

The Art of Economy

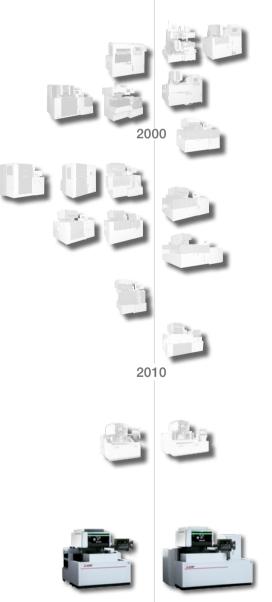




46 model series since 1964.

An assurance of innovation and dependability.

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If you've got grand designs,

you need someone strong you can count on.



Since 1970, a growing number of European companies have therefore been turning to high-performance EDM machines from world market leader Mitsubishi Electric.

Only by producing components in-house is it possible to tailor them perfectly to the intended task. Mitsubishi Electric resorts to its own controls, semiconductors, motors and other items, which are adapted in detail to all requirements. The only thing you notice is that it works – and often for many decades after purchase.

If you want to invest soundly in a durable EDM machine, choose Mitsubishi Electric.



Intuitive operation – for the benefit of the machine operator.

The user interface is child's play to handle – gesture control inclusive. While some choose dialogue-supported user guidance, others opt for professional mode to get off to a speedy start. The control adapts to the user.

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Precision and speed – with the generator that not only thinks for itself, but also thinks ahead.

Superlative surface finish is always demanded in precision toolmaking. To meet this need, the MP Connect is therefore equipped with the fine finishing generator as standard. This is of course just one of many features of the MP Connect. Continued on page 15

FINISH CIRCIUT

An EDM system must help your company to make money.

Precision and efficiency in a perfect combination. The MP Series cuts expenditure on electricity, wire and filters considerably – so that you can earn more. The machine is designed for decades and has extra-low maintenance needs thanks to intelligent technologies.

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LLS LONG LIFE SYSTEM

Extreme precision

that always impresses.

The MP Series marks the dawn of a new era in precision

Developed for a combination of extreme accuracy and superlative surface quality.



Pitch accuracy up to $\pm 1 \mu m$



Angle precision ± 0.01°



Surface roughness Ra 0.08 µm



Roundness < 1 µm

The speed of light...

...for communication by fibre optics.

The Tubular Shaft Motor with its highly responsive control fully exploits the benefits of high communication speed. No heat, no maintenance and no contact – just extra precision for good. At Mitsubishi Electric, this is known as "Changes for the Better".

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Set-up the easy way.

The three-sided elevating work tank clears the way – for easy access and simple loading. Place workpieces directly onto the closed four-sided table or mount clamping systems easily. The optional 3D set-up system saves additional labour during work preparation.

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Wire break point insertion even on thick and interrupted workpieces.

The time-consuming return to the starting point is omitted – and machining continues where it left off, thanks to the highly advanced wire annealing system. Depending on machining conditions, threading can be successfully performed with or without jet stream and even submerged – depending on workpiece thickness.

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Ergonomic machine strategy

enabling you to concentrate on the essential.

Focus on ergonomics



Set-up, programming, maintenance etc. – all the key elements are directly accessible at the front of the machine. The entire wire routing, automatic wire threading, wire guides and the entire workspace is readily accessible – a fact not least due to the machine's open design and the three-sided elevating work tank. A clearly visible status lamp is ready-integrated in the front hood to permit status checks away from the machine.

Intelligent D-CUBES control



... simply shifts the future into the present. The user has almost half a metre of user interface to work with, assisted in this by the mouse and the usual computer keyboard. The monitoring of the machining process generates neatly displayed information at a glance and detailed analysis where desired.

Network for productivity



All the critical data can be conveniently retrieved through the ERP system. The Controller supplies all relevant operational data for further external use – as a standard function. Important interfaces such as Ethernet TCP/IP are of course part of the package.



12 year warranty on positioning accuracy.



Perfect drive



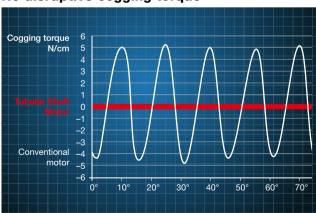
What was it about conventional drive systems that bothered developers at Mitsubishi Electric? The need for lubrication, the friction and frictional heat, power consumption, backlash, the cogging moment and above all the possible wear. Only a non-contact drive overcomes these drawbacks from the outset and is thus an assurance of better results and enhanced dependability over decades.

