EC0225LM Series

Mechanical Bearing, Linear-Motor Stage

High-performance in a cost-effective, economic package

Rugged mechanical design

Direct-drive linear motor for precision motion

Nine models with travels from 100 mm to 800 mm

The ECO225LM series, part of the ECO linear stage family, builds upon Aerotech's long tradition of producing low total cost of ownership motion designs. Excellent positioning specifications, high stiffness and load capacity, and a variety of options and features combined with economic pricing make ECO225LM stages an ideal choice for medium-performance production applications.

Quality Mechanical Construction

A long-life recirculating linear guide bearing system and quality construction make the ECO225LM an attractive solution for applications where up-time is critical. Unlike low-cost competitive motion stages, the ECO225LM can be integrated into complex machines with the assurance it will perform at a high level and outlast other machine components.

Precision Motion Performance

ECO225LM series stages are optimized with high precision, noncontact linear encoders. Precision recirculating linear bearings, along with Aerotech's machining and assembly craftsmanship, enable the best geometric performance per unit price on the market.

The precision noncontact encoders enable minimum incremental motion to 10 nm with micrometer-level repeatability. The optional HALAR factory calibration improves positioning accuracy to $\pm 1.5 \ \mu m$.



Direct-Drive Linear Motor

The ECO225LM comes standard with Aerotech's fieldproven linear motor technology. It is available with a highperformance linear-motor option for applications requiring higher force and acceleration motion profiles. In both cases the ironless forcer coil provides high force with zero cogging for super-smooth velocity and position control. This ironless design is ideal for applications requiring outstanding contour accuracy and smooth velocity profiling. As with all Aerotech linear motor stages, the linear motor has zero backlash, no windup, zero friction, and excellent dynamic responsiveness.

Design and Integration Flexibility

The ECO225LM is available in nine different models with travels ranging from 100 mm to 800 mm and speeds up to 2 m/s. Configurable cable management solutions are available for single and multi-axis systems as standard options.

The base mounting holes are accessible from the outside of the stage for easy mounting. Standard mounting holes for both English and metric optical tables are present in all travels. Tabletops are available with both English and metric mounting patterns. Tabletop hole patterns allow the direct attachment of several types of Aerotech rotary stages.

The ECO225LM stage is a flexible, yet cost-effective, linear motion stage with many options to fit the exact needs of the application. It is easily the best performing and most versatile linear stage per unit price that money can buy.

EC0225LM Series SPECIFICATIONS

Mechanical						ECO22	5LM			
Specifications										
Travel		100	150	200	250	300	400	500	600	800
Accuracy ⁽¹⁾	Standard	±6 μm	±8 μm	±10 μm	±12 μm	±14 µm	±16 µm	±18 µm	±20 μm	±22 µm
Accuracy	Calibrated	±1.5 µm	±1.5 µm	±2 μm	±2 μm	±2 μm	±2.5 μm	±2.5 μm	±3 μm	±3 μm
Resolution (Min. Incremental Motion)		10 nm								
Bidirectional Repeatability ⁽¹⁾		±0.75 μm	±0.75 μm	±0.75 μm	±0.75 μm	±0.75 μm	±1.0 μm	±1.0 μm	±1.0 μm	±1.0 μm
Straightness ⁽¹⁾)	±2.5 μm	±3 μm	±4 μm	±4.5 µm	±5 μm	±6 µm	±7 μm	±8 µm	±9.5 μm
Flatness ⁽¹⁾		±2.5 μm	±3 µm	±4 μm	±4.5 µm	±5 μm	±6 μm	±7 μm	±8 µm	±9.5 µm
Pitch		40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	50 µrad (10.3 arc sec)	55 µrad (11.3 arc sec)	60 µrad (12.4 arc sec)	70 µrad (14.4 arc sec)	85 µrad (17.5 arc sec)	100 µrad (20.6 arc sec)	115 µrad (23.7 arc sec)
Roll		40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	50 µrad (10.3 arc sec)	55 µrad (11.3 arc sec)	60 µrad (12.4 arc sec)	70 µrad (14.4 arc sec)	85 µrad (17.5 arc sec)	100 µrad (20.6 arc sec)	115 µrad (23.7 arc sec)
Yaw		40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	40 µrad (8.2 arc sec)	50 µrad (10.3 arc sec)	55 µrad (11.3 arc sec)	60 µrad (12.4 arc sec)	70 µrad (14.4 arc sec)	85 µrad (17.5 arc sec)	100 µrad (20.6 arc sec)	115 µrad (23.7 arc sec)
Maximum Speed ⁽²⁾		2 m/s								
Maximum Acceleration ⁽²⁾		1.5 g								
Maximum Force.	M1	72.1 N								
Continuous	M2	153.3 N								
Load	Horizontal	100 kg								
Capacity ⁽³⁾	Side	100 kg								
Moving Mass		6.1 kg								
Stage Mass	M1	18.6 kg	20.0 kg	21.0 kg	22.3 kg	23.6 kg	26.3 kg	28.6 kg	31.3 kg	36.2 kg
	M2	20.2 kg	21.8 kg	22.7 kg	24.3 kg	25.9 kg	29.1 kg	31.6 kg	36.8 kg	40.6 kg
Material		Anodized Aluminum								
MTBF (Mean Time Between Failure)		20,000 Hours								

