

# Platinum FaroArm



## Temperature & Overload Sensors

Located in each joint, they allow the Arm to “feel” and react to thermal variations and improper handling for maximum accuracy

## Lightweight Construction

High-strength, lightweight construction for total portability and true “measure anywhere” performance

## Optional 7-Axis Availability

Provides an additional Axis of Rotation for non-contact Laser Line Probes or curved probes

## Internal Counterbalancing

Internal counter balancing provides comfortable stress-free usage

## Multi-Probe Capability

Including various Ball Diameters, Touch-Sensitive, Curved and Extensions

## Extended-Use Battery

Integrated extended-use battery Provides true “measure anywhere” capability

## Universal 3.5” Quick Mount

Universal 3.5” quick-mount offers “Mount-it-where-you-make-it” convenience and less downtime

## The Best-Selling Portable CMM!

The Platinum FaroArm’s high accuracy renders traditional CMMs, hand tools and other portable inspection equipment obsolete. Anyone, anywhere can now inspect, reverse engineer or perform CAD-to-Part-analysis on parts, fixtures and assemblies with previously unheard of precision. When you partner that accuracy with its adaptable 3-D measurement technology and customized zero-training SoftCheck Tools (with or without CAD), it is ideal for forming, molding, fabricating, casting and assembly facilities needing basic 3-D measurements or advanced GD&T and SPC output.

### Most Common Applications

- Aerospace:** Alignment, Tooling & Mold Certification, Part Inspection
- Automotive:** Tool Building & Certification, Alignment, Part Inspection
- Metal Fabrication:** OMI, First article inspection, Periodic Part Inspection
- Molding/Tool & Die:** Mold and Die Inspection, Prototype Part Scanning

## Features

- ▶ ±.013 mm Repeatability
- ▶ 7-Axis Availability
- ▶ 6-Degrees-of-Freedom Probe
- ▶ Adaptable 3-D Measurement Technology
- ▶ Space-Age Composite Construction

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## Performance Specifications

Model (Measuring Range) axis	Single Point Articulation Performance Test (Max-Min)/2		Volumetric Maximum Deviation		FaroArm Weight	
	6	7	6	7	6	7
Platinum 4 ft. (1.2 m)	±.0005 in. (±.013 mm)	±.0007 in. (±.018 mm)	±.0007 in. (±.018 mm)	±.0010 in. (±.025 mm)	20.0 lbs. (9.10 kg)	20.5 lbs. (9.30 kg)
Platinum 6 ft. (1.8 m)	±.0008 in. (±.020 mm)	±.0010 in. (±.026 mm)	±.0011 in. (±.029 mm)	±.0015 in. (±.037 mm)	20.5 lbs. (9.30 kg)	21 lbs. (9.30 kg)
Platinum 8 ft. (2.4 m)	±.0010 in. (±.025 mm)	±.0012 in. (±.030 mm)	±.0014 in. (±.036 mm)	±.0017 in. (±.043 mm)	21.0 lbs. (9.5 kg)	21.5 lbs. (9.75 kg)
Platinum 10 ft. (3.0 m)	±.0017 in. (±.043 mm)	±.0020 in. (±.052 mm)	±.0024 in. (±.061 mm)	±.0029 in. (±.073 mm)	21.5 lbs. (9.75 kg)	22 lbs. (9.98 kg)
Platinum 12 ft. (3.7 m)	±.0024 in. (±.061 mm)	±.0029 in. (±.073 mm)	±.0034 in. (±.086 mm)	±.0041 in. (±.103 mm)	22.0 lbs. (9.98 kg)	22.5 lbs. (10.21 kg)

**FaroArm Test Methods** - (Test methods are a subset of those given in the B89.4.22 standard.)

**Single Point Articulation Performance Test (Max-Min)/2:**

The probe of the FaroArm is placed within a conical socket, and individual points are measured from multiple approach directions. Each individual point measurement is analyzed as a range of deviations in X, Y, Z. This test is a method for determining articulating measurement machine repeatability.

**Volumetric Maximum Deviation:**

Determined by using traceable length artifacts, which are measured at various locations and orientations throughout the working volume of the FaroArm. This test is a method for determining articulating measurement machine accuracy.

## Hardware Specifications

**Operating Temp range:** 10°C to 40°C (50°F to 104°F)

**Operating Humidity Range:** 0-95%, noncondensing

**Temperature Rate:** 3°C/5min. (5.4°F/5min. Max)

**Power Supply:** Universal worldwide voltage  
85-245VAC,  
50/60 Hz

**Certifications:** MET (UL, CSA Certified) • CE Compliance • Directive 93/68/EEC, (CE Marking) • Directive 89/336/EEC, (EMC) • FDA CDRH, Subchapter J of 21 CFR 1040.10 Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control & Lab Use  
EN 61010-1:2001, IEC 60825-1, EN 61326  
Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC)  
EN 55011, EN 61000-3-2, EN 61000-3-3, EN 61000-4-4, EN 61000-4-5, EN 61000-4-6, EN 61000-4-8, EN 61000-4-11

