

Scale Units and Display Counters Linear Scale DRO Systems



Accurate, yet Affordable, DRO System from Mitutoyo

Mitutoyo's Linear Scale System tightly couples linear scale units with dedicated Digital Readout (DRO) units to offer accurate detection and display of axial displacement for machine tools and measuring equipment. The Linear Scale System can be configured to best meet your specific application, whether it be machining or measuring, just by choosing a suitable combination of scale unit and display unit. The Linear Scale System has superior ease-of-use and is reliable, both of which are features that can dramatically improve machining accuracy and efficiency.

Features of the Linear Scale System

1. Digital counter value display allows quick and accurate readout of displacement. Working efficiency thus greatly improved.
2. Zero-setting or presetting possible at any position. Versatile functions eliminate calculations or complicated key operations for positioning.
3. Various external output features allow output of current display values or various data to external devices such as PCs or sequencers. Easy data processing can be performed.

Detection principle of linear scales

OVERVIEW

- The assembly-type Linear Scale (AT) is a scale protected by a frame. Our product line-up now fully covers both incremental/absolute systems for table position control of machine tools.

FEATURES

1. Excellent environment resistance, vibration resistance and shock resistance.
2. Requires no signal adjustment and easy-to-install.
3. A high degree of freedom for detection head mounting.
4. Solid and simple structure.



Operating Principle of AT103/AT113 Models

The assembly-type Linear Scale® uses a highly accurate glass scale grating pitch of 20 μm as the basic standard of length. The grating is irradiated with parallel light generated with a Light-Emitting Diode (LED) and collimator lens. The parallel light transmitted through the grating generates an interference pattern with the same pitch as that of a grating on the photodiode array of the light-receiving device. The receiver output signal is 2-phase sinusoidal with a wavelength of 20 μm, identical to the pitch of the grating graduations, and is electrically converted to 2-phase square-wave signals by the interpolation circuit. The much smaller working resolution is achieved by detecting the cyclic variation in light intensity incident on the receiver array, as the scale is displaced in a measuring direction, and interpolating accordingly to output a corresponding displacement value.

Detecting Principle Added to AT715

The Absolute system-type linear scale AT715 employs a unique, Mitutoyo-proprietary, electromagnetic induction principle that is highly resistant to environmental contamination. Achievement of a true absolute scale with a resolution of 1 μm, thanks to a multi-track configuration, enables the user to obtain absolute positional information from the scale immediately power is applied to the counter.

Basic principle of electromagnetic induction type sensor

- If time-varying current I_1 is applied to coil A, a magnetic flux is generated inside the coil.
- A current I_2 is induced in coil B that tends to oppose the build-up of the magnetic flux.

The magnetic permeability between the coils will not vary whether the medium is air, water, or oil.

The electromagnetic induction type sensor has excellent water resistance and oil resistance.

Operating Principle of Electromagnetic Induction Encoder

Note 1: Export to EU Member Countries

When you intend to export this product to any of the EU member countries, you may be required to provide User's Manual(s) in English and the EU Declaration of Conformity in English (under certain circumstances, User's Manual(s) in the destination country's official language and the EU Declaration of Conformity in the destination country's official language). For detailed information, please contact Mitutoyo in advance.