Speed of light

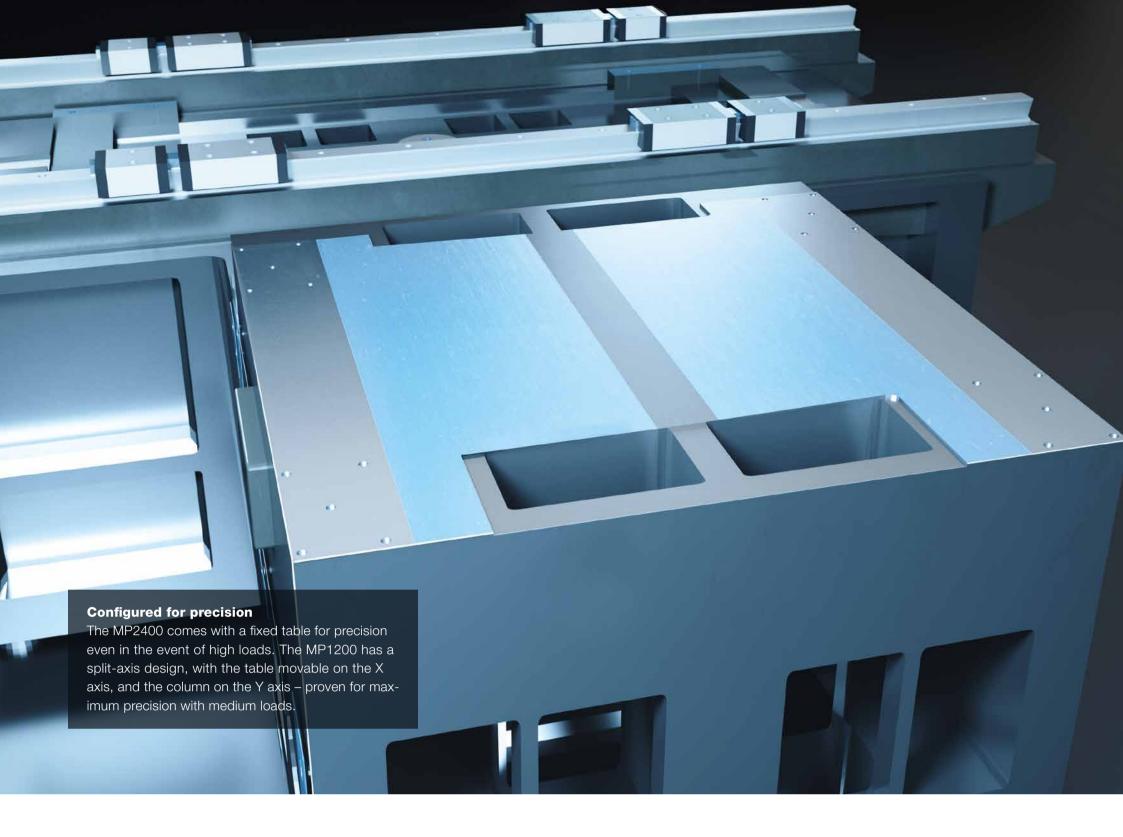


The Mitsubishi Electric polymer optical fibres have decisive advantages – not only over conventional copper cables, but also over glass fibres. Not only their total resistance to water, but also their high transmission rates combined with minimal space requirements and maximum flexibility are essential for truly progressive EDM systems. The only thing that you as a user notice is the longer service life and enhanced precision.

No disruptive cogging torque



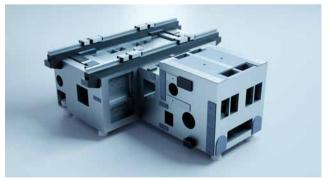
You're surely familiar with the cogging torque manifested by a conventional electric motor. It is precisely this cogging torque that is undesirable, as are variations in torque. The Tubular Shaft Motor – the optimal drive for precision applications like electrical discharge machining.

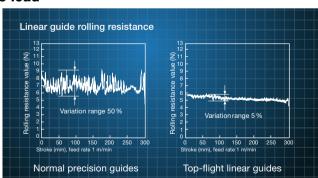


Nothing beats solid steel -

except even more solid steel in a single piece.

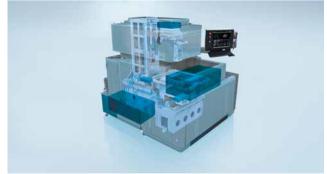
Even more precise axis movement - whatever the load





The exceptionally heavy-duty machine bed, only the best, top-flight linear guides and precision assembly ensure the best wire-cutting results in the long term. The slides of the linear guides come with play-free bearings without contact between the bearing balls during movement – for maximum smoothness of motion and almost no rolling resistance.

Perfect climate – accurate to the decimal place



Only if you have exact control of the machine, workpiece and dielectric, you have control of true precision. The inbuilt temperature regulation automatically controls all parameters and synchronises them so as to suppress temperature variation during the cutting process. All for the sake of accuracy!



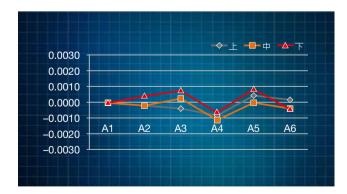
It's the result that counts.

How to achieve it with µm precision.



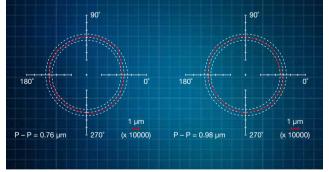
Positioning accuracy all the way

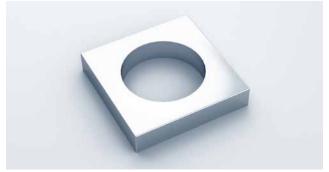
Positional variation less than 1 µm over the entire 400 mm travel path.



Negotiates curves effortlessly

Circularity precision of 0.98 µm for 80 mm and 30 mm cutting height.





The all-important angle

With < 0.01-degree precision– thanks to the Angle Master Advance with scalable angle compensation. Standard equipment on the MP Series.







Greater speed and accuracy -

for better economy with maximum precision.



Response time is decisive

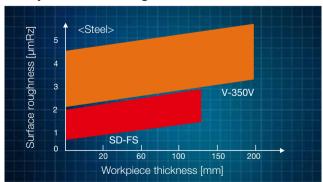
An EDM machine that reacts with greater speed and precision achieves better surface quality faster. The new H-FS generator has a significantly higher effective clock rate. The voltage is built up faster and with greater precision thanks to reduced capacitance loss. Thanks to faster voltage build-up, spark duration and working voltage can be lowered. All that you will probably notice is higher surface quality and lower power costs. The standard SD-FS delivers the best finish – up to Ra 0.05 µm in Tungsten Carbide.

