IPG Photonics Wobble Heads

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Wobble Heads IPG Photonics' D30 & D50 Processing Heads

Standard Features

IPG's Wobble welding heads are designed to provide the highest laser power handling capability in the industry in a completely sealed and lightweight package. These process heads provide effortless integration with IPG lasers and offers improved weld quality and better visual finish. Available in multiple configurations with the broadest focus and collimator lens options, the Wobblers are the ultimate tool to weld a multitude of different material types and thicknesses.



FLW-D30-W

IPG D30 Wobble Welding Head

Power Handling up to 6 kW with a variety of wobble shapes at frequencies up to 1 kHz



FLW-D50-W

IPG D50 Wobble Welding Head

Power Handling up to 12 kW with a variety of wobble shapes at frequencies up to 700 Hz



FLW-D85-W

IPG D85 Wobble Welding Head Wobble welding head for laser welding applications at up to 30 kW

Wobble Modes

CW/CCW CIRCLE









In addition to the wobble modes, both wobble frequency and amplitude can be adjusted for process optimization

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Enhanced Weld Quality & Consistency

Compared to conventional (laser) welding methods, welding with the wobble option results in superior weld quality. Wobbling also helps to overcome consistency issues related to backreflections when welding materials like aluminum, copper, etc.





Greater Tolerance for Process Variables

As it comes to process variables, such as the gap between the workpieces, wobble welding allows a considerably wider process parameter window that results in good quality welds.



Improved Welding of Dissimilar Materials

When welding dissimilar metals with the Wobbler, melting behavior of different materials can be balanced by adjusting wobble parameters. The melting and solidification of the intermetallic layer can be controlled to improve weld quality.

Welding Materials Prone to Cracking/Porosity

For materials which are sensitive to welding defects such as pore formation and cracking, utilizing the wobbler welding head, the welding process can be further optimized to minimize welding defects.





6061 aluminum sample welded with conventional laser welding process: obvious pores in the cross section



6061 aluminum sample welded with the wobbler head: the cross section is free of porosity

Optional Features

Expanding Process Capabilities



Seam Tracking

- Complete seam tracking system
- Increases productivity through automated adjustment of weld location to match varying seam positions
- Utilizes high speed CCD camera and LED strobe illumination to image fast moving parts
- Locates seams with <10 um accuracy
- Provides increased process consistency







Wobbler with Scan Controller

- Utilizes IPG Scan Controller and IPGWeld Software for job setup and execution.
- Ideal for applications with tight tolerances and/or thermally sensitive parts, for example: medical components and battery welding.
- Desired weld geometries can be drawn on IPGWeld or imported as a .dxf file. Wobble function can be enabled for any weld shape.
- Accurate control over laser power: pulsing and power ramping can be modified easily.





Other Process Capabilities

- Laser Drilling: Wobble function can be used to drill holes with adjustable diameter.
- Additive Manufacturing



Wobble Head Configurations

D30 & D50 Available Options



Expanding Process Capabilities



Air Knife with Purge

Integrated purge module provides additional protection for cover slide. Gas assist can be attached to serve as plume suppression. FLW-D30: P30-002163

FLW-D50: P30-007272



Gas Assist

Can be attached to air knife or directly to head. Can be used to deliver off-axis shield gas to weld site. Suppresses weld plume. Multiple inputs P30-002452



Coaxial Nozzle

Shield gas is delivered coaxially to the weld site. Telescoping option available. Suppresses weld plume.

FLW-D30: P30-002650-XXX F100, F125, F150, F200, F250, F300 FLW-D50: P30-007401-XXX F150, F200, F250, F300



Welding Head Alarm Module

Monitors cover slide presence, contamination and temperature as well as mirror temperature P30-007325

Camera Options

(Camera Arm Assembly Required)

Digital HD Camera



- Direct connectivity to any HD monitor (No PC Required)
- 1/3" CCD
- True 720p HD O/P @ 60fps
- Inbuilt Cross-Hair Generator
- 40w x 40h x 45.8d

Digital Power Over Ethernet Camera P30-007444 - Ethernet Camera

- Recommended for image processing applications (PC Required)
- 1/3" CCD
- 1.2 Megapixel resolution @ 40fps
- Cross-Hair can be generated via bundled software
- 35w x 35h x 57.3d

Camera Arm Assembly P30-002424 (90 Degree) P30-009929 (Straight)

with C-mount extension tube to mount camera. Precision image position adjustment Integrated iris Image focus and lock





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