Note 2: The WEEE Directive

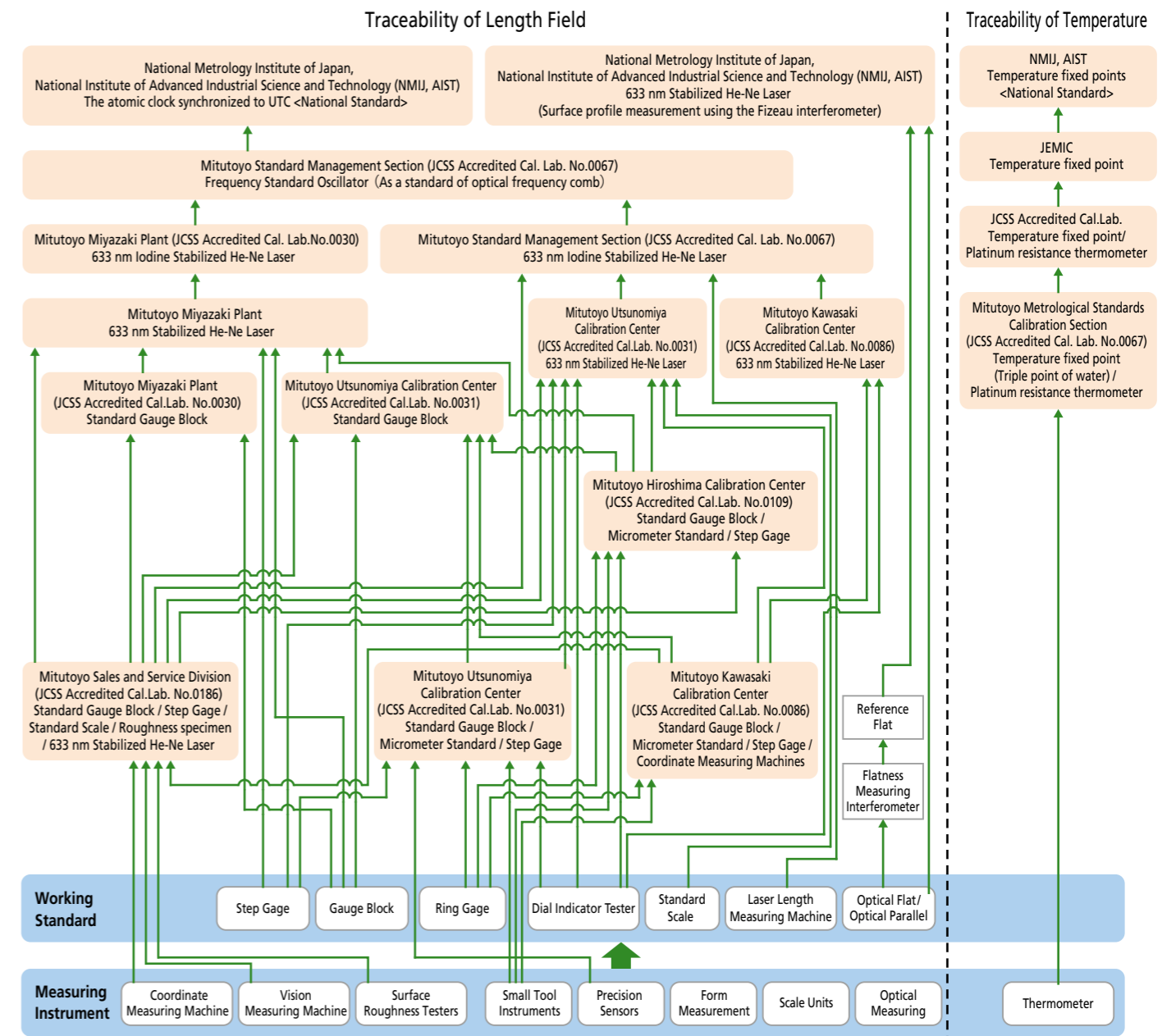
The WEEE Directive*1 is a directive that mandates appropriate collection and recycling of electrical and electronic equipment waste. The purpose of this directive is to increase the reuse and recycling of these products, and seeks eco-friendly product design. To differentiate between equipment waste and household waste, a crossed-out wheeled-bin symbol is marked on a product. We will promote eco-friendly design for our products.

*1 WEEE Directive: Directive 2012/19/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council on waste electrical and electronic equipment.

Mitutoyo Linear Scales are traceable to the national standard

Traceability of Mitutoyo Standards

Mitutoyo ensures and maintains traceability of various types of precision measuring instruments by holding standards of length and other physical quantities that are directly traceable to the national standards for use in calibrating the working standards used for the calibration of measuring instrument products supplied to industry.



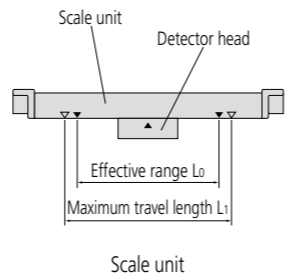
◆ This chart shows a simplified traceability system of a part of Mitutoyo products. Detailed traceability charts are published for each product. (As of November, 2024)