Parallelism in the µm range



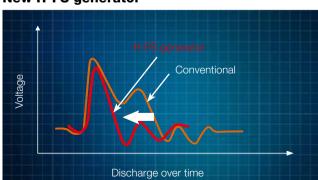
Parallelism of cutting punches in the $<\pm2\,\mu m$ range for cutting heights of 100 mm – demanded by toolmakers and achieved by the MP Series.

0.05 µm surface roughness

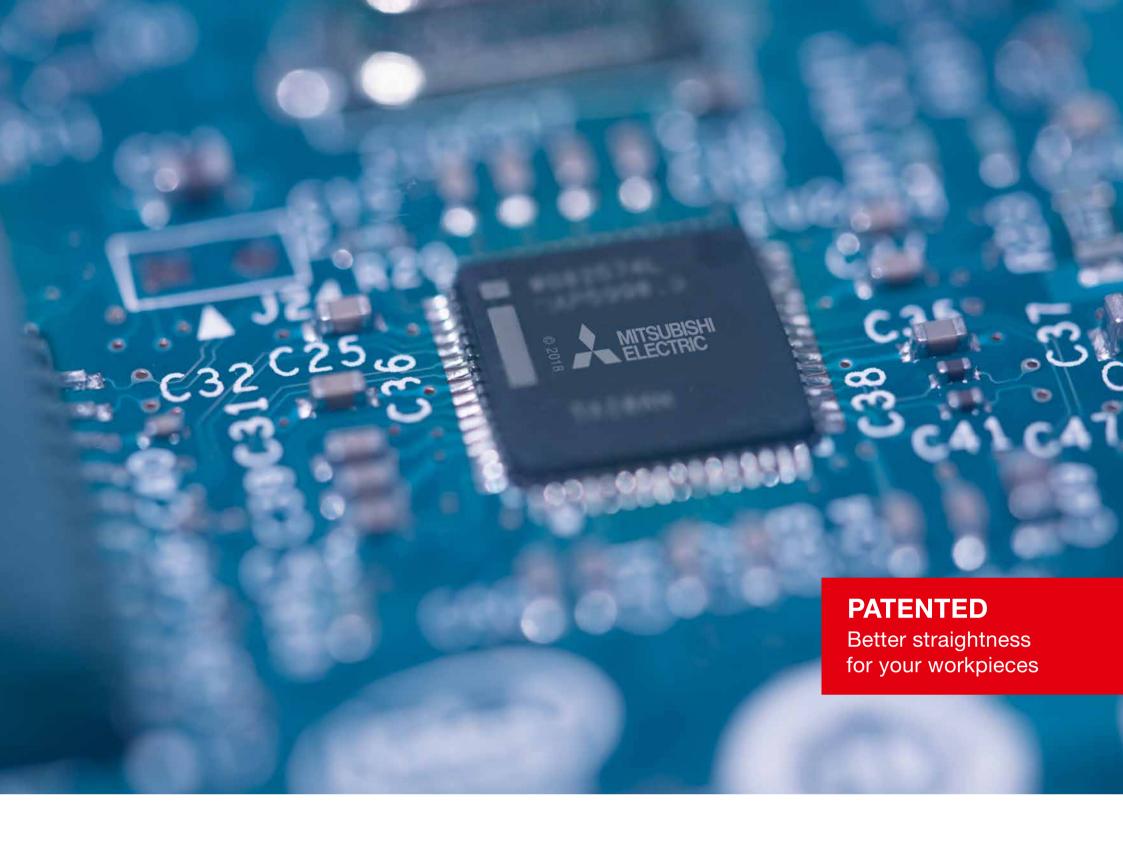


The new SD-FS fine finishing generator is installed as standard in the MP Series. Its action range yields superlative surfaces up to 130 mm cutting height.

New H-FS generator



Achieve excellent surface qualities with the new H-FS generator.

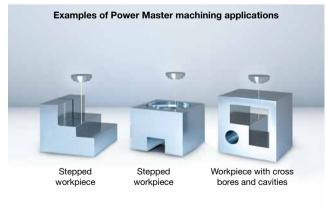


Precision for steps

and around corners.

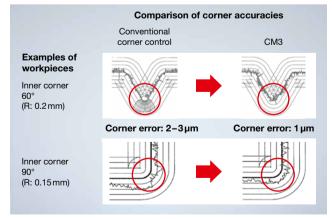


Process-Control as it's best - Power Master



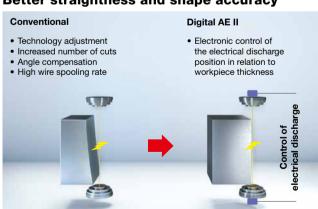
The Power Master Control gives the most highest level of process stability – whatever the shape being cut. Stepped workpiece shapes, boreholes and other obstacles to a stable cutting process are identified as soon as they appear and the control adopts cutting and flushing parameters for a safe process and superlative accuracy.

