface finish and suitable for most minerals and metals.

### Application Specific Solutions

Alumina suspensions and powders along with colloidal silica suspensions offer a solution for the wide variety of materials being processed in today's world.

### MasterMet<sup>®</sup> 2 Colloidal Silica



Non-crystallizing amorphous colloidal silica suspension (0.02µm, ~10.5pH) that provides chemo-mechanical polishing action and is excellent for refractory metals, minerals, and ceramics.

40-6380-006	6oz [0.18L]
40-6380-064	64oz [1.9L]

#### MicroPolish\* Alumina Suspension



Agglomerated alumina suspensions offering high removal rates and suitable for use on pure and alloyed lead and magnesium.

40-10083	0.05µm	n 6oz [0.18L]
40-10082	0.3µm	6oz [0.18L]
40-10081	1µm	6oz [0.18L]



#### FibrMet<sup>™</sup> Abrasive Discs

FibrMet<sup>®</sup> Abrasive Disc are PSA (polyester backed) films, approx. 0.1 mm thick, coated with either an aluminum oxide or silicon carbide abrasive. These discs can be used wet or dry and are most suitable for fine grinding and polishing application, such as optical fiber and microelectronics where resultant surface flatness is essential. Qty 50

Micron	4in [102mm]	8in [203mm]	12in [305mm]
0.3µm	69-3104	69-3174	69-3124
1µm	69-3103	69-3173	69-3123
3µm	69-3102	69-3172	69-3122
9µm	69-3101	69-3171	69-3121
12µm	69-3100	69-3170	

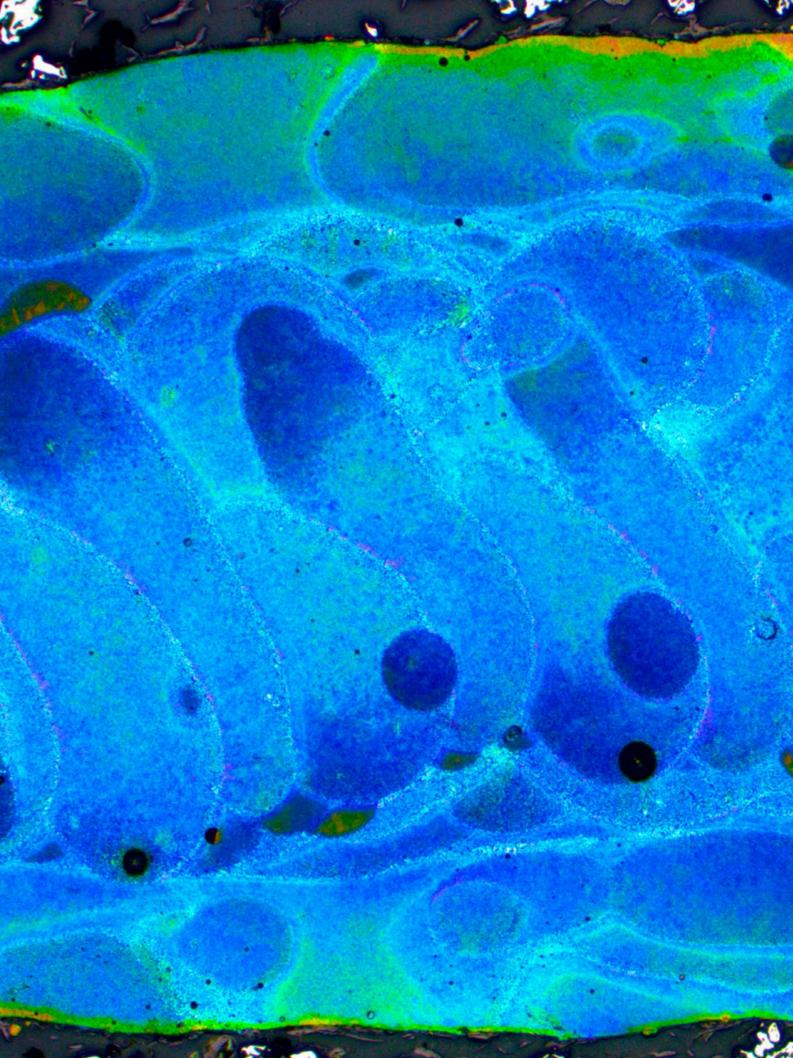
#### UltraPrep<sup>™</sup> Diamond Lapping Films

UltraPrep Diamond Lapping Films are designed for various material applications including microelectronic devices, wafers, ceramics, optical fibers, petrographic, and other metallographic materials. Ideal for preparation applications where surface flatness and minimal deformation are critical. Qty 5

8in [203mm] PSA Backed	8in [203mm] Plain Backed
15-6791	15-6792
15-6795	15-6796
15-6801	15-6802
15-6803	15-6804
15-6806	15-6807
15-6809	15-6810
15-6815	15-6816
15-6830	15-6831
	PSA Backed           15-6791           15-6795           15-6801           15-6803           15-6806           15-6809           15-6815



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The OmniMet system offers seamless point-and-click integration of microscopes, cameras, and image analysis software via an intuitive Microsoft<sup>®</sup> Windows<sup>®</sup> interface. Images can be viewed and analyzed directly from a compatible microscope camera, or imported into Omnimet as images files in any standard format. OmniMet software is offered at different levels of flexibility, functionality, and analytical power to meet the needs of every laboratory requiring image data archiving and quantitative image analysis.

# OmniMet<sup>®</sup> Modular Digital Imaging System

### Designed for Demanding Production Lab Environments

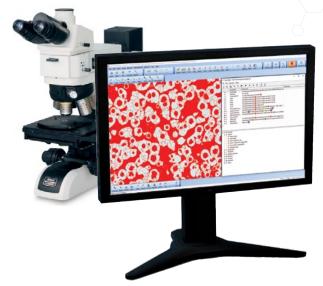
OmniMet®

### Flexible

• Flexible platform with preconfigured software or hardware packages and optional accessories. Optional Capture and Measurement Modules available to customize software solution.

### Powerful

 Any standard format image may be viewed directly from a microscope or be imported into OmniMet for analysis.
 Local Area Network (LAN) support offered by OmniMet Viewer Module.

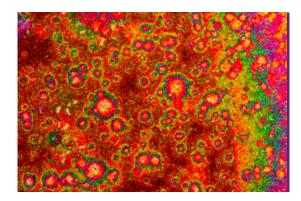


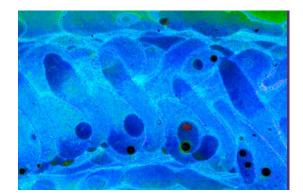
Systems*	Software**	Editions
86-1-1001	86-1-1000	OmniMet Viewer allows networked users to view and modify images and information in an Omnimet database on the same network
	86-1-1010	OmniMet Capture N' Measure (CnM) enables image capture with basic measurement functions and scale bar (without database functions). Measuring tools include length, parallel lines, curved line, area, perimeter, radius, angle and count. Images can be saved in common formats. Results can be burnt into the image but cannot be stored or exported to Excel®.
86-1-1003	86-1-1002	OmniMet Basic includes everything in Capture 'N Measure, and also adds databasing functionality for archiving as well as MS Office report templates for presenting results. Optional Capture Modules may be added for specific applications
86-1-1005	86-1-1004	OmniMet Advanced includes everything in OmniMet Basic, and also adds enhanced measurements capabilities. Measurements can be saved in the database, or interactively to Excel worksheets. Built in statistical analysis streamlines interpretation of results and reporting. Optional Capture Modules and Advanced Measurement Modules may be added for specific applications.
86-1-1007	86-1-1006	OmniMet Express includes everything in OmniMet Advanced, with the added capability of running automated Scripts. Scripts are application specific image analysis packages to provide best efficiency and reproducibility for repeat analysis in high throughput environments. Optional Capture Modules, Advanced Measurement Modules and pre-programmed Application Specific Scripts may be added.
86-1-1009	86-1-1008	OmniMet Enterprise includes everything in OmniMet Express, with the added capability of writing and editing Scripts. Fully customizable Scripts allow the user complete control of analysis solutions. Comes with 8 commonly used Application Specific Scripts. Optional Capture Modules, Advanced Measurement Modules and additional Application Specific Scripts may be added.

\* System Package includes software pre-installed on a Windows 10, 64-bit workstation and mousepad.

Íncludes keyboard and mouse, does not include a monitor.

\*\* Software Only package includes software, mousepad and is compatible with Windows 10 computer, (64-bit).





### **OmniMet<sup>®</sup> Modular Digital Imaging System**



### **OmniMet®** Software Modules & Features

Software Description	Viewer	CnM	Basic	Advanced	Express	Enterprise
Capture						
Load and Save	•	٠	•	•	•	•
Brightness, Auto-White Balance, Color Correction	•	•	•	•	•	•
Digital Zoom, Rotate, Calibration & Annotation	•	•	•	•	•	•
Camera Interface (USB, EEE I394, Capture Cards, DirectShow, Twain, etc.)		•	•	•	•	٠
Motorized Stage Controller			•	•	٠	٠
Capture Modules (optional)			\$	$\diamond$	\$	٥
Measure						
Standard Measurements: Length, Area, Radius, Count, Parallel Lines	٠	•	•	•	٠	٠
Advanced Measurements: 3-point Circle, Adj. Angle, Polygon				•	•	•
Advanced Measurement Modules (optional)				$\diamond$	\$	٥
Color Threshold (size, intensity), 16 Bitplanes					•	•
Automation Capable: Read & Run Scripts					•	•
ScriptEditor: Write, and Edit Scripts						•
Application Specific Scripts (optional)					\$	◊*
Report						
Report Data, Report Generator (requires Microsoft® Office)			•	•	•	•
Results Window with measurements log				•	•	•
Organize						
Database Interface	•		•	•	•	•
Database Creation & Administration			•	•	•	•
<ul> <li>Included with package</li> <li>Optional module (purchased separately)</li> <li>Compilet Enterprise comes with a selection of Scripts</li> </ul>						

\* OmniMet Enterprise comes with a selection of Scripts.

