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# **SURF-X**<sup>™</sup>

Flexible Eddy Current Array Probes

# ULTIMATE FLEXIBILITY



# **Ultimate Probe Flexibility**

Introducing the Surf-X family of flexible Eddy Current array probes. Featuring unique multiple coil sets and proprietary X-PROBE™ technology, Surf-X array probes can quickly and accurately test a wide range of materials and geometries.

With interchangeable electronics module, cable, detachable encoder and coil sets, Surf-X array probes provide flexibility and cost efficiencies like never before.

#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

#### **Save Time and Money**

- ▶ Electronics module, cable and detachable encoder can be used interchangeably and re-used with any subsequent Surf-X array probe coil sets
- Field interchangeable coil sets easily adapt to different materials and surface geometries at the inspection site
- Detachable handles to accommodate different applications and complex geometries
- Preset test configurations
- Ability to revise filters to optimize results

#### Fast Inspection, No Chemicals

- **▶** Chemical Testing Replacement:
  - Surface array probes are a cost-effective, chemical free replacement for Liquid Penetrant Testing (PT) and Magnetic Particle Testing (MT)
- **▶** Single Sensor Probe Replacement:
  - The surface array option can reduce inspection time by up to 95% versus traditional pencil probes

### **Accurate, High Quality Results**

- ▶ Better coverage vs. traditional handheld probes
- ▶ Rotatable Encoder is standard, providing easy identification of flaw locations and dimensions
- Position indicators on the probe help with alignment and ensure the entire area of interest is inspected
- ▶ Patented and proven X-PROBE technology-based coil set delivers added dependability and accuracy
- Operates in absolute and multiple modes of driver pickup

For a lower total cost, excellent data quality and reduced inspection time compared to other methods, consider Surf-X array probes from Zetec.

# **Smart Options**

#### **Interchangeable Surf-X Coil Sets**

A key advantage of the Surf-X array probe family is the highly flexible design featuring interchangeable multiple coil sets. With Surf-X array probes, users in the field can change a coil set in less than a minute enabling the probe to easily adapt to different materials and surface geometries at the inspection site.

**Surf-X Weld Array Probe:** Innovative and patent pending mix of array and +point™ coils. The +point coils find indications in the hard to inspect weld toes while the array coils quickly inspect the remaining weld and heat affected zones. Handles have been designed to make inspecting butt and t-welds a breeze.

**Surf-X Flex Array Probe:** Flexible probe allowing detailed inspection on all materials and many geometries. Ideal for testing rows of flush rivets, replacing handheld probes. Replace your dye penetrant testing on helicopter spars, train wheels or mining drums.



Surf-X Weld Array Probe



Surf-X Flex Array Probe

## **Inspect Complex Geometries with Ease**







# **New Levels of Probe Versatility**

#### **Versatile Electronics Module and Cable**

The Surf-X array probe's electronics module and cable design offers breakthrough inspection efficiencies. These components can be used interchangeably across probe coil sets delivering material cost savings after initial purchase.

With subsequent Surf-X array probe purchases, the module and cable can be re-used saving time and money.



#### **Detachable Encoder**

Surf-X array probes come with a highly versatile, detachable encoder that can connect in multiple locations on both the handle and electronics module providing maximum versatility when it comes to dealing with multiple positions as you probe.

For cost efficiency, the encoder can be used and re-used interchangeably with all Surf-X array probe coil sets.



## **Wear Surface Options**

All Surf-X interchangeable coil sets come with three wear surface options:

- No wear surface for inspecting small indications on smooth materials.
- Cloth wear surface for protecting the array coils on smooth or polished surfaces. Ideal for airplane skins or smooth curved surfaces.
- **SuperFabric** for protecting array coils on rough surfaces like Butt and T-Welds.



SuperFabric

# **Probe Options to Meet Your Specific Needs**

	Surf-X T & Butt Weld Probe	Surf-X Flexible Probe	
Applications	High crown t & butt welds	1/2" radius surfaces airplane skins, mining equipment, train wheels	
Materials	Ferrous, non-ferrous	Ferrous, non-ferrous	
Subsurface	Non-ferrous	Non-ferrous	
Surface	Ferrous, non-ferrous	Ferrous, non-ferrous	
Freq Range	50 - 2800kHz	50 - 2800kHz	
Penetration	0.25" (6.3mm)	0.25" (6.3mm)	
Coverage 32 coil 2x16	1.7" (43mm)	1.7" (43mm)	
Coil diameter	0.079" (2mm) 2+points	0.079" (2mm)	
Bend radius	0.5" (12.7mm)	0.5" (12.7mm)	

# **General Specifications**

Shipping Dimensions: 10in. x 8in. x 6in. (25.4cm x 20.3cm x 15.2cm)

Shipping Weight: < 2 lbs (0.9kg)

Operating Temperature: -10°C to 50°C (14°F to 122°F) Storage Temperature: -20°C to 70°C (-4°F to 158°F)



## **Recommended Eddy Current Instrument**

MIZ®-21C Array: (PN 111A903-00)

# **Complete Eddy Current Array Inspection Solution**

A Surf-X array probe is a fast, accurate, chemical-free alternative to penetrant testing (PT) that, when used with the Zetec MIZ®-21C handheld eddy current array instrument, is one of the most cost-effective portable surface array solutions on the market.

Recently updated, the Zetec MIZ-21C is a sealed unit with increased operating temperature range, increased internal memory storage, off-the shelf battery charging and more.

## **Ordering Information**

## **Complete Probe Electronics Module, Encoder & Coil Set**

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#### **Electronics Module**

Component	Cable Length	PN	Description	
	6ft (2m)	SURFXCEM-S00-06	SURF-X Electronics Module MIZ-21C 32 Coil	
MIZ-21C 32 Coil	13ft (4m)	SURFXCEM-S00-13		
	33ft (10m)	SURFXCEM-S00-33		

SuperFabric

#### **Detachable Encoder**

Component	PN	Description
Detachable Encoder	SURFXEN-001	Detachable Encoder with 18" USBM Cord

#### **Interchangeable Coil Sets (32 Coil)**

Wear Surface	T & Butt Weld	Flexible
None	SURFXW-S00	SURFX-S00
Cloth	SURFXW-S01	SURFX-S01
SuperFabric	SURFXW-S02	SURFX-S02

### **Zetec: A Leading Supplier of Probes Worldwide**

For 50 years, Zetec has manufactured over 10,000 probe designs to meet the changing needs of the nondestructive testing (NDT) market. We are a leading supplier of probes worldwide covering most applications and techniques. With world-class manufacturing facilities, Zetec probes deliver the best results for our customers







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