Getting a grip on radii and corners

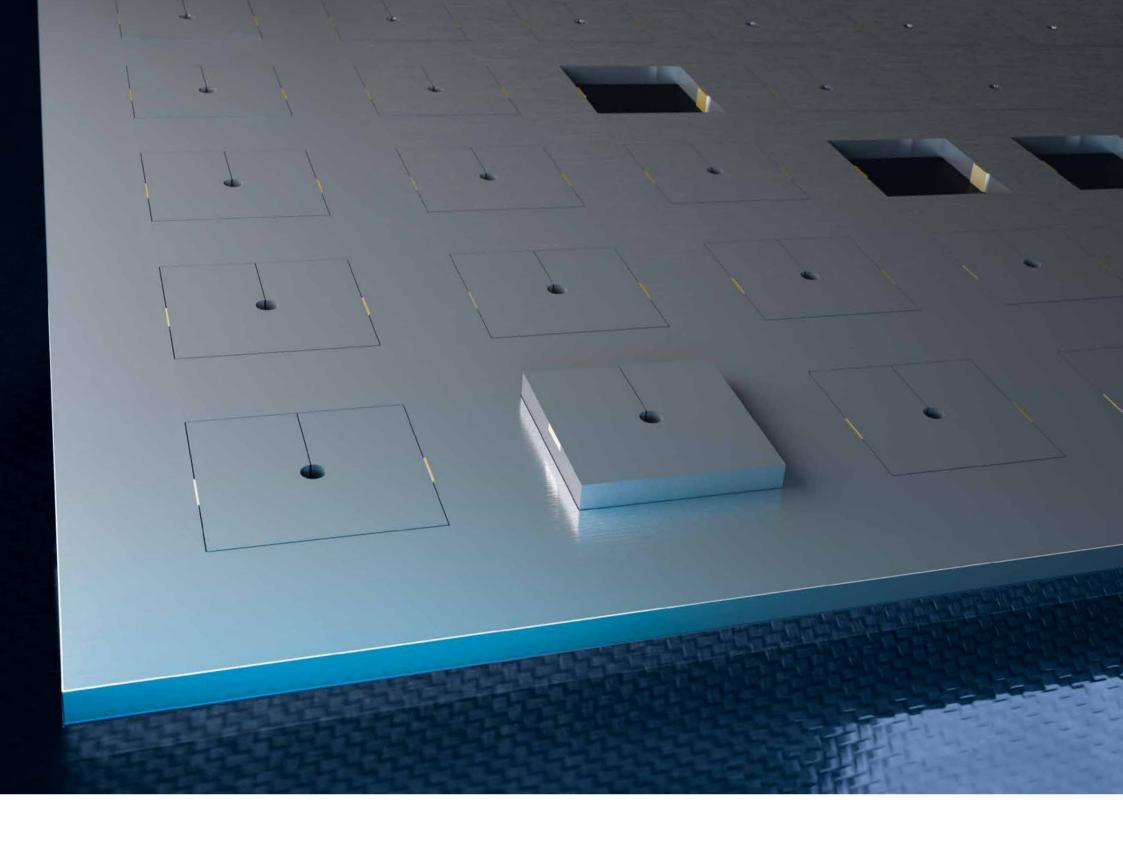


On small inner and outer corners and complicated geometries, Corner Master 3 comes to your aid. You merely define your priorities, and optimisation is performed accordingly.

Better straightness and shape accuracy



With precise control of the electrical discharge position, material is only removed where it needs to be. The patented functions of the Digital AE II improve rough and fine machining and fine finishing – in terms of both precision and machining time.

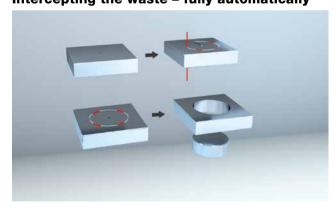


Corehold.

Intercepting the waste - fully automatically.



Intercepting the waste – fully automatically



During roughing, a bridge is controllably created to hold the waste material – the waste material cannot fall. In this way many features can be rough-machined and, after removal of the waste material, recut – fully automatically and unmanned, overnight and at weekends. Lower costs, higher profits.

Long-running jobs with multiple cut-outs



The number and length of fixing points are easy to set in different ways: directly via a comfortable dialogue menu within the CNC or on external programming systems supporting this function.

Reducing machining time



Standard core connections are replaced by easily removable fixing points, thus reducing the manned time for picking up core parts dramatically. Instead of cutting off the material bridges slowly, the core can be easily removed from the workpiece with slight manual pressure to the core, so the finishing process can start sooner. Remarkable time saving in detail help to reduce overall processing time, contributing to higher process efficiency.

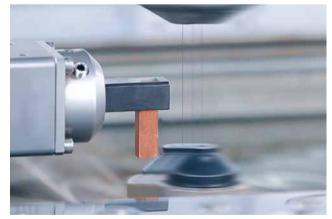


Crash Protection System

already installed.

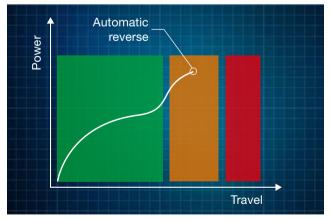


The in-built "guardian angel"



Care, attention and good planning are an assurance of immaculate results, even with the most advanced technology. And should the unexpected nevertheless occur, all the wire-cut EDMs from Mitsubishi Electric come with an in-built "crash protection system".

Fully automatic



The wire-cut EDM systems from Mitsubishi Electric constantly check current axial forces and thus fully automatically detect potential accidents before they happen. If there is an obstacle in the travel path, this is electronically detected on the basis of the drive's load change during the approach and the control automatically reverses. Better safe than sorry!

Crash Protection System in action



See for yourself and watch the dependable Crash Protection System from Mitsubishi Electric in action!



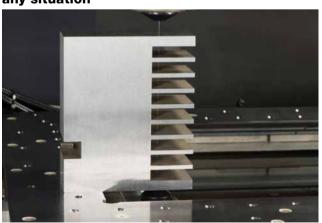


Vastly superior.

The wire threader for maximum dependability.