### Capture and Advanced Measurement Modules (optional)

#### **Capture Modules**

Can be added to any package

- 86-4130 **OmniMet Multi-Focal Images** Used to create focused images from multiple images of the same specimen when the viewing surface exists in different focal planes. Beneficial for removing edge rounding or viewing rougher surfaces when sharply focused images are required for analysis.
- 86-4140 **OmniMet Mosaic Multiple Image Stitching** Used to stitch multiple images together to create one large, calibrated stitched image. Measurements are possible on the stitched image. Useful for documenting features larger than one field of view. A motorized stage is not required.

#### **Advanced Measurement Modules**

Can be added to any Advanced, Express or Enterprise package

- 86-4110 OmniMet Object Analysis 'Single phase' image analysis for measurements of image features and field characteristics: Area Fraction, Area Position, Number of Objects, Perimeter, Compactness, Length, Feret Diameter, Center of Gravity, Inclusion and Exclusion of Objects by Size.
- 86-4115 **OmniMet Weld** Measurement Tools for determining weld characteristics. Use a circle radius to determine effective weld depth, angular A-measurements, or full weld outline characterization to determine effective depth, penetration and area.
- 86-4120 **OmniMet Hardness** Measure Vickers and Knoop indentations interactively, quickly, and easily. Allows load force in gf or kgf and delivers accurate HV/HK values along with the diagonal indent dimensions.
- 86-4125 **OmniMet Grain Size** Measure grain size interactively using ASTM-E112 methodology with linear intercept or circle intercept methods.



### **OmniMet<sup>®</sup> Modular Digital Imaging System**

### Application Specific Scripts (optional)

86-3050*	Manual Interactive - Thickness Measurements of line lengths with statistics for length and thickness measurements.	86-3150	Intercept Grain Size - Automated grain size determination delivering average grain size per field using straight line and circular intercept methods in accordance with ASTM E112.
86-3100*	Grain Size - Automated grain size measurements in accordance with ASTM E112. Average grain size by intercept methods and grain size distributions using	86-3310	<b>Surface Roughness</b> - Surface roughness measurements in accordance with ASME B46.1-02.
	areas are delivered. Additional processing identifies ALA grain size and duplex populations in accordance to ASTM E930 and ASTM E1181 where appropriate. ISO 643 compliant.	86-3350	<b>Decarburization Depth Assessment</b> - Determines depth of total or partial decarburization according to the relative amount of free ferrite present according to ASTM E1077.
86-3300*	<b>Coating Layer</b> - Thickness Measures coating, plating or layer thickness of cross-sectioned samples in compliance with ASTM B487.	86-3525	<b>Cleanliness Assessment</b> - Provides cleanliness assessment of particles on filter paper meeting the requirements of ISO 4406.
86-3400*	<b>Graphite in Cast Iron</b> - Automated analysis of graphite in cast iron in accordance with ASTM A247. Measures size and class count of graphite nodules and area percentages of ferrite graphite and pearlite. For gray iron graphite length is also provided.	86-3600	Indentation Hardness - Provides the capability to measure and analyze Knoop and Vickers indents in accordance with ASTM E384. Reports can be exported in HK, HV, HRC, and HRB scales with graphical displays of the hardness profile.
86-3500*	<b>Particle Sizing</b> - Detects and measures particles in a field of view providing statistics on quantity and size distribution. Suitable for non-agglomerated particulates, precipitates, and powders.	86-3700	Banding Assessment - Determines the degree of microstructural banding in conformance with ASTM E1268. Delivers quantitative information on the degree
86-3550*	<b>Porosity Assessment</b> - Provides automated measurements of fine holes or pores in a material.		of orientation, anisotropy index, and mean feature spacing.
86-3750*	Dendritic Arm Spacing - Delivers measurements of	86-3850	Inclusion Rating - Determines area percentage, mean

- Dendritic Arm Spacing Delivers measurements of lengths between dendrite arms in cast aluminum alloys.
   86-3850
   Inclusion Rating - Determines area percentage, mean free path distances, and average numbers of intercepts for oxide and sulfide stringers in ferrous metals in accordance with ASTM E1245.
- \* Included with OmniMet® Enterprise

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### Upgrades and Updates

Existing customers may update their OmniMet software to the latest versions. Additionally lower level OmniMet software packages may be upgraded to higher level packages for increased functionality.

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Upgrade OmniMet to a higher functional level:

Customer license number and site ID MUST BE INCLUDED with purchase order.

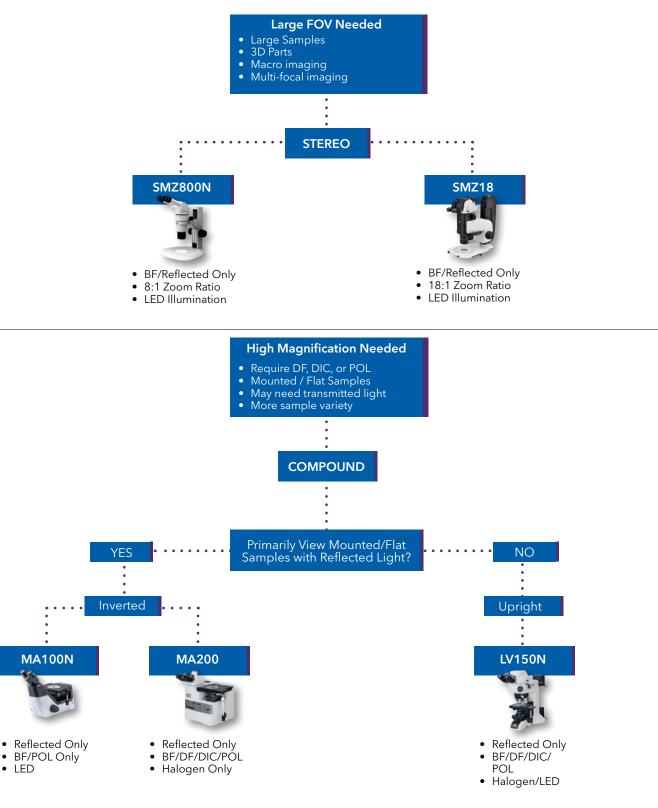
Upgrade From / To	Basic	Advanced	Express	Enterprise
Capture N' Measure	86-5006	86-4006	86-3006	86-1006
Capture Basic	x	86-4002	86-3002	86-1002
Capture Advanced	х	х	86-3004	86-1004
Express	х	х	х	86-1003

Update OmniMet to the latest software release:

86-4202 Update Basic
86-4204 Update Advanced
86-4205 Update Viewer
86-4206 Update Capture N' Measure
86-4201 Update Express
86-4203 Update Enterprise



Microscopes offered by Buehler generally fall into the categories of stereo microscopes, upright microscopes, or inverted microscopes are commonly referred to as metallurgical microscopes. Microscopes may offer episcopic (reflected light) observation, diascopic (transmitted light) observation, or both possibilities. Illumination may be delivered in bright field mode (BF) or dark field mode (DF), and several techniques such as differential interference contrast (DIC) and polarized light microscopy make use of the nature of light to reveal specific pieces of information when studying materials.







### Nikon SMZ800N

Zoom Stereo Microscopes from Nikon with high resolution and macro magnification of parts. Perfect for large sample analysis and multi-focal imaging.

- High resolution and magnification stereoscope ideal for weld analysis and macro imaging
- 1-8X zoom range (with 1/2/3/4/6/8x click stops)
- 5x 160x magnification range with 10x eyepieces (dependent upon objective and camera adapter selection)
- LED fiber illumination available with epi coaxial, ringlight and flexible light pipe options for a variety of applications.
- Double nosepiece accessory enables on-axis viewing, extended depth of focus, and quick rotation between multiple objectives.
- Trinocular body tubes enables built-in access for camera adapter, camera, and OmniMet<sup>®</sup> integration



Part Number	Configuration
8741-01	Nikon SMZ800N with 1x Objective - on plain stand with 50/50 trinocular body tube with camera port (requires camera adapter), 10x eyepieces, 1x objective, LED illuminator, flexible light pipes, ¼ Lambda plate, and dust cover.
8741-02	Nikon SMZ800N with 0.5x Objective - on plain stand with 50/50 trinocular body tube with camera port (requires camera adapter), 10x eyepieces, 0.5x objective, LED illuminator, flexible light pipes, ¼ Lambda plate, and dust cover.

### Nikon SMZ800N Objectives and Accessories





Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 0.55x, LV-TV

8749-11

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Rotatable nosepiece for 2 objectives. Also provides on-axis viewing, necessary for using multi-focus module 86-4130 with the stereo microscope

(Choose a 2nd objective for this option)





Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 1x, LV-TV

8749-13



Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 0.7x, LV-TV

8749-12

### **Zoom Stereo Microscopes**



### Nikon SMZ18

Zoom Stereo Microscopes from Nikon with high resolution and macro magnification of parts. Perfect for large sample analysis and multi-focal imaging.

- Ease of creating higher resolution, contrast, and zoom ratio images for electronics and other 3D parts
- High zoom range (0.75 13.5x with 0.75/1/2/3/4/5/6/8/10/12/13.5x click stops
- 3.75 270x magnification range with 10x eyepieces (dependent upon objective and camera adapter selection)
- Double nosepiece accessory enables on-axis viewing, extended depth of focus, and quick rotation between multiple objectives.
- Trinocular body tubes enables built-in access for camera adapter, camera, and OmniMet® integration



Part Number	Configuration
8742-01	Nikon SMZ18 with 1x Objective - on plain base with 105mm of Z travel, 50/50 trinocular body tube with camera port (requires camera adapter), 10x eyepieces, 1x objective, LED illuminator, fiber optic ringlight, ¼ Lambda plate, and dust cover

### Nikon SMZ18 Objectives and Accessories





Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 1x, LV-TV

8749-13





### **Inverted Industrial Microscopes**

### Nikon Eclipse MA100N

Inverted Microscopes are compact, durable and used for high magnification needs. They are ideal for mount sample analysis with flat sample surfaces and are equipped to use multiple light sources for analysis variation.

- The MA100N is a compact inverted microscope designated for bright field and simple polarizing observations.
- This model offers cost-effective solution to manufacturing and QA QC situations in industries, such as automotive/electronics and industrial machinery/tools.
- This simple but durable microscope enables high contrast image observation and capture.

Part Number	Configuration
8743-03	Nikon MA100N inverted LED Microscope - with ISO camera port (0.63x camera adapter incl.), LED illuminator, 10x eyepieces, manual XY stage (50x50mm), 5 position turret, includes 5x, 10x, 20x, 50x TU Epi Plan objectives, dust cover.