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Linear Scale Unit

Model	AT715 ABSOLUTE and High Environmental Resistance Type	AT103 Standard-size Type	AT113 Slim Type
Sectional dimensions			
Measurement method	Electromagnetic induction system	Photoelectric: Transparent linear encoder Light source: LED Receptor: Phototransistor	
Output wave form	—	2-phase sine curves with a phase difference of 90°	
Effective range*2	100 - 3000 mm	1600 - 6000 mm	100 - 1500 mm
Accuracy (20 °C)*3	± 5 μm (100 to 500 mm*) ± 7 μm (600 to 1800 mm*) ± 10 μm (2000 to 3000 mm*) *effective measurement length	AT103, AT113: (5+5L _e /1000) μm L _e : Effective range High-accuracy type** is (3+3L _e /1000) μm Super high-accuracy type** is (2+2L _e /1000) μm	
Maximum response speed	50 m/min	120 m/min*6	
Scale reference point	—	At every 50 mm interval	
Linear expansion coefficient	—	(8 ± 1) × 10 ⁻⁵ /K	
Power supply	5 VDC ± 5 %	5 VDC ± 5 %	
Max. current consumption	70 mA	70 mA	60 mA
Operating/Storage temperature	0 to 45 °C/-20 to 70 °C		
Operating/Storage temperature (relative humidity)	0 to 50 °C/-20 to 70 °C	0 to 45 °C/-20 to 70 °C	
Head cable length	—	—	0.3 m
Dust/water protection level	IP67	—	
Sliding force	5 N or less	5 N or less	
Signal cable*7	Standard accessory (refer to individual specifications for the length)		
Extension cable*8 (optional) (Conduit type)	Length	Code No.	Code No.
	2 m	09AAB674A	09AAA033A
	5 m	09AAB674B	09AAA033B
	7 m	09AAB674C	09AAA033C

- *1: 37.5 × 95.5 mm for the AT103-3250 or larger models.
- *2: Make sure that the linear scale's maximum travel distance (L1) is greater than the maximum travel distance of the machine when selecting a linear scale size. Also, since the assured accuracy is limited within the effective range (L_e), select a linear scale size with this in mind.
- *3: (5+8L_e/1000) μm for the AT103-3250 or larger models.
- *4: It is possible to manufacture 1600 - 2000 mm for type F of the AT103; 100 - 1500 mm for type F of the AT113.
- *5: It is possible to manufacture 100 - 500 mm for type S of the AT113.
- *6: 50 m/min for the AT103-3250 or larger models.
- *7: Vinyl-coated type signal cable and extension cable are available on request.
- *8: The maximum extension length of AT715 is 15 m in total.



ABSOLUTE and High Environmental Resistance Type Scale Unit

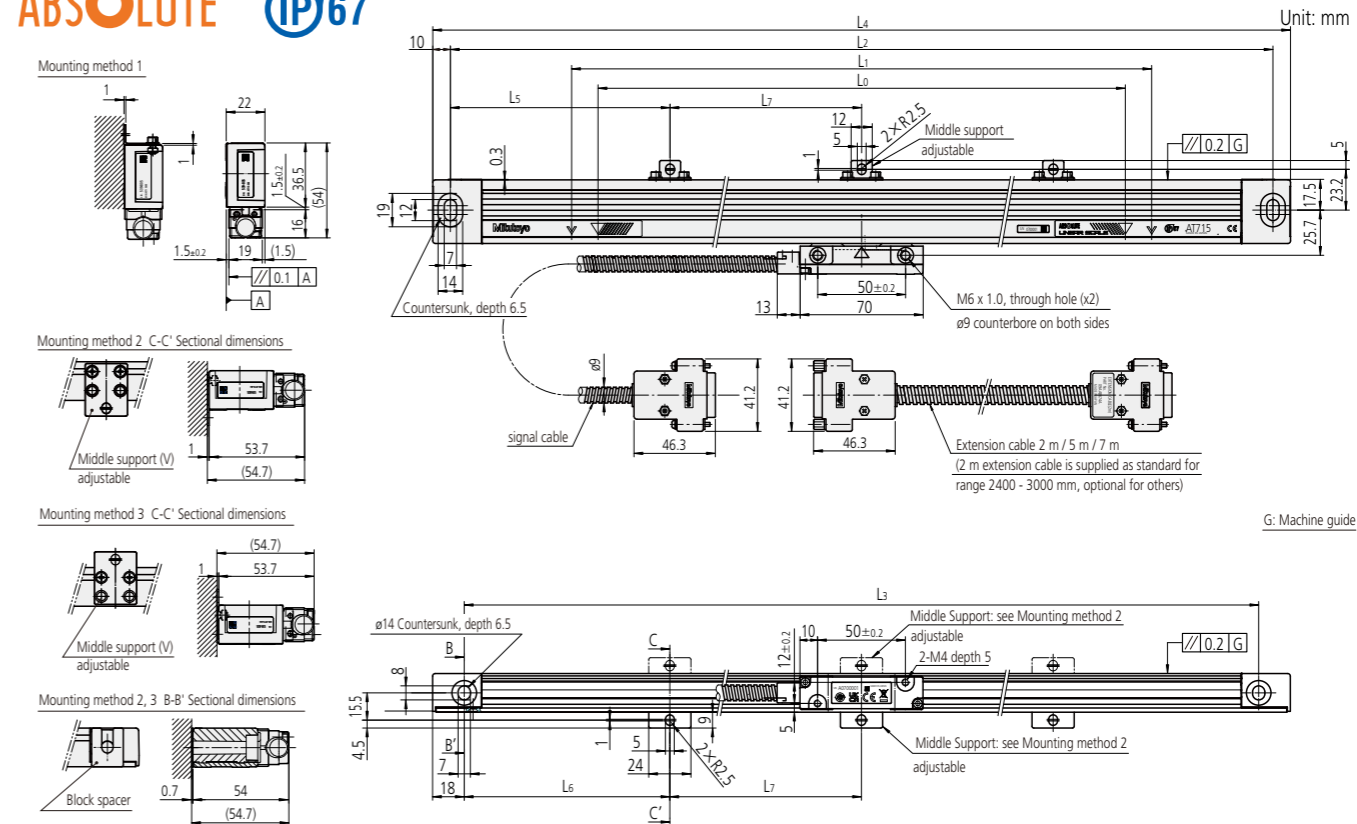
AT715 Absolute scale unit with excellent resistance to harsh environments