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Notes: 1. Certified with -PL1 option 2. Requires the selection of an appropriate amplifier with sufficient voltage and current., and 3. Axis-orientation for on-axis loading is listed 4. Specifications are for single-axis systems measured 25 mm above the tabletop. Performant applications		
Electrical Specifications		
Drive System	Brushless Linear Servomotor	
Feedback	Noncontact Encoder Incremental – 1 Vpp and TTL (0.1 μm) Output	
Maximum Bus Voltage	340 VDC	
Limit Switches	5 V, Normally-Closed	
	Near Center	

Recommended Controller		
	A3200 Ndrive HLe/Ndrive CP/Ndrive HPe/Npaq	
Multi-Axis	Ensemble	Ensemble HLe/Ensemble CP/Ensemble HPe
Single Axis	Soloist	Soloist CP/Soloist HPe

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EC0225LM Series DIMENSIONS





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EC0225LM Series Linear Stages

-0100	100 mm travel stage
-0150	150 mm travel stage
-0200	200 mm travel stage
-0250	250 mm travel stage
-0300	300 mm travel stage
-0400	400 mm travel stage
-0500	500 mm travel stage
-0600	600 mm travel stage
-0800	800 mm travel stage
Motor (Optional)	
-M1	Standard motor option
-M2	High performance motor option
Tabletop (Optional)	
-TT1	Tabletop with metric dimension mounting
-TT2	Tabletop with English dimension mounting
-TT3	Accessory tabletop with mounting for select rotary stages
Feedback (Pequired)	

Feedback (Required)

Travel (Required)

-E1	Incremental linear encoder, 1 Vpp
-E2	Incremental linear encoder, 0.1 µm digital TTL output

Cable Management (Required)

	-CMS0	No external CMS, motor/feedback connector bracket on carriage
	-CMS1	External CMS for single axis
	-CMS2	External CMS for lower-axis of two-axis ECO (XY) assembly
	-CMS3	External CMS for lower-axis of two-axis (XZ or XT) assembly
,	-CMS4	External CMS for upper-axis of two-axis ECO assembly

Lifting Hardware (Optional)

-LF Lifting option only available on travels 300 mm and greater. Lifting should never be ordered on the upper-axis of an XY set (only order on lower-axis).

Metrology (Required)

-PL0	No metrology performance plots
-PL1	Metrology, uncalibrated with performance plots
-PL2	Metrology, calibrated (HALAR) with performance plots

Integration (Required)

Aerotech offers both standard and custom integration services to help you get your system fully operational as quickly as possible. The following standard integration options are available for this system. Please consult Aerotech if you are unsure what level of integration is required, or if you desire custom integration support with your system.

-TAS	Integration - Test as system
	Testing, integration, and documentation of a group of components as a complete system that will
	be used together (ex: drive, controller, and stage). This includes parameter file generation, system
	tuning, and documentation of the system configuration.
-TAC	Integration - Test as components
	Testing and integration of individual items as discrete components that ship together. This is
	typically used for spare parts, replacement parts, or items that will not be used together. These
	components may or may not be part of a larger system.
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Accessories (to be ordered as a separate line item)

ALIGN-NPA	Non-precision XY assembly
ALIGN-NPAZ	Non-precision XZ or YZ assembly
ALIGN-PA10	XY assembly; 10 arc sec orthogonality. Alignment to within 7 microns orthogonality for short
	travel stages.
ALIGN-PA10Z	XZ or YZ assembly with L-bracket; 10 arc second orthogonality. Alignment to within 10 microns
	orthogonality for short travel stages.
ALIGN-PA5	XY assembly; 5 arc sec orthogonality. Alignment to within 3 microns orthogonality for short travel
	stages.
ALIGN-PA5Z	XZ or YZ assembly with L-bracket; 5 arc second orthogonality. Alignment to within 5 microns orthogonality for short travel stages.