### Nikon Eclipse MA100N Objectives and Accessories



### **Inverted Industrial Microscopes**



### Nikon Eclipse MA200

Inverted Microscopes are compact, durable and used for high magnification needs. They are ideal for mount sample analysis with flat sample surfaces and are equipped to use multiple light sources from BF, DF, DIC & POL for analysis variation.

- Compact, durable, inverted microscope ideal for mounted, flat samples.
- Available in BF, DF, DIC, & POL with Halogen illumination (50W).
- Ergonomic design with all controls easily accessible from the front.
- DIC configuration includes intelligent nose-piece which displays objective position on front.
- Slider slots available for Grain Size and Dial Size reticle which show up on camera as well as through the eyepiece.



Part Number	Configuration
8744-01	Nikon MA200 BF Inverted Microscope - with stationary trinocular body tube, 10x eyepieces, LV-TV camera ports on body and trinocular head (requires camera adapter), halogen lamphouse with 50W bulb, manual XY stage with insert (50 x 50mm travel), 6-position nosepiece with 5x, 10x, 20x, and 50x Epi Plan Fluor BF objectives, and dust cover.
8744-02	Nikon MA200 BD/DF Inverted Microscope - with stationary trinocular body tube, 10x eyepieces, LV-TV camera ports on body and trinocular head (requires camera adapter), halogen lamphouse with 50W bulb, manual XY stage with insert (50 x 50mm travel), 5-position nosepiece with 5x, 10x, 20x, and 50x Epi Plan Fluor BF objectives, and dust cover.
8744-03	Nikon MA200 BF/DF/DIC Inverted Microscope - with stationary trinocular body tube, 10x eyepieces, LV-TV camera ports on body and trinocular head (requires camera adapter), halogen lamphouse with 50W bulb, manual XY stage with insert (50 x 50mm travel), polarizer and analyzer set, DIC slider, 5-position nosepiece with 5x, 10x, 20x, 50x Epi Plan Fluor BD objectives and dust cover.

### Nikon Eclipse MA200 Accessories and Objectives

Polarizer/Analyzer	Grain Size Reticle Slider	Scale Dial Slider	Stage Insert	
Included with DIC Package	Slider for grain size analysis and	5x, 10x, 20x, 50x, 100x	Includes 1in,1.125in, 1.5in stage	
8744-61	NMI analysis 8744-62	8744-63	inserts 8744-64	
Stage Insert	Camera Adapter	Camera Adapter	Camera Adapter	
			Nikon	
Includes 25mm, 30mm, 40mm stage inserts	Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 0.55x, LV-TV, for 1/2" chip size cameras	Camera Adapter, C-Mount, .7x, LV-TV, for 2/3" chip size cameras	Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 1x, LV-TV, for 1″ chip size cameras	
8744-65	8749-11	8749-12	8749-13	
Nikon Eclipse MA200 Objecti	NIMUE12010* - 1x NIMUE12030* - 2.5x NIMUE12050 - 5x *Polarizer Required	NIMUE12100 - 10x NIMUE12200 - 20x NIMUE00400 - 40x	NIMUE12500 - 50x NIMUE12900 - 100x	
	Darkfield/DIC Objectiv NIMUE42050 - 5x NIMUE42100 - 10x	<b>ves</b> NIMUE42200 - 20x NIMUE42500 - 50x	NIMUE42900 - 100x	





### **Inverted Industrial Microscopes**

### Nikon Eclipse LV150N

Upright Industrial Microscopes are versatile upright microscopes suitable for reflected and/or transmitted light applications. Perfect for high magnification needs with samples that are not flat or mounted.

- Versatile upright microscope suitable for reflected light applications
- Available with LED illumination for BF applications
- Available with Halogen (50W) illumination for BF, DF, DIC, & POL
- Epi Plan Fluor objectives provide superior chromatic aberration performance, high numerical apertures, and long working distance at all magnifications



Part Number	Configuration
8745-01	Nikon LV150NL BF Upright LED Microscope - with stationary trinocular body tube, 10x eyepieces, LV-TV camera port (requires camera adapter), LED illumination, manual 3 x 2in [76 x 51mm] mechanical stage, 6-position nosepiece with 5x, 10x, 20x and 50x Epi Plan Fluor BF objectives, and dust cover.
8745-02	Nikon LV150N BF/DF/DIC Upright Halogen Microscope - with stationary trinocular body tube, 10x eyepieces, LV-TV camera port (requires camera adapter), Halogen illumination with 50W bulb, NCB11 and ND4 filters, 3 x 2in [76 x 51mm] mechanical stage, 5-position nosepiece with 5x, 10x, 20x and 50x Epi Plan Fluor BF objectives, rotating polarizer/analyzer, DIC slider, and dust cover.

### Nikon LV150N Objectives & Accessories

Polarizer/Analyzer	Polarizer/Analyzer	Can	nera Adapter
	66		Nikon
For LV150N Halogen	For LV150NL LED	Camera Adap	ter, C-Mount, 1x, LV-TV
8745-61	8745-62	8749-13	
Camera Adapter	Camera Adapter		
Camera Adapter, C-Mount, 0.55x, LV-TV	Camera Adapter, C-Mount, .7x,	LV-TV	
8749-11	8749-12		
Nikon LV150N Objectives	Brightfield Objectives NIMUE12010* - 1x NIMUE12030* - 2.5x NIMUE12050 - 5x *Polarizer Required Darkfield/DIC Objectives NIMUE42050 - 5x NIMUE42100 - 10x	NIMUE12100 - 10x NIMUE12200 - 20x NIMUE00400 - 40x NIMUE42200 - 20x NIMUE42500 - 50x	NIMUE12500 - 50x NIMUE12900 - 100x NIMUE42900 - 100x

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### **Upright Industrial Microscopes**



### Digital Cameras

Part Number	Model	Mega pixels	Chip Size	Resolution (w x h)	Frame Rate (fps)	lmage Sensor	Interface
86-0274	uEye 1460SE-C	3.1	0.5in	2048 x 1536	11.2	CMOS	USB2.0
86-0270	uEye 1460LE-C	3.1	0.5in	2048 x 1536	11.2	CMOS	USB2.0
86-0358	uEye 3580LE	5	0.5in	2560 x 1920	15.2	CMOS	USB3.0
86-0337	uEye 3370CP	4	1in	2048 x 2048	80	CMOS	USB3.0



LE Edition



SE Edition

### Stage Micrometer

Part Number	Description
8749-21	Stage Micrometer, mm-Inch NIST Certified
8749-22	Stage Micrometer, Metal, 1mm/0.01mm
8749-23	Stage Micrometer, Metal, 1mm/0.01mm with UKAS certificate



### Monitors

Part Number	Description
85-0135	24in Touch Monitor, LCD with 1920 x 1200 display capability



### Leveling Accessories for Upright Microscopes

Part Number	Description
8749-31	Leveling Press
8749-34	Metal Slides, Set of 5, 75mm x 25 mm
8749-35	Metal Slides, Set of 2, 1in x 3in





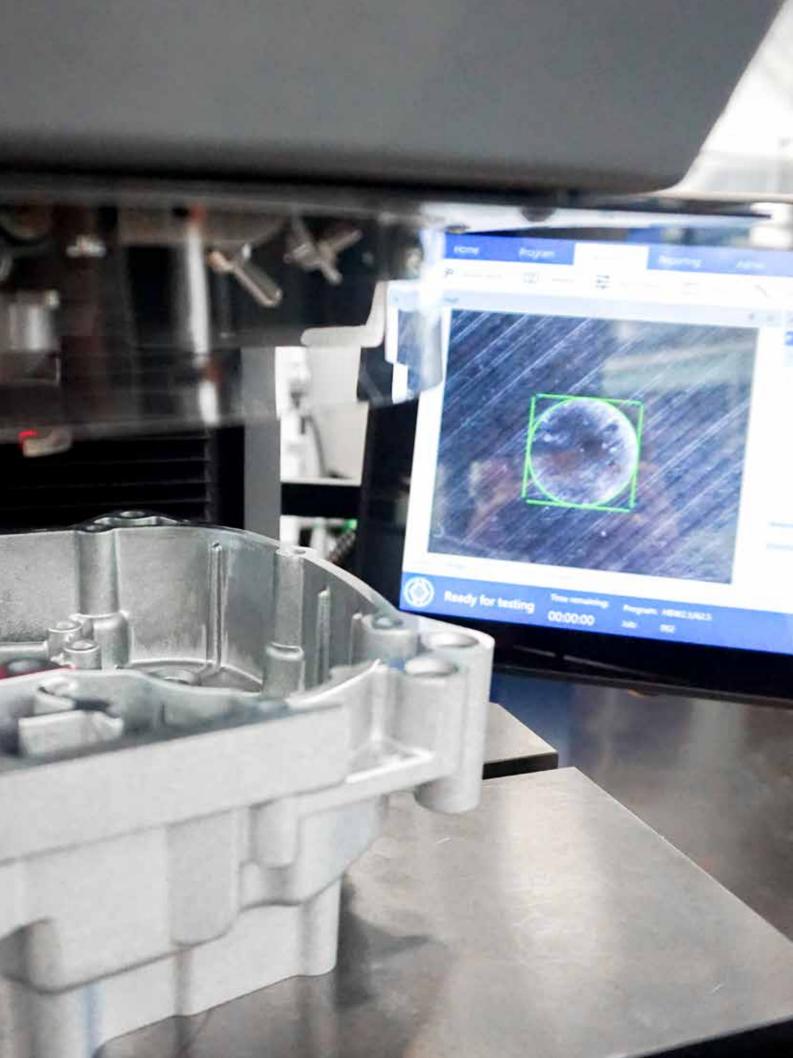
# HARDNESS TESTING

Wilson<sup>®</sup> hardness testers include a comprehensive range of hardness testers from Rockwell<sup>®</sup>, Knoop, Vickers, and Brinell

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Buehler Service Support is dedicated to ensure the highest quality calibration, verification, and service throughout the world and our Application Support combines years of experience with unparalleled expertise.