Reference dimensions for mounting

Effective range 100 - 3000 mm



ABSOLUTE™ IP67



AT715		Effective range L _e (mm)	Maximum travel length L ₁ (mm)	Mounting hole pitch L ₂ (mm)	Mounting hole pitch L ₃ (mm)	Overall length L ₄ (mm)	Middle support positions L ₅ (mm)	Middle support positions L ₆ (mm)	Middle support positions L ₇ (mm)	Signal cable length (m)
Code No.	Model									
539-801N	AT715-100	100 (4 in)	120 (4.72 in)	258 (10.16 in)	242 (9.53 in)	278 (10.94 in)				3.5
539-802N	AT715-150	150 (6 in)	170 (6.69 in)	308 (12.13 in)	292 (11.50 in)	328 (12.91 in)				
539-803N	AT715-200	200 (8 in)	220 (8.66 in)	358 (14.09 in)	342 (13.46 in)	378 (14.88 in)				
539-804N	AT715-250	250 (10 in)	270 (10.63 in)	408 (16.06 in)	392 (15.43 in)	428 (16.85 in)				
539-805N	AT715-300	300 (12 in)	330 (12.99 in)	468 (18.43 in)	452 (17.80 in)	488 (19.21 in)				
539-806N	AT715-350	350 (14 in)	380 (14.96 in)	518 (20.39 in)	502 (19.76 in)	538 (21.18 in)				
539-807N	AT715-400	400 (16 in)	430 (16.93 in)	568 (22.36 in)	552 (21.73 in)	588 (23.15 in)				
539-808N	AT715-450	450 (18 in)	480 (18.90 in)	618 (24.33 in)	602 (23.70 in)	638 (25.12 in)				
539-809N	AT715-500	500 (20 in)	540 (21.26 in)	678 (26.69 in)	662 (26.06 in)	698 (27.48 in)	339 (13.35 in)	331 (13.03 in)		
539-811N	AT715-600	600 (24 in)	640 (25.20 in)	778 (30.63 in)	762 (30.00 in)	798 (31.42 in)	389 (15.31 in)	381 (15.00 in)		
539-813N	AT715-700	700 (28 in)	740 (29.13 in)	878 (34.57 in)	862 (33.94 in)	898 (35.35 in)	439 (17.28 in)	431 (16.97 in)		
539-814N	AT715-750	750 (30 in)	780 (30.71 in)	918 (36.14 in)	902 (35.51 in)	938 (36.93 in)	459 (18.07 in)	451 (17.76 in)		
539-815N	AT715-800	800 (32 in)	840 (33.07 in)	978 (38.50 in)	962 (37.87 in)	998 (39.29 in)	489 (19.25 in)	481 (18.94 in)		
539-816N	AT715-900	900 (36 in)	940 (37.01 in)	1078 (42.44 in)	1062 (41.81 in)	1098 (43.23 in)	539 (21.22 in)	531 (20.91 in)		
539-817N	AT715-1000	1000 (40 in)	1040 (40.94 in)	1178 (46.38 in)	1162 (45.75 in)	1198 (47.17 in)	589 (23.19 in)	581 (22.87 in)		
539-818N	AT715-1100	1100 (44 in)	1140 (44.88 in)	1278 (50.31 in)	1262 (49.69 in)	1298 (51.10 in)	424 (16.69 in)	416 (16.38 in)	430 (16.93 in)	
