# **SLAM**Stack Level Attitude Measurement Probe



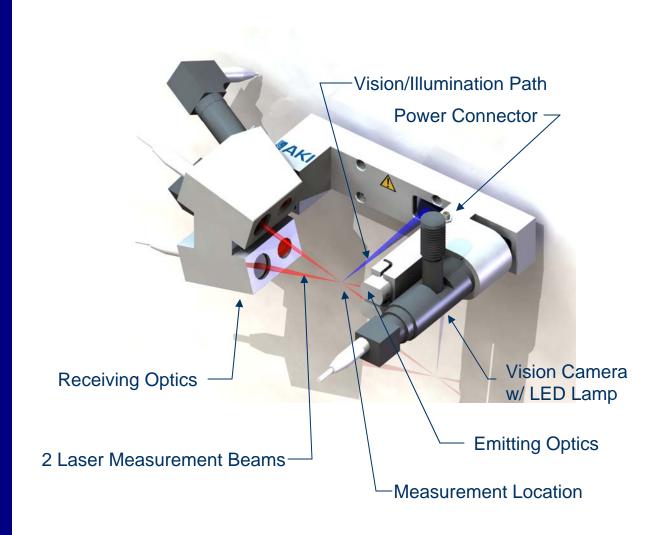


## **SLAM** Description

- The SLAM (Stack Level Attitude Measurement) probe is designed to measure static attitude in the head stack prior to drive installation.
- PSA/RSA and Z information is gathered for each measurement.
- This patent-pending non-contact, laser based technology measures both up and down facing sliders
- This revolutionary technology yields throughput and gage capabilities that far exceed existing "shadow" technologies.
- A process vision camera provides precise slider location feedback to the system and is used to measure other parameters, such as head alignment.
- Measurements may be taken along the suspension, arm, e-block or bearings, to further characterize the assembly (depending on assembly geometry).
- A similar version of the SLAM probe without the process vision camera is also available.



#### **SLAM Features**





### **SLAM Specifications**

	PSA	RSA	Z
Measurement Range	± 7.0°	± 2.0°	± 0.5mm
Resolution	<0.0020°	<0.0005°	<0.10µm
RMS Repeatability	<0.0040°	<0.0010°	<0.25µm
Full Range RMS Accuracy	<0.0300°	<0.0080°	<4.00µm¹

Measurement Speed (PRSA or Z): <70 msec

Lasers (Wavelength, Class, Power, Qty): 635 nm, Illa, 4.2mW, 2

Laser Approach Angle: 15°

Minimum Femto Slider Spacing<sup>2</sup>: 0.15mm

Sensor Technology: 1/3" CCD (x5)

Spot Size:  $<50\mu m$ 

Physical Dimensions (H x W x D): 180 x 160 x 80mm

Weight: 8.5 Kg

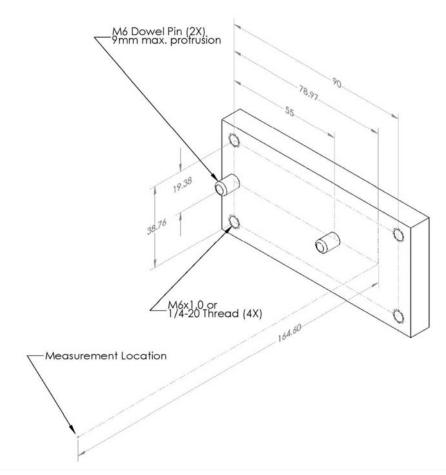
Power Requirements: 5VDC, 400mA max.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Over 80% of full range

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Certain slider and suspension geometries may increase the minimum spacing.



## **SLAM Mounting Details**



Sample mounting arrangement. Measurements given in millimeters.



#### **Additional Information**

#### Included in package:

- SLAM probe
- 1 LED light source w/ power supply
- 2 Cognex vision cards
- 1 Camera port expansion panel
- 5 Camera cables
- 1 Power cable
- Installation package including:
  - Stand alone probe software
  - Sample source code available in a variety of languages
- 1 USB or Parallel port Hardware Key

#### Minimum PC Requirements:

- Intel Pentium CPU, 166MHz
- Two open PCI slots
- One additional open slot (any type)
- 512 MB RAM
- 400 MB free disk space prior to installation
- 1024x768 display
- PCI, PCI Express, or AGP video adapter (2X or better AGP or PCI Express; recommended)
- Microsoft Windows 2000 SP4 or XP SP2
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0