Automatic wire threading – equipped for any situation



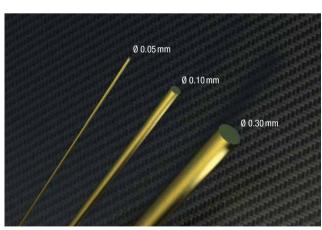
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Round diamond guide



Maximum precision and durability ensure the best results in the long run – inclusive of maintenance-friendliness due to a small number of parts and simple design.

Flexibility - when it comes to wire diameter



The Intelligent AT is designed as standard for wire thicknesses of 0.05–0.30 mm. The MP-Connect is thus perfectly equipped for all tasks in quality toolmaking and precision mechanics.



Dialogue-assisted navigation.

The fast way to the perfect result.



Slim ergonomic manual control box



The economically designed, intelligent manual control box unites all the relevant functions for control and set-up in a single unit. The integrated LCD display can be individually configured by the operator. Inclusive of buttons for driving all 8 possible CNC axes.

Multi-touch display with gesture control

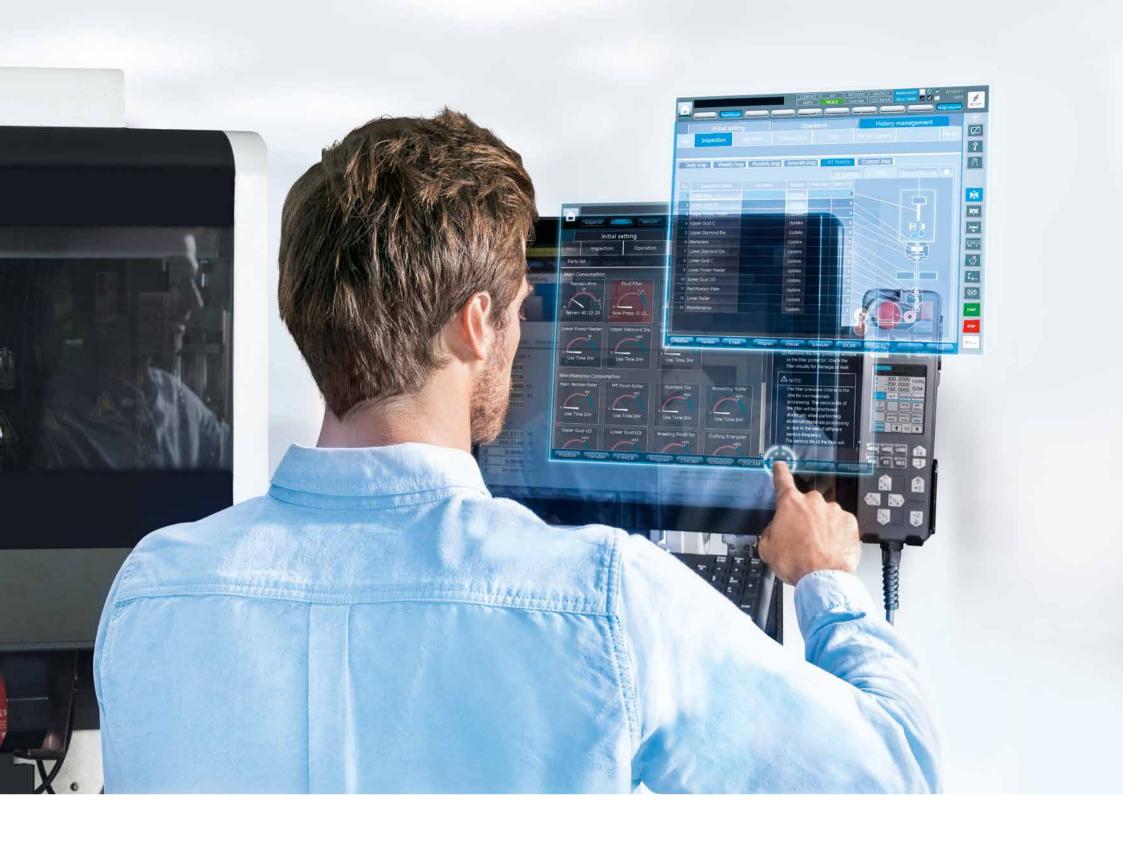


Intuitive operation from the large screen with modern gesture control boosts comfort, while the configurable user interface supports the user by allowing the main functional elements to be freely arranged during daily work.

An easy start thanks to dialogue guidance



With step-by-step dialogue guidance, less experienced users are piloted through the entire process, from programming through to the start of machining. Checklists make it possible to review all process-relevant settings and machine states so that machining yields the best-possible results without interruption.



Professional mode -

tailored to your needs.

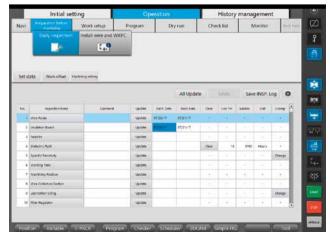


Everything at a glance



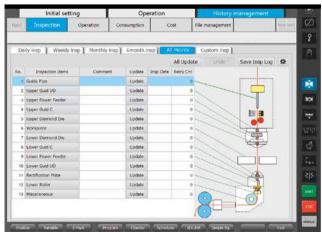
The easy-to-grasp display of all the key machining parameters in configurable form keeps everything under control at all times. Clearly visible at a glance are – if desired – machining status, elapsed times, state of maintenance and other data. Configuration couldn't be simpler.

Work scheduling - at the machine



During the preparation of pending machining tasks, support is provided by overviews of the remaining wire, state of filter cartridges and deionisation resin, and other parameters. This way you can prevent outages caused by finite consumables or wear parts and optimise machine running times.