539-819N	AT715-1200	1200 (48 in)	1240 (48.82 in)	1378 (54.25 in)	1362 (53.62 in)	1398 (55.04 in)	459 (18.07 in)	451 (17.76 in)	460 (18.11 in)	
539-820N	AT715-1300	1300 (52 in)	1340 (52.76 in)	1478 (58.19 in)	1462 (57.56 in)	1498 (58.98 in)	494 (19.45 in)	486 (19.13 in)	490 (19.29 in)	
539-821N	AT715-1400	1400 (56 in)	1440 (56.69 in)	1578 (62.13 in)	1562 (61.50 in)	1598 (62.91 in)	524 (20.63 in)	516 (20.31 in)	530 (20.87 in)	
539-822N	AT715-1500	1500 (60 in)	1540 (60.63 in)	1678 (66.06 in)	1662 (65.43 in)	1698 (66.85 in)	559 (22.01 in)	551 (21.69 in)	560 (22.05 in)	
539-823N	AT715-1600	1600 (64 in)	1640 (64.57 in)	1778 (70.00 in)	1762 (69.37 in)	1798 (70.79 in)	459 (18.07 in)	451 (17.76 in)	430 (16.93 in)	
539-824N	AT715-1700	1700 (68 in)	1740 (68.50 in)	1878 (73.94 in)	1862 (73.31 in)	1898 (74.72 in)	479 (18.86 in)	471 (18.54 in)	460 (18.11 in)	
539-825N	AT715-1800	1800 (72 in)	1840 (72.44 in)	1978 (77.87 in)	1962 (77.24 in)	1998 (78.66 in)	459 (18.07 in)	451 (17.76 in)	530 (20.87 in)	
539-860N	AT715-2000	2000 (80 in)	2040 (80.31 in)	2178 (85.75 in)	2162 (85.12 in)	2198 (86.54 in)	539 (21.22 in)	531 (20.91 in)	550 (21.65 in)	
539-861N	AT715-2200	2200 (88 in)	2240 (88.19 in)	2378 (93.62 in)	2362 (92.99 in)	2398 (94.41 in)	469 (18.46 in)	461 (18.15 in)	480 (18.90 in)	
539-862N	AT715-2400	2400 (96 in)	2440 (96.06 in)	2578 (101.50 in)	2562 (100.87 in)	2598 (102.28 in)	509 (20.04 in)	501 (19.72 in)	520 (20.47 in)	
539-863N	AT715-2500	2500 (100 in)	2540 (100.00 in)	2678 (105.43 in)	2662 (104.80 in)	2698 (106.22 in)	529 (20.83 in)	521 (20.51 in)	540 (21.26 in)	
539-864N	AT715-2600	2600 (104 in)	2640 (103.94 in)	2778 (109.37 in)	2762 (108.74 in)	2798 (110.16 in)	549 (21.61 in)	541 (21.30 in)	560 (22.05 in)	
539-865N	AT715-2800	2800 (112 in)	2840 (111.81 in)	2978 (117.24 in)	2962 (116.61 in)	2998 (118.03 in)	489 (19.25 in)	481 (18.94 in)	500 (19.69 in)	
539-866N	AT715-3000	3000 (120 in)	3040 (119.68 in)	3178 (125.12 in)	3162 (124.49 in)	3198 (125.91 in)	529 (20.83 in)	521 (20.51 in)	530 (20.87 in)	

* Combination of a 5 m signal cable and a 2 m extension cable