### DiaMet - Hardness Testing Made Easy

Navigation within the DiaMet<sup>™</sup> Software is made easy by its clean design and is supported by simple and intuitive gestures. Virtual tabs on top of the screen let you navigate between to Home, Program, Testing and Reporting. Comprehensive feedback is shown on the status bar, which makes interactions clear and efficient. Being designed for touch panel use, with an entirely new look and feel, DiaMet is simple, useful, and smart to work with! Easy To Operate by touch, mouse or keyboard. DiaMet Enterprise options let you Scan, Stitch and edge detect your sample to find exact locations where you can drop in pre-configured testing templates to speed up your operation.

### Wilson<sup>®</sup> DiaMet<sup>™</sup> Multisample



#### Define start coordinates

For each sample, the center or any needed X, Y or Z coordinate can be programmed and used for navigation or pattern placement

#### Perfect overview

When scanning the contour or the whole sample, it is displayed on the holder

#### Simple Stage Navigation

Click on the sample of the holder and move to the defined sample coordinates

#### Easy testing workflow

Clear your tested sample holder and start with the next batch of samples right away

### DiaMet - Automation Packages

Automated Microindentation system available with different levels of automation. All control of the hardness instrument can be handled through comprehensive software. Automatically test and measure indentations, as well as set up and run automatic testing sequences and generate reports through export of data with minimal operator interaction. All parameters of the test, such as load monitoring, dwell times, and focusing are controlled through the software providing a very user friendly system. Hardness conversion into other scales is supported.

DiaMet Features	Manual (Cam Only)	Basic	Semi-Automatic	Full-Automatic	Enterprise
Manual Indent Measure			•		
Auto Indent Measure					
Barcode Scanner Interface					
Statistics, Reporting & Export tools					
K1c Testing					
Weld Testing					
Auto-illumination					
Digital zoom					
Motorized XY-stage control					
Multi Sample Testing					
Auto-focus					
Edge detection					
Contour, Scanning & stitching					
Hardness mapping					
Specimen templates					

## DiaMet<sup>™</sup> Hardness Software



## DiaMet - Hardness Testing Functions

### Weld Testing

Weld testing has never been easier. Use the intuitive weld pattern generator in the program section and align your pattern on each weld section within seconds.



### **Geometric Functions**

Basic measurements support you across the board of hardness testing. Make simple length or angle measurements, circle or area calculations with our geometry tool.



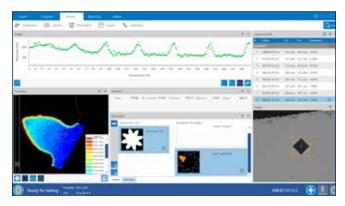
## Database Query

Have access to the full database and search, filter and export your selection of interest.

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## Color Mapping

Mapping gives an indication of the hardness distribution across a region of interest. Especially helpful for surface treated materials.



## **Results Trending**

Trending of selection of testjobs of a specific program enables to track the process performance of customer samples/test programs





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## Wilson<sup>®</sup> All-in-One VH3100

The best pre-configured full automatic Vickers hardness tester on the market. The All-in-One Wilson VH3100 has all you need for your production control hardness testing requirements. This setup is configured to easily perform hardness tests with advanced software solutions - DiaMet Enterprise.





## Wilson All-in-One VH3100 - 125mm Vertical Capacity Part Number - VH3100

Description					
Hardness scales	ISO and ASTM certified Vickers indenter				
Loads	0.05 - 10kgf (0.49 - 98.07N)				
Objectives	10x and 50x long working distance objective for measurments and navigation				
Stage	Motorized 180x180mm stage (travel 110x140mm)				
Overview camera	Bright field overview camera with 13x13mm FOV, for navigation, scanning or stitching				
DiaMet Enterprise	All software features you need - including mapping, edge detection, scanning, stitching of overview image, CHD calculations, statistics, weld testing, exporting and barcode scanner interface				
DiaMet workstation and montior	High performance PC with 24" FullHD touchmonitor				



Please select the correct sample holder by sample diameter or a clamping device.

# Vickers-Knoop Hardness Accessories



## Sample Holders and Accessories

A good sample holder keeps your specimen stationary and provides support during testing. Buehler sample holders also level tapered samples to ensure that the test surface is perfectly perpendicular to the indenter. This ensures an accurate and problem free execution of your test job.

#### Leveling Vise



Self leveling vise for one round mounted sample up to 40mm (requires additional insert), incl. magnets 886164

Self leveling vise for a single 50mm round mounted sample, no inserts applicable. Incl. 886167 <sup>magnets.</sup>

#### Universal Leveling Vise



Universal clamping & leveling vise. Can be used to hold tapered pieces, wires and mounted samples.

900086323



Opening max 45mm

9100258

#### 4 Fold Leveling Vise



Self leveling vise for four round mounted samples up to 40mm (requires additional inserts). Incl. magnets. 886169

Self leveling vise for four 50mm round mounted sample, no inserts applicable. Incl. 886175 magnets.

#### EZ Clamp



Single mount canister

9100575 Canister (requires cap selection) 9100570 Mount Cap for 1in mounts 9100571 Mount Cap for 1.25in mounts 9100572 Mount Cap for 1.5in mounts 9100576 Mount Cap for 2in mounts 9100574 Magnetic Stop and Stage Mount \*Mount Cap requires the Canister



Active anti-vibration table 600 x 600mm [24 x 24in]

9100906

#### 6 Fold Leveling Vise



Self leveling vise for six round mounted samples up to 40mm (requires additional 886178 inserts). Incl. magnets.



Sample holders 886164, 886169 and 886178 require one insert ring per slot.

886170	Ø 1in [25mm] insert
886171	Ø 30mm insert
886172	Ø 40mm insert
886173	Ø 1.25in insert
886174	Ø 1.5in insert



Passive Vibration Isolation Platform 18 x 24in [610 x 460mm] 9100904 for VH3300 and Rockwell Testers 9100905 for VH3100 and VH1000 series

For more sample holders and supports please contact our technical sales team.





## Wilson<sup>®</sup> VH3100-3300

The Wilson Fully Automated Hardness Testing System provides a fully integrated platform for your complete Vickers and Knoop hardness testing needs. From leading edge modular frame, stage, and optic designs to a fully featured User Interface, our VH3100 and VH3300 Testers can be built to meet your Application needs today, tomorrow, and into the future.

## Ease of use

• Focus on a fast and simple operation to satisfy the needs of novice operators, while maintaining the flexibility and complexity of features required by expert users with DiaMet operation software.

## Flexibility

- With a 6 position vertical turret (Buehler patent), the VH3300 offers the flexibility to configure the tester for the complete 0.01 50kgf (0.098 490.33N) load range or just a section of this.
- The zero-offset overview optics housed in the turret and is both illuminated and calibrated.
- Designed for Vickers testing to conform to international standards ASTM E384 & E92; ISO 6507, 9385, 4546.

### Increase Up-time & Reduce Service Costs

- Collision Resistant System prevents indenter or objective damage.
- All components and software are completely designed, manufactured and integrated by Buehler.



Dimensions 13.39in [340mm]W x 23.62in [600mm]D Vertical Test Capacity - VH3100 choose: 4.92in [125mm], 6.69in [170mm] or 8.46in [215mm] VH3300 choose: 4.1in [105mm] or 6.1in [155mm] Horizontal Test Capacity - 9.23in [235mm] Weight VH3100: 82.7 lbs [37.5kg] VH3300: 144lbs [65kg]

## System Configurations

Start by selecting either the VH3100 or VH3300 and continue on to create a customized Vickers-Knoop Hardness tester

#### Main Unit



### Wilson VH3100

- 3+1 position virtual turret
  0.050 10kgf load range
- Includes DiaMet workstation and 24" monitor

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### Wilson VH3300

- 3+3 position motorized turret
- 0.010 50kgf load range\*
- Includes DiaMet workstation and 24" monitor

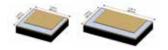
\*depending on configuration

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### Software Options



### **Motorized Stages**



**Standard size** (180 x 180mm) W3000SS

DiaMet Full-Automatic software package W3100A03

DiaMet Enterprise software package W3100A15

> Large size (300 x 180mm) W3000SL

## Vickers-Knoop Hardness Testers

Wilson VH3300



## System Configurations (Continued)

### Wilson VH3100

### **Vertical Test Capacity**

#### W3100D01 - height 125mm W3200D01 - height 105mm W3100D02 - height 170mm W3200D02 - height 155mm W3100D03 - height 215mm Load Cell W3100E02 - 100N loadcell W3210E01 - 10N loadcell select one for VH3100, W3200E02 - 100N loadcell select between one and W3200E04 - 500N loadcell three for VH3300 HK0.025 HK0.05 HK0.1 HK0.2 HK0.3 HK0.5 HK1 HK2 Scales HV0.01 HV0.025 HV0.05 HV0.1 HV0.2 Loadcell W3100E02 Wilson VH3100 Wilson VH3300 W3210E01 W3200E02 W3200E04 **Overview Camera** Separate overview camera Turret integrated overview • Includes Scan & Stitch function in • Includes Scan & Stitch function in the DiaMet software the DiaMet software W3110F01 W3200F01

#### **Additional Accessories**

For Indenters select one Indenter per Load Cell. For Long Working Distance Objectives select up to two for VH3100, select two or three for VH3300

Indenter Holder*		Vi	ckers Inder	nter	Knc	oop Indente	r	Brinell Indenters
*for VH3100 Only			ŀ					
Standard holder W3100G01 SnapGrip Holder		Vickers Indenter, ISO & ASTM Certified W9100687		0 & ASTM	Knoop Indenter, ISO & ASTM Certified W9100684		ASTM	1mm Brinell ball indenter, ISO & ASTM Certified W741237
W3100G02								2.5mm Brinell ball indenter, ISO & ASTM Certified
Objectives	Part Number	Native Mag.	Max. Field of View	Part Number	Native Mag.	Max. Field of View		<u>W7412</u> 37
and the second s	W5XLWDO	5x	3600µm	W40XLWD	40x	450µm		
-	W10XLWD	10x	1800µm	W50XLWD	50x	360µm		Please select your

W100XLWD

100x

180µm

Please select your sample holder on page 74

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W20XLWD

20x

900µm



## Wilson<sup>®</sup> VH1102-1202

The VH1102 and VH1202 offer a versatile, affordable, and reliable solution for accurate micro-hardness testing, both for quality control and for metallurgical research applications. The VH1X02series allows its operator to take measurements using the digital eyepiece in standalone mode or by using an optional integrated high-resolution camera and the powerful DiaMet<sup>™</sup> software.

