

Product Advantages

One of the Smallest 6-Axis Sensors in the World: The Nano17 fits into restricted spaces of research applications.

Extremely High Strength:

- EDM wire-cut from high-yield-strength stainless steel.
- Maximum allowable single-axis overload values are 3.1 to 13 times rated capacities.

High Signal-to-Noise Ratio: Silicon strain gages provide a signal 75 times stronger than conventional foil gages. This signal is amplified, resulting in near-zero noise distortion.

IP65 and IP68 (4m) Versions Available: The IP65 version of the transducer is available for use in wet environments. The IP68 version is for underwater environments to a maximum depth of 4 meters in fresh water. Contact ATI Industrial Automation for drawings and more information.



The Nano17 F/T transducer

The transducer is made of hardened stainless steel, with integral interface plates made from high-strength aircraft aluminum.

Typical Applications

- Dental research
- Robotic surgery
- Robotic hand research
- Finger-force research

ENGLISH CALIBRATIONS	SENSING RANGES	Calibrations					
	Axes	US-3-1		US-6-2		US-12-4	
	Fx, Fy (±lbf)	3		6		12	
	Fz (±lbf)	4.25		8.5		17	
	Tx, Ty (±lbf-in)	1		2		4	
	Tz (±lbf-in)	1		2		4	
	RESOLUTION	System Type*					
	Axes	CTL	Net/DAQ	CTL	Net/DAQ	CTL	Net/DAQ
	Fx, Fy (lbf)	1/640	1/1280	1/320	1/640	1/160	1/320
	Fz (lbf)	1/640	1/1280	1/320	1/640	1/160	1/320
Tx, Ty (lbf-in)	1/4000	1/8000	1/2000	1/4000	1/1000	1/2000	
Tz (lbf-in)	1/4000	1/8000	1/2000	1/4000	1/1000	1/2000	

METRIC CALIBRATIONS	SENSING RANGES	Calibrations					
	Axes	SI-12-0.12		SI-25-0.25		SI-50-0.5	
	Fx, Fy (±N)	12		25		50	
	Fz (±N)	17		35		70	
	Tx, Ty (±Nmm)	120		250		500	
	Tz (±Nmm)	120		250		500	
	RESOLUTION	System Type*					
	Axes	CTL	Net/DAQ	CTL	Net/DAQ	CTL	Net/DAQ
	Fx, Fy (N)	1/160	1/320	1/80	1/160	1/40	1/80
	Fz (N)	1/160	1/320	1/80	1/160	1/40	1/80
Tx, Ty (Nmm)	1/32	1/64	1/16	1/32	1/8	1/16	
Tz (Nmm)	1/32	1/64	1/16	1/32	1/8	1/16	

*CTL: Controller F/T System; Net: Net F/T System; DAQ: 16-bit DAQ F/T System. The resolution is typical for most applications and can be improved with filtering. Resolutions quoted are the effective resolution after dropping four counts of noise (Net/DAQ) or eight counts of noise (CTL). All sensors calibrated by ATI.

Applied loads must be within range in each of the six axes for the F/T sensor to measure correctly (refer to the transducer manual for complex loading information).

Single-Axis Overload	English	Metric
F _{xy}	±56 lbf	±250 N
F _z	±110 lbf	±480 N
T _{xy}	±14 lbf-in	±1.6 Nm
T _z	±16 lbf-in	±1.8 Nm
Stiffness (Calculated)	English	Metric
X-axis & Y-axis force (K _x , K _y)	4.7x10 ⁴ lb/in	8.2x10 ⁶ N/m
Z-axis force (K _z)	6.5x10 ⁴ lb/in	1.1x10 ⁷ N/m
X-axis & Y-axis torque (K _{tx} , K _{ty})	2.1x10 ³ lbf-in/rad	2.4x10 ² N/m/rad
Z-axis torque (K _{tz})	3.4x10 ³ lbf-in/rad	3.8x10 ² N/m/rad
Resonant Frequency (Non-IP rated, Measured)		
F _x , F _y , T _z	7200 Hz	
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Physical Specifications	English	Metric
Weight*	0.02 lb	0.00907 kg
Diameter*	0.669 in	17 mm
Height*	0.571 in	14.5 mm

*Specifications are for non-IP rated models. Diameter excludes any connector or cable features.

"I used the Nano17 in a recent design application. The support I received from ATI for my special application was excellent. The documentation was well-written, the installation and set-up was easy and the sensor proved to be robust and highly accurate for my application."

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