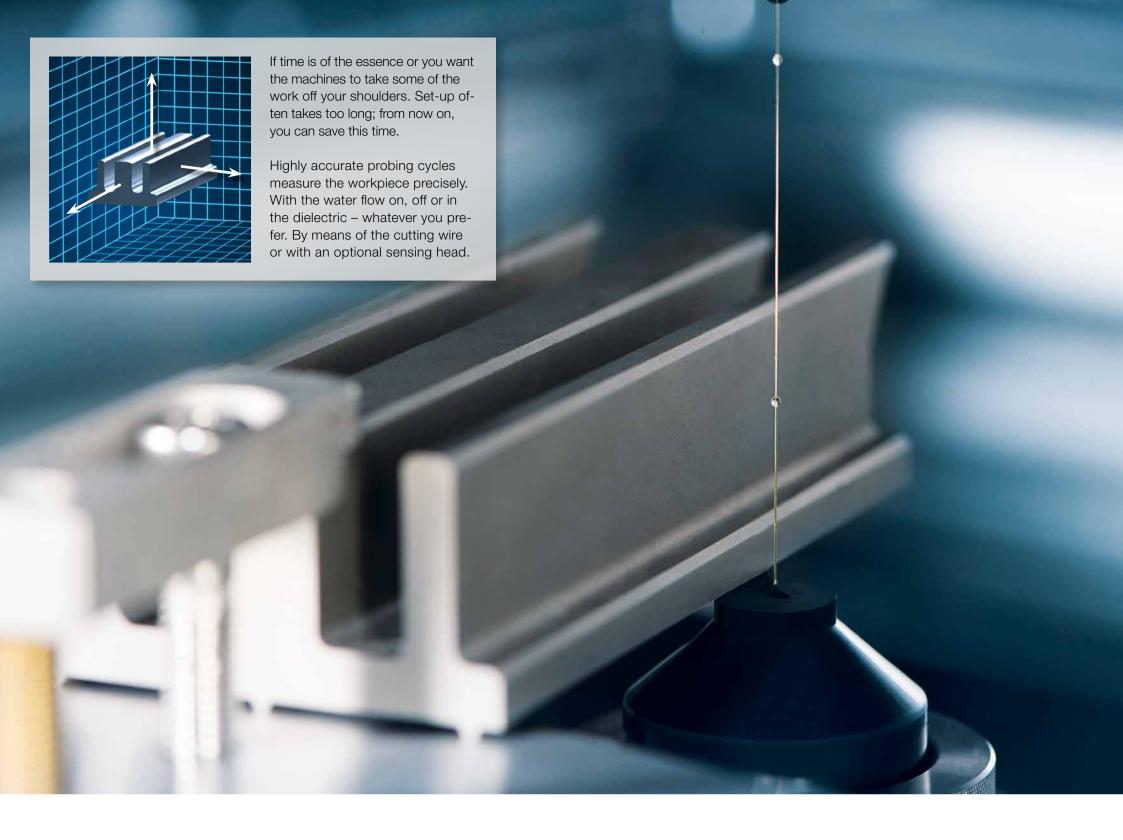
Help at a keystroke



The complete machine documents inclusive of maintenance instructions are always available, and the right help is quickly found. Comprehensibility is aided by photos and 3D depiction.

Simply achieve more.

MP CONNECT



Clamp it and press Start!

Smart user guidance, easy work set-up.



Fully automatic alignment cycles



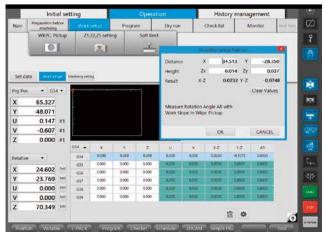
Intelligent user guidance takes you to the finish. The electrical discharge machine takes you quickly to your goal.