## Best in Class Optics

- This high quality optical system, with proprietary components, provides an unparalleled image.
- The optional digital camera is integrated inside the housing, keeping it safe from dust and dirt as well as preventing it from getting misaligned.

## Automatic Load Selection

- Designed for Vickers and Knoop testing to conform to international standards ISO 6507, ISO 4545 and ASTM E384
- The wide load range with 9 individual load steps, offer testing capabilities from 0.01 2kgf (0.098 19.61N)

#### VH1102 Standalone Tester Part Number - W1102D01

Description							
Hardness scales	HV						
Main-load	0.01 - 0.025 - 0.05 - 0.1 - 0.2 - 0.3 - 0.5 - 1 - 2kgf						
Objectives	10x and 50x Long Working Distance						
Sample Support	Flat anvil & manual XY Stage						

#### VH1202 Standalone Tester Part Number - W1202D01

Sample Support

Description					
Hardness scales	HV & HK				
Main-load	0.01 - 0.025 - 0.05 - 0.1 - 0.2 - 0.3 - 0.5 - 1 - 2kgf				
Objectives	5x, 10x and 50x Long Working Distance				

Flat anvil & manual XY Stage



#### Dimensions

9.8in [250mm]W x 20.4in [520mm]D x 26.3in [670mm]H Vertical Test Capacity - 5.1in [130mm with XY-stage 3.7in [95mm] Horizontal Test Capacity - 5.1in [130mm] Weight - 110lbs [50kg]



## VH1102-1202 with DiaMet<sup>™</sup> Automation Software

DiaMet worksation and 24" monitor included with VH1102-1202 Hardness Tester

Testers	DiaMet Basic Manual (Analog)	DiaMet Basic Manual (Digital)	DiaMet Semi Auto	DiaMet Full Auto	DiaMet Enterprise
VH1102 Vickers	W1102D31	W1102D33	W1102D35	W1102D37	W1102D45
VH1202 Vickers & Knoop	W1202D31	W1202D33	W1202D35	W1202D37	W1202D45

# **Vickers-Knoop Hardness Testers**



## Wilson<sup>®</sup> VH1150

The Wilson VH1150 is the ultimate evolution of the deadweight Vickers hardness tester with a unique load range, 0.3 - 50kgf (2.94 - 490.33N), combined in one machine. The automatic load selection eliminates the need for a hard to operate manual selector knob, and opens new possibilities in semi-automation applications. Functions like multi-scale conversion, shape correction and USB data export, make hardness testing easier and help you focus on your actual process control.

## Experience the Flexibility of a Segment Leading Wide Load Range

- The manual load selector knob is replaced with a durable motor to change the loads automatically.
- The fast & quiet motorized turret is integrated as part of completely automatic test cycle. One push of the start button is all it takes.

### Versatile

- Designed for Vickers, testing conforms to international standards ISO 6507 and ASTM E384.
- Segment leading load range 0.3 50 kgf load range over ten individual load steps.

#### VH1150 Standalone Tester Part Number - W1151D01

Description						
Hardness scales	HV					
Main-load	0.3 - 0.5 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 5 - 10 - 20 - 30 - 50kgf					
Objectives	10x and 20x Long Working Distance					
Sample Support	Flat anvil & manual XY Stage					

## VH1150 with DiaMet<sup>™</sup> Automation Software



DiaMet worksation and 24" monitor included with VH1150 Hardness Tester



#### Dimensions

9in [230mm]W x 25in [625mm]D x 30in [760mm]H Vertical Test Capacity - 8.2in [210mm with standard flat anvil Horizontal Test Capacity - 6.3in [160mm] Weight - 154 lbs [70.5kg]



Testers	DiaMet Basic	DiaMet Basic	DiaMet	DiaMet	DiaMet
	Manual (Analog)	Manual (Digital)	Semi Auto	Full Auto	Enterprise
VH1150	W1151D31	W1151D33	W1151D35	W1151D37	W1151D45

	Accesso	ories ———				
Indenters for VH1102-1202-1150 Objectives for VH1102-1202-1150						
W9100687	Vickers indenter, includes ASTM & ISO certificate	W5XLWD	5x Long Working Distance objective			
W9100684	Knoop indenter, includes ASTM & ISO certificate	W10XLWD	10x Long Working Distance objective			
		W20XLWD	20x Long Working Distance objective			
Manual Stages	5	W40XLWD	40x Long Working Distance objective			
9170506	XY-stage with analog metric micrometers	W50XLWD	50x Long Working Distance objective			
9170507	XY-stage with digital micrometers	W100XLWD	100x Long Working Distance objective			





## Wilson<sup>®</sup> UH4000 Series

The UH4000 series universal hardness tester is designed for high volume production labs and production floor. It is available in two different configurations, the UH4250 and UH4750. Universal hardness testers are designed to perform several hardness scales with one machine, in most cases for higher loads (>5kgf). The UH4000 series testers contain all standardized and usual hardness testing methods between 0.5 - 250kgf (4,90 - 2451,66 N) and 3 - 750kgf (29,42 - 7354,99N), according to ISO 6506, 6507, 6508 and 4545 and ASTM E18, E10 & E92. Additionally, plastics and carbon testing can be performed according to ISO2039 and DIN51917.

## Ease of Use

• Focus on a fast and simple operation to satisfy the needs of novice operators, while maintaining the flexibility and complexity of features required by expert users with DiaMet operation software.

### Flexibility

- The optional clamping tool will ensure stability during the test process.
- 8 position turret to have all objectives and indenters you need.
- Laser for easy test location targetting and a ringlight for best Brinell measurement accuracy

## Increase Up-time & Reduce Service Costs

Steel casting provides full protection for production environments.

## System Configurations

#### Dimensions

28in [704mm]W x 21in [534mm]H x 39.2in [995mm]D Maximum Specimen Height - 11.8in [300mm] Test Stage Dimensions - T-slot stage with 12mm slot width, 11.8in [300mm] x 15.7in [400mm] Weight - 660 lbs [300kg]

Start by selecting either the UH4250 or UH4750 and continue on to create a customized Universal Hardness tester. The standard models UH4250 and UH4750 will be controlled by DiaMet Basic, including autofocus and automeasurement. The UH4250 Automation will be controlled by DiaMet Enterprise.

### Main Unit



**Configure Turret** 

Select up to 8 different items

#### Wilson UH4250 • Load Range 0.5-250kgf,

- Standard Monitor 24" W4250 Load Range 0.5-250kgf,
- Touchscreen 19.5" W4251

## Wilson UH4750

- Load Range 3 750kgf, Standard Monitor 24" W4750
- Load Range 3 750kgf, Touchscreen 19.5" W4751



W4100CI

not applicable

### Wilson UH4250 Auto\*

- Load Range 0.5- 250kgf, 24" Standard Monitor, 180 x 180mm motorized stage W4250XY
- Load Range 0.5-250kgf, 19.5" Touchscreen, \* Clamping device 180x180mm motorized Stage W4251XY

### **Objectives**

W4100X2	2.5x Objective, optional with Ringlight
W4100X5	5x Objective
W4100X10	10x Objective
W4100X20	20x Objective
W4100X40	40x Objective
W4100X50	50x Objective



#### Laser W4100L

Positioning Laser

Indenters W4100K Knoop Indenter with turret adapter W4100V Vickers Indenter with turret adapter W4100B1 Brinell Indenter 1mm with turret adapter Brinell Indenter 2.5mm with turret W4100B2 adapter W4100B5 Brinell Indenter 5mm with turret adapter W4100B10 Brinell Indenter 10mm with turret adapter W4100R120 Rockwell Diamond Cone Indenter W4100R16 Rockwell Indenter 1/16" Ball W4100R8 Rockwell Indenter 1/8" Ball W4100R4 Rockwell Indenter 1/4" Ball W4100R2 Rockwell Indenter 1/2" Ball

# **Universal Hardness Testers**



## Additional Accessories

### **Ring Light**



Ringlight for 2.5x objective (improves reading of soft Brinell indents) W4100RL

### Auto Clamping Device



The unique clamping device for the UH4000 series hardness testers ensures that workpieces will be fixed properly during testing. The device is designed to adapt different types of clamping forks. Clamping width: 35mm [1.37in] W4100CL

### Workbench



Workbench with Drawers 1000 x 700 x 800mm [30 x 27 x 31in] with spindle hole 944872

## Anvils

All anvils fit on testers with 25mm pinhole.



V anvil for max. 45mm diameter cylindric workpieces 740096



V anvil for max. 85mm diameter cylindric workpieces 740095

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10mm spot anvil for small workpieces 740160



Auto-leveling anvil Planoflex flat 60mm diameter 740587



Test anvil flat 80mm diameter 740191



Test anvil flat 190mm diameter 740101



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## Wilson<sup>®</sup> Rockwell<sup>®</sup> RH2150

The Wilson RH2150 hardness tester is designed for high volume production labs and production floor Rockwell testing, as well as supporting worldwide research facilities with its vast amont of testing scales with a maximum loadrange from 1 - 187.5 kgf (9.81 - 1838.7N). The Wilson RH2150 is available in two different sizes, with a vertical capacity of 10 and 14 inch (254 and 356mm respectively). It is fully protected from outside influences with sheet metal casing and a loadcell protection. The intuitive user interface aligns with our DiaMet<sup>™</sup> software – making it easy to use. A DiaMet<sup>™</sup> package is available to have all advanced features of DiaMet.

