

# Drop Shape Analyzer

## DSA30

### Specifications



Drop Shape Analyzer – DSA30E  
(Expert configuration)



Product group specifications	DSA30B	DSA30S	DSA30E
<b>Camera CF04 (standard)</b>			
Connection		USB 3.0	
Resolution		1920 × 1200 px	
Frame rate		2300 fps	
Dark noise		7 electrons	
Dynamic range		73 dB	
<b>5 megapixel high speed camera CF10 (optional)</b>			
Connection		USB 3.0	
Resolution		2592 × 2048 px	
Frame rate		3450 fps	
Dark noise		9.3 electrons	
Dynamic range		60 dB	
<b>Optics (standard)</b>			
Focus		manual	
Zoom		6.5 × zoom, manual	
View angle		±3°	
Field of view		with CF04: 3.2 × 3.2 to 18.5 × 18.5 mm with CF10: 5.5 × 4.3 to 36.1 × 28.6 mm	
Resolution		with CF04: 2.5 to 16.2 µm with CF10: 2.1 to 13.9 µm	
<b>Optics with extender lense (optional)</b>			
Zoom		2× zoom, fixed	
Field of view		with CF04: 1.5 × 1.5 to 10.1 × 10.1 mm with CF10: 2.7 × 2.1 to 18.0 × 14.2 mm	
Resolution		with CF04: 1.3 to 8.4 µm with CF10: 1.0 to 7.0 µm	
<b>Illumination</b>			
Type		high power monochromatic LED	
Wave length, dominant		470 nm	
Field of light		Ø 42 mm	

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Dosing system												
Syringe dosing				1 × manual			1 × software-controlled			2 × software-controlled		
Liquid Needle double pressure dosing				optional			optional			1 × included		
Multi-dosing system (optional)							up to 4 liquids software-controlled					
Drop deposition (syringe dosing)				manual			software-controlled			software-controlled		
Syringes, volume				glass (500 µL), disposable (1 mL)			glass (1×, 450 µL), disposable (900 µL)			glass (2×, 450 µL), disposable (900 µL)		
Resolution (syringe dosing)				-			20 nL			20 nL		
Speed (syringe dosing)				-			0.004 to 25 µL/s			0.004 to 25 µL/s		
Liquid Needle double pressure dosing												
Control							software-controlled					
Speed							fixed (fast jet)					
Resolution							0.1 µL					
Cartridge, volume							disposable, 1 mL					
Stages (default setup)		x-axis	y-axis	z-axis	x-axis	y-axis	z-axis	x-axis	y-axis	z-axis		
Control		-	-	manual	manual			software-controlled				
Length		-	-	45 mm	100 mm	100 mm	45 mm	100 mm	100 mm	38 mm		
Resolution		-	-	16 mm/turn	2 mm/turn	2 mm/turn	16 mm/turn	10 µm				
Accuracy		-	-	-	-	-	-	100 µm				
Tilting (optional)												
Type							internal					
Control							software-controlled					
Range							0 to 90°					
Resolution							0.01°					
Accuracy							0.3°					
Software										ADVANCE		
Contact angle		recommended			recommended			recommended				
Surface free energy of solids		optional			recommended			recommended				
Interfacial and surface tension of liquids		pendant drop, rising drop (optional) Constrained Sessile Drop (optional)			pendant drop, rising drop (optional) Constrained Sessile Drop (optional)			pendant drop, rising drop (recomm.) Constrained Sessile Drop (optional)				
Fiber contact angle		Meniscus (optional)			Meniscus (optional)			Meniscus (optional)				
Software languages												

Measurement specifications	DSA30B	DSA30S	DSA30E
Sessile drop/captive bubble			
Result	contact angle		
Range (software-based)	0 to 180°		
Resolution (software-based)	0.01°		
Accuracy (instrument-based)	0.1°		
Models	conic section, polynomial, circle, Young-Laplace, height-width		
Types	advancing, receding, static, dynamic, tilting		
Surface free energy of solids			
Result	surface free energy (SFE), polar & disperse part, acid & base part, H-bond part		
Models	equation of state, Zisman, Fowkes, Wu, Owens-Wendt-Rabel-Kaelble, Schultz-1, extended Fowkes, acid-base theory		

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Pendant drop/rising drop			
Results	interfacial and surface tension		
Range (software-based)	0.01 to 2000 mN/m		
Resolution (software-based)	0.01 mN/m		
Model	Young-Laplace		
Types	static, dynamic		
Meniscus			
Results	contact angle		
Range (software-based)	10 to 90°		
Resolution (software-based)	0,01°		
Minimum fiber diameter	65 µm, 40 µm (with optional extender)		
Types	static, dynamic, advancing, receding		
General specifications	DSA30B	DSA30S	DSA30E
Sample dimensions			
Maximum sample space	320 mm × ∞ × 275 mm (W × D × H, without axes)		
Temperature control			
Equipment	temperature-controlled sample stage, chambers, cuvette		
Types	liquid   liquid (large)   Peltier   electrical		
Range	5 to 90 °C   -10 to 130 °C   -30 to 160 °C   50 to 400 °C		
Maximum sample size	132 mm × 132 mm × 27 mm (W × D × H; large liquid chamber)		
Resolution	0.1 °C		
Flow-through thermostat	with liquid		
Inert gas	yes		
Temperature measurement			
Range	-50 to 400 °C		
Resolution	0.1 °C		
Precision	0.1 °C		
Accuracy	1/3 DIN B (±0.1 °C at 0 °C to ±0.8 °C at 400 °C)		
External sensor	2 connectors (PT100)		
Locations	sample stage, chamber, cuvette		
Housing and peripherals			
Levelling	yes		
Environment			
Operating temperature	10 to 40 °C		
Humidity	without condensation		
Instrument dimensions			
Footprint	610 mm × 250 mm (W × D)		
Height	610 mm		
Weight (without accessories)	10 kg		
Power supply			
Voltage (AC)	88 to 264 V		
Power consumption	100 W		
Frequency	50 to 60 Hz		
Interfaces			
PC	USB 3.0		