Manual control

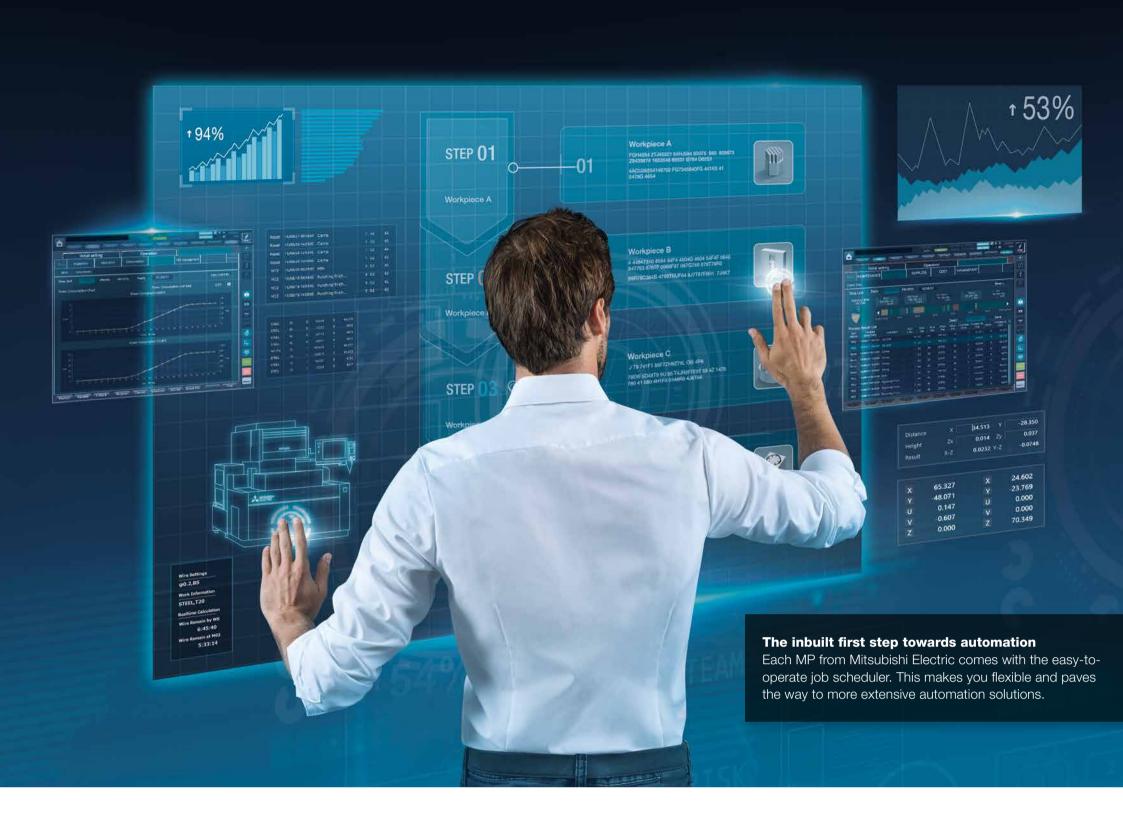


Comfortable set-up with the manual control box: standard equipment with Mitsubishi Electric. All essential control functions at hand – wherever you need them.

3D position measuring - manual or automatic



Both are possible. As a user, you decide whether you do set-up classically by hand or the machine automatically defines the position of your workpiece. Using the cutting wire or pick-up coil – the machine takes care of it for you. It only takes the press of a button.



Job scheduler, inbuilt flexibility.

Manage, pause and resume jobs the easy way.

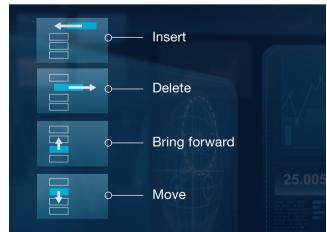


Integrated job scheduling



Greater flexibility thanks to adaptable job scheduling: with the simple assignment of priorities, you can quickly respond to changing requirements and squeeze in an urgently needed part with ease. Several machining programs can be deposited in the job scheduler and managed there.

Fast and flexible work planning

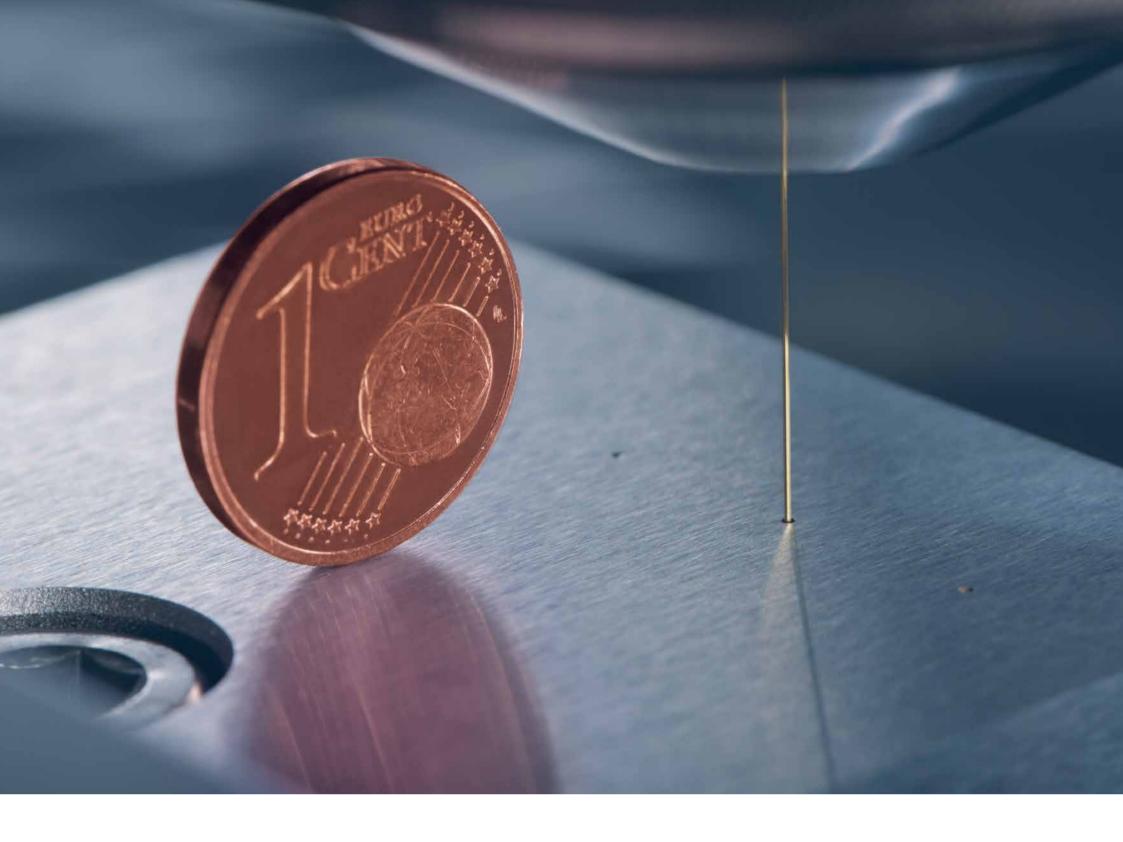


This is the easy way to add new jobs during machining or change the order of existing machining operations. The new job processing system with priority management makes it possible to amend a machining list without interrupting machining.