## Wilson<sup>®</sup> RH2150 Series Features

- Auto-stop clamping device holds down the sample and secures it during the testing.
- The adjustable LED workspace illumination highlights the test location to ensure clarity and full visibility.
- Indenter extensions are optionally available in several sizes to enable testing also on hard to reach test locations (only usable with clamping device)
- Standard 0.75 in(19mm) pin anvils are shared with the Wilson RB2000 and R574 testers to simplify accessories in a lab
- The operator panel can be adjusted on the frame or taken off completely to put aside the machine if needed ensuring full flexibility and an ergonomic test process
- USB connection for easy data output to memory drives
- In conjunction with the clamping device, the external footswitch can be used in multiple ways:
  - clamping and manual start
  - clamping and automatic start
  - manual release after test
  - automatic release after test
- Rockwell Fast Mode, achieving test results in seconds



#### Dimensions

600 mm [28 in] × 350 mm [21 in] × 1260 mm [39.2 in] (Size 1) or 1360mm [41.2in] (Size 2) Vertical Test Capacity -Size 1: 10in [254mm] or Size 2: 14in [356mm] Weight - 125kg

Description	
Available indenters	Rockwell: Rockwell diamond cone 120°, 1/16″, 1/8″, ¼″, ½″ carbide ball indenters, Brinell: 1mm, 2.5mm, 5mm and 10mm ball indenters
Rockwell test procedures ISO 6508-1, ASTM E18	A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K, L, M, P, R, S, V, 15N, 30N, 45N, 15T, 30T, 45T, 15W, 30W, 45W, 15X, 30X, 45X, 15Y, 30Y, 45Y
Plastic testing Ball indentation ISO 2039-1	HB5: 49N, 132N, 358N, 961N
Plastic testing Ball indentation ISO 2039-2	HRR, HRL, HRM, HRE
Rockwell carbon testing Ball indentation DIN 51917	HR2.5: 7, HR5: 7, 20, 40, 60, 100, 150, HR10: 20, 40, 60, 100, 150
Brinell depth testing (non- standardized) HBW-T	HBW-T2.5: 6.25, 15.625, 31.25, 62.5, 187.5, HBW-T5: 25, 62.5, 125, HBW-T10: 100

# Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Hardness Testers

## System Configurations

Select the Main Unit with the needed vertical capacity as well as the scales selection - regular or regular & superficial Rockwell scales.





Part Number	Description				
W2101R	Size 1 - 10in [254mm] - with regular Rockwell scales, 10-187.5 kgf				
W2102R	Size 2 - 14in [356mm] - with regular Rockwell scales, 10-187.5 kgf				
W2101T	Size 1 - 10in [254mm] - with regular and superficial Rockwell scales, 1-187.5 kgf				
W2102T	Size 2 - 14in [356mm] - with regular and superficial Rockwell scales, 1-187.5 kgf				
Every tester includes a 63mm flat anvil, as well as a 1/16″ ball indenter					

## Additional Accessories

### Auto Clamping Device



**T-Slot Table** 

Clamping device with auto-stop function, clamping force ca. 60kgf (130lbs)

13.3in x 1in [340x280mm] T slot

table, 12mm slot width, with bore

pattern for spindle adaption

W2100CL

W2100C02

## Software Options



### Indenter Extension

DiaMet basic software option, start testcycle by software and manage & export test data, program generation, statistics etc., incl. DiaMet workstation and 24" FullHD monitor

W1001R31

Indenter extension 2" [50mm], only in combination with clamping device W2100CL

W2100E2

Indenter extension 4in [100mm], only in combination with clamping device W2100CL W2100E4

Indenter extension 6in [150mm],

only in combination with clamping device W2100CL

W2100E6

## Foot Switch



Footswitch for external test cycle start, intelligent trigger logic

W2100FS

### **Gooseneck Adapter**

For internal testing on rings and tubes (excl. Indenters)



Max. internal reach diameter is 9.5mm Min inside diameter is 14mm Max. outsied diameter with Min. inside diameter at Max. internal reach is 45mm Available Rockwell Diamond indenters are 900001459 (A scale) 900001460 (N scale) W2100G2



Max. internal reach diameter is 26mm Min inside diameter is 35mm Max. outside diameter with Min. inside diameter at Max. internal reach is 130mm Available Rockwell Diamond indenters are all standard Rockwell indenters (cf. Table)

W2100G5





# Wilson<sup>®</sup> Rockwell<sup>®</sup> 574

The 574 Series Rockwell Hardness Testers offer quality, durability, and an industry leading Gauge Repeatability and Reproducibility (GR&R) making this hardness testing instrument best in class. This system is available in Regular, Superficial or Twin Scale models and capable of testing in all of the regular and superficial Rockwell hardness scales and can accommodate a wide variety of applications.

## Segment Leading GR&R Performance

- High precision depth measurement system for accurate and repeatable testing.
- Auto preload brake and automated main load test cycle ensure repeatability.

### Ease of Use

- Powerful auto-braking system on preload ensures a seamless operation.
- Built in USB port offers rapid data transfer to Microsoft® Excel® or other applications.

### Robust

• Proven robust design with all stainless steel internal components.

#### 574R Regular - for all Regular test scales Part Number - WH574R

Description	
Pre-load	10kgf (98.07N)
Main-load	60, 100, 150kgf (588.39, 980.67, 1471N)
Hardness scales	HRA, HRB, HRC, HRD, HRE, HRF, HRG, HRH, HRK, HRL, HRM, HRP, HRR, HRS, HRV

574T Twin - for all Regular and Superficial test scales Part Number - WH574T

Description	
Pre-load	3, 10kgf (29.42, 98.07N)
Main-load	15, 30, 45, 60, 100, 150kgf (147.1, 294.19, 441,29, 588.39, 980.67, 1471N)
Hardness scales	HRA, HRB, HRC, HRD, HRE, HRF, HRG, HRH, HRK, HRL, HRM, HRP, HRR, HRS, HRV, 15N, 30N, 45N, 15T, 30T, 45T, 15W, 30W, 45W, 15X, 30X, 45X, 15Y, 30Y, 45Y



#### Dimensions

11.53in [292mm]W x 22.3in [566mm]D x 36.83in [934mm]H Vertical Test Capacity - 11.43in [289mm] without accessories

Horizontal Test Capacity - 6.12in [155mm] at the bottom; 6.93in [175mm] at the top Weight - 165 lbs [75kg]



## **Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Hardness Testers Accessories**



# Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Indenters

All indenters fit on Wilson legacy testers and R574, RH2150 and RB2000 testers. The indenter shaft length is 11,1mm and 6,34mm in diameter.



Part Number	Description
9100401	Rockwell indenter C scale , 120° diamond cone, ASTM certified
9100402	Rockwell indenter C, D, A, N scales, 120° diamond cone, ASTM certified
9100431	Rockwell indenter C, A, D scales, 120° diamond cone, ISO and ASTM certified
9100432	Rockwell indenter N scales, 120° diamond cone, ISO and ASTM certified
9100434	Rockwell indenter C,A,D,N scales, 120° diamond cone, ISO and ASTM certified
900003405	Rockwell indenter A scale for Carbides, 120° diamond cone, ASTM certified
900002015	Rockwell indenter N scale, 120° diamond cone, ASTM certified
9100405	Rockwell indenter 1/16" WC ball with 4 spare balls, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100406	Rockwell indenter 1/8" WC ball with 4 spare balls, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100407	Rockwell indenter 1/4" WC ball with 1 spare ball, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100408	Rockwell indenter 1/2" WC ball with 1 spare ball, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100422	1/16" Diameter WC Balls, 5 pcs, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100423	1/8" Diameter WC Balls, 5 pcs, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100424	1/4" Diameter WC Balls, 3 pcs, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
9100425	1/2" Diameter WC Ball, 1 pcs, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
W2100B2	Brinell indenter 2.5mm WC ball, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified
W2100B5	Brinell indenter 5mm WC ball, ASTM, ISO and JIS certified

C. D and A scales refer to regular Rockwell scales, N scales refer to superficial Rockwell scales \*\* WC = tungsten carbide

# Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Verification Kits

The kits contain recommended indenters and blocks for the dedicated scales.

Part Number	Description
A582143	Rockwell Regular Kit - includes Rockwell C Indenter, 25 HRC, 63 HRC and 80 HRB test blocks
A58239	Rockwell Superficial Kit - includes Rockwell N Indenter, 46 HR30N, 80 HR30N and 70 HR30T test blocks
A582144	Rockwell Twin Kit - includes Rockwell C and N Indenters, 25 HRC, 63 HRC, 80 HRB, 80 HR30N and 70 HR30T test blocks

## Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Anvils

#### All anvils fit on testers with 19mm pinhole.



2.5" [63mm] 900001236







0.25-3" [6-76mm]

900007425

0.5" [12,7mm] stem

height, 0.27" [7mm]

spot diameter

900007387

#### Anvil Cylindron Jr. For cylindrical parts

**Pedestal spot Anvil** 



For cylindrical parts > 0.25" [6,3mm] 900030797





For pieces with slight taper (to mount on spindle) 900007088

### height for cylindrical parts < 0.25" [6,3mm] 900007388

**V** Anvil Shallow



0.5" [12.7mm] stem



### Pedestal spot Anvil

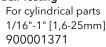


#### **V** Anvil Shallow



1" [25mm] stem height for cylindrical parts < 0.25" [6,3mm] 900007195

#### Anvil for Ball Testing



#### **Diamond spot anvil**



#### For HR30T scale, 0.39" [10mm] spot diameter 900007400





# Wilson<sup>®</sup> BH3000

The BH3000 is a durable, 30 kN (3000 kgf) Brinell Hardness Tester ideal for wide range of Brinell loads from 62.5 kgf - 3000 kgf. Designed with rugged construction to withstand harsh environments, the BH3000 combines high rigidity and closed-loop load cell technology to ensure accurate and safe load applications. The standards are ISO 6506, ASTM E10, JIS.

### Ease of use

• Heavy duty clamping and protection

### Accuracy

- Closed-loop system for quick and highly accurate test results.
- Integrated hardness calculator and conversions.

## Flexibility

- Wide load range 613N 29.42 KN (62.5 kgf 3000 kgf.).
- Deep reading microscope (order separately).

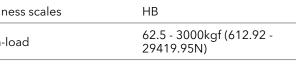
### BH3000

#### Part Number: WH3000BH

#### Description

Hardness scales

Main-load





#### Dimensions

10.4in [265mm]W x 23.9in [608mm]D x 39.5in [1000mm]H Vertical Test Capacity - 11in [280mm] Horizontal Test Capacity - 5in [130mm] Weight - 550 lbs [250kg]

		501105	
	Brinell microscope 20X with LED light source	9110-122	Indenter 5mm Carbide Ball with certificate
WHSCOPE40X	Brinell microscope 40X with LED light source	9110-121	Indenter 2.5mm Carbide Ball with certificate
WHSCOPE60X	Brinell microscope 60X with LED light source	900000485*	10mm Carbide Ball with NVLAP certificate
WHKINGSC4	King Scan IV - Computer Based Automatic		(Qty 2)
	Brinell Measurement System	900000595*	5mm Carbide Ball with NVLAP certificate
9110-213	Testing table diameter 235mm		(Qty 2)
9110-123	Indenter 10mm Carbide Ball with certificate	900007350*	10mm Ball Retainer, MJ, L, K, KDR, AP, & CLB3
		*Products only availa	ble in North America & South America

Accessories -



ltem	Magnification	Field of View [mm]	Measuring Range [mm]	Direct reading [µm]	Height [mm]
WHSCOPE20X	20x	8	7	50	150
WHSCOPE40X	40x	5	4	20	155
WHSCOPE60X	60x	2,5	2	12,5	155

## Wilson<sup>®</sup> Hardness Test Blocks



## Wilson<sup>®</sup> Rockwell<sup>®</sup> Test Blocks

Wilson Hardness test blocks set the standard for the industry and are made from the highest quality material to insure the most uniform and repeatable blocks available. A comprehensive variety of scales and blocks are available to meet the wide ranges and hardness scales associated with Rockwell®, Brinell, Knoop and Vickers testing. All Wilson test blocks are calibrated in the Wilson Hardness Calibration Laboratory in Binghamton, NY. The Wilson lab is accredited to ISO-IEC 17025 by A2LA and the testers used in the calibration process undergo a stringent monitoring process using NIST traceable devices. For the ultimate accuracy and performance in tester verification, calibration sets are available for most Rockwell scales.

- We work directly with the steel and brass mills to specify the chemical composition
- Our machining processes (grinding, lapping, polishing) are all done in house, at the site of calibration
- 100% inspection to ensure that every single test block meets the physical requirements of ASTM
- (thickness, flatness, parallelism, surface roughness)

### According to ASTM E18, ISO 6508-3 and JIS B 7730

	Part Number	Nominal Hardness
۲	9201110	63HRA
ockwell /	9201150	73HRA
Roc	9201190	83HRA
	9202050W	40HRB
• 8	9202060W	50HRB
/ell	9202070W	60HRB
Rockwell B	9202080W	70HRB
Rc	9202090W	80HRB
	9202100W	95HRB
	9203111	25HRC
	9203121	30HRC
	9203131	35HRC
C I	9203141	40HRC
Sockwell (	9203151	45HRC
Rod	9203161	50HRC
	9203171	55HRC
	9203181	60HRC
	9203191	63HRC
	9205010W	57HRE
ш —	9205020W	63HRE
kwe	9205050W	81HRE
Rockwell E	9205060W	87HRE
	9205070W	93HRE
ů.	9206020W	63HRF
ckwell	9206050W	80HRF
Rod	9206070W	91HRF



Block size: Ø 2.4 in x 0.35 in (Ø 60mm x 9mm)

	Part Number	Nominal Hardness
ell	9212110	72HR15N
erfic ckwr  5-N	9212150	83HR5N
Sup Ro	9212190	91HR15N
_ a	9218020W	64HR15T
rficia wel	9218050W	74HR15T
uperf čockv 15-T	9218070W	80HR15T
N R	9218090W	87HR15T
= =	9213110	46HR30N
oerfici ockwel 30-N	9213130	55HR30N
upe 80ck 30	9213150	64HR30N
N R	9213190	80HR30N
ell	9219050W	43HR30T
perfic ockwe 30-T •	9219070W	56HR30T
Sup Ro	9219090W	70HR30T

• Certified using a Tungsten Carbide ball indenter

#### Special Order Items (not applicable in EU)

Part Number	Description
9201002	Special value - please provide hardness value and Rockwell scale
9201003	Special value with grid - please provide hardness value and Rockwell scale
9201006	API compliance - special tolerance - please provide hardness value and Rockwell scale



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# Wilson<sup>®</sup> Hardness Test Blocks

# Wilson<sup>®</sup> Vickers-Knoop Test Blocks

According to ISO 6507 & ASTM E92 According to ASTM E92, ISO 6507-3 and JIS B 7735 **Vickers Test Blocks** 



HV0.05	HV0.1	HV0.2	HV0.3	HV0.5	HV1	HV2	HV3	HV5	HV10	HV20	HV30	HV50	Value
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	150
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	200
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	250
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	300
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	350
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	400
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	450
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	500
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	550
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	600
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	700
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	775
930005-	93001-	93002-	93003-	93005-	93010-	93020-	93030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	830
Item numb	Item number example: 93003700 for a 700 HV0.3 test block							not ISO	6507 due	to <20µm	diagonal l	enath	

The Hardness Values can deviate by +/- 25 HV from nominal value

030-	93050-	93100-	93020-	93030-	93050-	830					
	not ISO 6507 due to <20µm diagonal length										
	Macro Vickers blocks (2.4in x 0.35in [60mm x 9mm])										
	Micro Vickers blocks (1.25in x 0.63in [32mm x 16mm])										

Knoop Test Blocks According to ASTM E92, ISO 4545-3 and JIS B 7734

Load (kg)	Part Number	Nominal Hardness	Range
	94-005-225	225 HK	200-250
	94-005-315	315 HK	290-340
	94-005-440	440 HK	415-465
HK0.5	94-005-540	540 HK	515-565
	94-005-630	630 HK	605-655
	94-005-730	730 HK	705-755
	94-005-850	850 HK	825-875

### **Special Order Items**

Not applicable for Europe, please contact Buehler Europe

Part Number	Description
93-000-001*	Special block - please provide hardness value and Vickers scale
93-000-002*	Special block - please provide hardness value and Vickers scale
94-000-001*	Special block - please provide hardness value and Knoop scale
93-000-012•	Special block - 2 scales certification - please provide hardness value and Vickers/Knoop scale
93-000-013•	Special block - 3 scales certification - please provide hardness value and Vickers/Knoop scale
93-000-014•	Special block - 4 scales certification - please provide hardness value and Vickers/Knoop scale

\*Specify hardness required and load force for calibration

•Specify additional load force for calibration



# Wilson<sup>®</sup> Hardness Test Blocks



## Wilson<sup>®</sup> Brinell Test Blocks

According to ISO 6507 & ASTM E92 According to ASTM E92, ISO 6507-3 and JIS B 7735

Brinell reference blocks up to 250kgf load Blocksize: Ø 2.4 in x 0.35 in (Ø 60mm x 9mm)				
Nominal value	Range	HBW2.5-62.5 scale	HBW2.5-187.5 scale	HBW5-250 scale
140 HBW	115-169	WH-140HBW-625	WH-140HBW-1875	WH-140HBW-250
200 HBW	170-224	WH-200HBW-625	WH-200HBW-1875	WH-200HBW-250
250 HBW	225-274	WH-250HBW-625	WH-250HBW-1875	WH-250HBW-250
300 HBW	275-324	WH-300HBW-625	WH-300HBW-1875	Terretori
350 HBW	325-375	WH-350HBW-625	WH-350HBW-1875	100
400 HBW	375-449		WH-400HBW-1875	10000
500 HBW	450-525		WH-500HBW-1875	6000



#### Brinell reference blocks up to 3000kgf load Block size: 6" x 4.5" (152 x 114 x 18mm)

Nominal value	Range	HBW5-750 scale	HBW10-3000 scale
140 HBW	115-169	WH-140HBW-750	WH-140HBW-3000
200 HBW	170-224	WH-200HBW-750	WH-200HBW-3000
225 HBW	212-238		WH-225HBW-3000
250 HBW	225-274	WH-250HBW-750	WH-250HBW-3000
275 HBW	262-288		WH-275HBW-3000
300 HBW	275-324	WH-300HBW-750	WH-300HBW-3000
325 HBW	312-338		WH-325HBW-3000
350 HBW	325-375	WH-350HBW-750	WH-350HBW-3000
375 HBW	362-388		WH-375HBW-3000
400 HBW	375-449	WH-400HBW-750	WH-400HBW-3000
500 HBW	450-525	WH-500HBW-750	WH-500HBW-3000

#### Other Brinell scales that use 1mm 2.5mm, 5mm or 10mm ball indenters <sup>+</sup>

not applicable for Europe, please contact Buehler Europe

Part Number	Description
WHSMLBRIN*	Special block - please provide hardness value and Brinell scale using 1mm or 2.5mm ball indenter

Part Number	Description
WHSPECBRIN*	Special block - please provide hardness value and Brinell scale using 5mm or 10mm ball indenter

† Specify hardness required, load force, and ball indenter size for certification



See Test Block Guide for More Information



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## **Buehler Application Solutions**



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## **Buehler Solutions Centers**

Buehler Solutions Centers are operated by our esteemed scientists. They provide materials preparation and analysis techniques and training to our customers worldwide. Our mission is to deliver valuable application solutions by applying Buehler products and methodologies. We are committed to maintaining the highest standards in quality and service.

#### ASIA

- Shanghai, China
- Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- Singapore, Singapore
- Tokyo, Japan

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- Esslingen, Germany
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- Warwick, United Kingdom

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• Lake Bluff, Illinois United States

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## **Customer Care**





## Our Team is Here for You!

Buehler is committed to excellent customer care. We are available to support our customers with any questions, concerns or issues. Our team of customer support professionals, application experts, service engineers, technical sales, and in-house design and manufacturing are at your disposal.

- Materials Science PhDs can assist you with material preparation applications
- Industry leading hardness testing experts can assit to train, install or troubleshoot any hardness testers
- Dedicated sortware support expertise for any software questions
- Support for product returns or questions
- Repair, calibration, installations, and maintenance of equipment

## Commited to Quality

Buehler employees and operations are committed to delivering quality and environmentally responsible products guided by ISO 9001 Quality Management Principles and ISO 14001 Environmental Managements Systems. Buehler innovates solutions and offers expert service and support throughout the materials preparation and analysis market. Buehler adheres to ASTM, NVLAP, A2LA, NADCAP, DIN, ISO, MIL and JIS standards

## Global Associates and Partners Ready to Assist You

No matter where you are located, Buehler has associates or partners ready to handle your inquiry. We have improved our response times through an online submission format.

Visit www.buehler.com/contact-buehler.php for prompt attention to your request for a quotation, lab solutions, service support, customer service or general feedback.

To reach our regional offices for general information contact:

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## Our Global Service Teams are Committed to You

As a valued customer, we appreciate your partnership and are here to support you with repair services and spare parts under warranty and beyond. For regions covered by our distributor network, please contact your area distributor.



### On-Site Repair Services

Buehler provides on-site or factory expert repairs performed by our certified technicians.

#### In-House Repair Services

Certified technicians will inspect and repair machines on-site or at one of Buehler's Global Service Facilities. Americas repairs are completed directly at Buehler's Headquarters in Lake Bluff, IL.



### **Experienced Technicians**

Technicians have collectively over 100 years of experience with average tenure of 10+ years with Buehler.

#### Compliance

Calibration services for hardness testers & microscopes according to ISO 17025. Accredited for direct or indirect verification.

## Protect Your Investment

#### Genuine Spare Parts

Buehler supplies parts for all equipment, including obsolete machines for a minimum of 5 years after discontinuation.

#### Preventative Maintenance

Buehler offers on-site or factory inspection, cleaning and replacement of wear parts to ensure optimal performance.

# **Technical Support & Services**





Buehler's Service Department is available to keep your lab operating efficiently with an offering of Preventative Maintenance Plans, Calibration Services, NADCAP audit preparation services and optical verifications for microscopes and reticles.

# Preventative Maintenance Service Plan Ensures Consistent and Reliable Results

Protect your investment, ensure consistent performance, minimize downtime and reduce costly repairs with Buehler's Preventative Plans. Trained technicians replace wear parts and conduct a Maintenance Check. Preventative Maintenance Plans are currently available for the following machines:

AbrasiMet® 250		
AbrasiMatic® 300		
AbrasiMatic® 450		
AbrasiMet® M		
AbrasiMet® XL Pro		
AutoMet <sup>®</sup> 250		
AutoMet <sup>®</sup> 300		

Delta Manual Delta Medium Delta Large EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Manual EcoMet<sup>®</sup> 30 Semi-Auto IsoMet<sup>®</sup> Low Speed IsoMet<sup>®</sup> 1000 IsoMet® 4000/5000 IsoMet® High Speed PlanarMet™ 300 PetroThin® MetaServ® 250 SimpliMet® 3000 SimpliMet® 4000

#### **Ensure Consistent Performance**

Ensure compliance with A2LA Accredited & ISO-17025 indirect & direct hardness verifications following both ASTM or ISO standards. Indirect verifications include two scales and additional scales can be purchased.





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eServiceDesk<sup>™</sup> is Buehler Service's case management system. eServiceDesk allows customers to submit service requests, share large pictures and video with our service department allow multiple technicians and service coordinators to simultaneously coordinate a repair. Your request will be assigned to a technician highly skilled in troubleshooting your unique case who will be happy to assist you.

Visit service.buehler.com to start your request today. You can also reach Buehler Service via email:

North America	support@buehler.com	Asia	service.asia@buehler.com
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## **Buehler Lab Solutions**



## Full Lab Solutions Delivered Fast

Partner with Buehler, we are dedicated to providing solutions for the most demanding industries. Buehler meets the needs of new or growing labs with the most innovative, intuitive and dependable equipment that ships fast. So, if you are building from scratch or adding on, consult your Buehler representative to order the right equipment for your lab. Buehler Material Scientists are available to assist in customizing and improving your sample preparation process too.





Strong Partner, Reliable Solutions

## Quick Ship Equipment and Consumables

Shop Consumables 24/7 with fast online ordering, check with your local representative for online shopping address.



## Buehler Team Delivers These Products Fast

- IsoMet<sup>®</sup> High Speed Precision Cutter
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- SimpliVac Vacuum System
- Wilson VH3100 Hardness Tester
- Burst Dispensing Systems
- EcoMet<sup>®</sup> Grinder Polishers
- Hardness and Imaging Software
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It is not enough to achieve our mission to be the premier provider of solutions for our market. We feel strongly that part of our responsibility is to our community and global environmental sustainability. Buehler has adopted the Corporate Social Responsibility vision of our parent company ITW.

**Social Responsibility** 







## Our Governance & Ethics

- We operate our business with a demonstrated commitment to the highest level of ethical conduct, everywhere in the company and every day.
- We have a commitment to fair, ethical and honest business dealings, robust governance, and compliance with applicable laws, while demonstrating respect for human rights at Buehler and throughout our supply chain.

## Our People

- We strive to create diverse and inclusive workplaces where all of our colleagues can perform to their full potential.
- We strive every day to foster a proactive safety culture through the execution of our Enterprise Safety Strategy, with a shared goal of zero accidents.

### Cur Communities

We encourage and support our colleagues globally in their efforts to make positive contributions to the communities where they work and live.

- As a company we are committed to supporting programs and initiatives to improve access to a high-quality education and workforce/career preparation for youth in under-served communities, both in greater Chicago and around the world.
- Throughout the year we support corporate citizenship programs such as Junior Achievement and United Way Worldwide.



## **Our Environment**

Buehler is committed to operating our business in a way that demonstrates our dedication to global environmental sustainability.

- We work with suppliers who operate with similar dedication to global environmental sustainability
- We partner with our customers in innovating solutions that address their needs for environmentally responsible products.
- We are involved with the LovetheOceans, a non-profit marine conservation organization that promotes sustainable fishing and protecting endangered species.
- We improve our environmental performance on an ongoing basis. This includes participation in a robust recycling program that prevents nearly 110,000 pounds of waste from entering landfills and conserves electricity, oil and water.





# Shelf Life for Consumable Products

Shelf life is defined as the length of time listed products are considered best suitable for performance. This does not mean that a product will not perform beyond this time period, nor does it mean that the product will be usable continuously for this time frame. The shelf life is independent of the warranty\* period as defined below. The shelf life depends on proper storage - i.e. Abrasive Cut-Off Wheels must be stored lying flat and in a dry location. Stored standing up or in a humid area breaks down the wheel composition.

Product Name	Shelf Life**
Abrasive Cut Off Wheels	2 years
CarbiMet Paper, PSA or S Backed	1 year
CarbiMet Paper, Plain Backed	2 years
Acrylic Systems	1 year
Aluminum Oxide Powder	2 years
Apex <sup>®</sup> Bimetallic Plate	1 year
Apex CGD and DGD	1 year
Apex Hercules Grinding Disc	1 year
Apex Magnetic Disc	1 year
Apex S Carrier Films	1 year
AutoMet <sup>®</sup> Lapping Oil	2 years
Cool 3 Fluid	2 years
Diallyl Phthalate Powder	2 years
Epoxy Systems	1 year
EpoMet <sup>®</sup> F & G Powder	1 year
FibrMet <sup>®</sup> Discs PSA Backed	2 years
Flat Edge Filler	2 years
IsoCut <sup>®</sup> Cutting Fluid	1 year
KonductoMet Powder	1 year
MasterMet <sup>®</sup> 2	3 years
MasterMet	2 years
MasterPolish®	1 year
MasterPrep	2 years
MetGrip <sup>®</sup> Liners	1 year
MetaDi <sup>®</sup> Fluid	2 years
MetaDi <sup>®</sup> Suspensions & Pastes	2 years
MicroPolish Alumina Suspension & Powder	1 year
PhenoCure <sup>®</sup> Powder & PreMolds	2 years
Pigments for Castable Mounts	1 year
Planar Grinding Stones	2 years
Polishing Cloths with PSA	1 year
Powdered Mold Release	2 years
ProbeMet <sup>®</sup> Powder	1 year
Release Agent	1 year
Silicon Carbide Powder	2 years
TransOptic Powder	1 year
UltraPrep <sup>®</sup> Diamond Lapping Film	1 year
Wafering Blades	1 year
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\*Warranty depends on Quality Assurance/Lab evaluation on an individual basis \*\*Shelf life starts when product is shipped

See Terms & Conditions for warranty information

# 2022 Buehler Microstructure Calendar 🐇

The Buehler Microstructure Calendar is a recognized forum for excellence in this unique area of technical expertise. Publication in the calendar is open to anyone who has achieved a level of excellence in materials preparation. If you would like to submit an entry for the 2022 edition, please do so according to the following guidelines.

## **GUIDELINES**

#### SUBJECT OF PHOTO MICROGRAPH:

- Microstructural details or hardness indents of any metallic, non-metallic, geological or bio-related materials
- Image must be obtained through the use of a light optical microscope (no SEM or TEM)
- Image must not be digitally pseudo colored or enhanced

#### **REQUIRED INFORMATION:**

- Completed entry form
- Brief title statement that details the material depicted in the image
- The original magnification used to acquire the image
- The illumination mode used, such as brightfield, darkfield, polarized light, reflected or transmitted, differential interference contrast (DIC), phase contrast, or any other relevant information concerning the illumination and observation methods
- Details of any etchants used to reveal the microstructure, including the chemical formulation where applicable

#### IMAGE REQUIREMENTS (Images not meeting the requirements will not be accepted)

- The entry must be uniformly illuminated and have sharp, crisp, in-focus details.
- The image cannot have a scale-bar.
- Digital files MUST be TIF, JPG or BMP and 120dpi (printed size will be 13in x 9in)
- 8in x 10in [200 x 250mm] up to 11in x 14in [275 x 350mm] color photo prints will also be accepted.

#### **SEND FILES:**

#### **ONLINE:**

- Send your images through our website at http://www.buehler.com/2022-buehler-calendar-contest
- If an alternate method is preferred, please contact us at (847) 295-6500 or marketing@buehler.com for instructions on FTP login

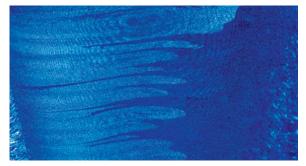
#### **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS:**

August 1st, 2021

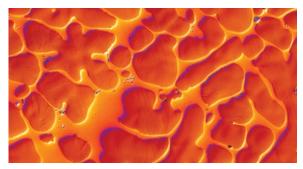
#### WINNERS:

If your entry is published, you will receive an honorarium of \$200 (USD) per image and the privilege of having your work displayed worldwide. Selected calendar entries become the sole property of Buehler and may be used in other Buehler publications.

If you have further questions, please contact us at: (847) 295-6500 or email: marketing@buehler.com



7075 and 6061 Aluminum Weld, etched with Barker's reagent, mag. 50x, polarized light ~Matthew Ryder and Xiangbin Wang; Worcester Polytechnic Institute; iMdc, Worcester, MA USA



Aluminum beryllium casting, mag. 200x, viewed with Differential Interference Contrast. ~ Daniel Slates; Materion Brush Performance Alloys; Elmore, Ohio USA











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