Pause a job – and resume



A machining process is easy to pause even in midflow when urgent jobs have to be processed. The control stores the current state of machining. When the inserted job has been completed, machining can be immediately resumed at the point of interruption. Pushbutton flexibility without programming effort.



The machine that crunches numbers -

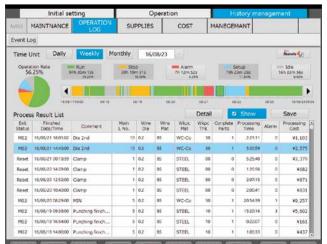
so that you can maximise your profits.

Far-sighted maintenance management



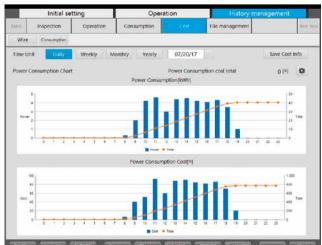
All the key consumables are monitored online and presented with their anticipated remaining life. This includes display of the remaining life of the wire spool installed in the machine as well as indication of filter pressure and, calculated from this, the probable period until the next filter change.

Visual process management



Machine states depicted over time make capacity utilisation easier to grasp and assist forward-looking production planning. This overview is supplemented by a list of completed machining jobs and the associated machine times and unit costs.

Analysis of operating costs



Given knowledge of unit costs and their inclusion in the machine's own analysis, records of consumption data such as energy consumption, wire consumption and component wear help with cost analysis and the costing of pending machining jobs.



Online service for higher productivity.

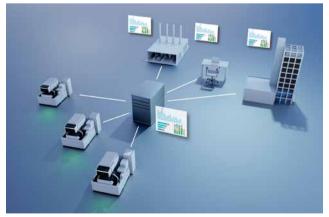
Boost your transparency and simply get more out of your machine.

After-sales service online



Rapid online help to reduce downtime and expenditure on service assignments. Applications support with direct access to the machine control can provide the machine operator with optimum and rapid assistance when faced with difficult tasks. All in the aid of improving production operations.

Process data management



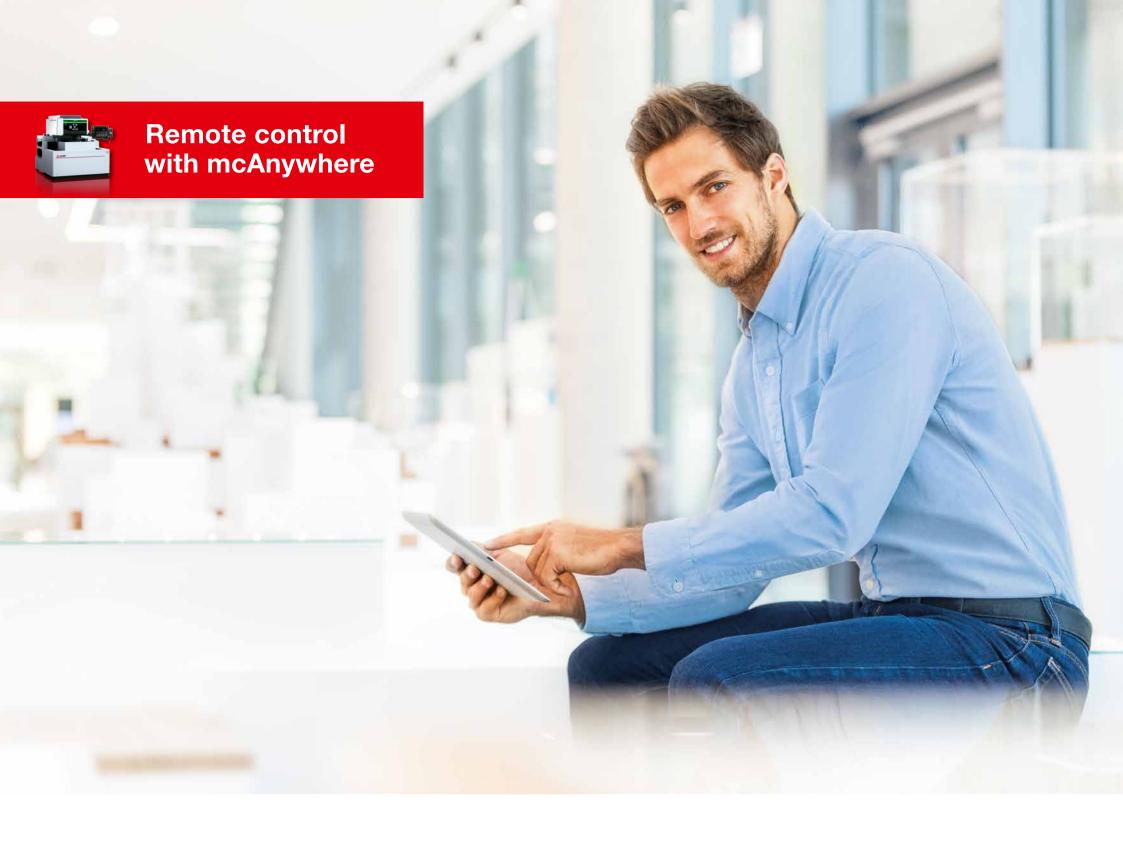
Operating and process data can be retrieved at the control. Available as standard is an export function for all process data, operating states, consumption data and maintenance states as well as alarms. This way the data from several machines can be viewed and evaluated in consolidated form, through to their integration in higher-order production management systems.

No compromising on security



Anti-virus protection is ensured as standard by one of the world's leading software systems in security control.





Always up to date -

wherever you are.





You can control the machine and keep an eye on processes, wherever you are. Intelligent communication takes the pressure out of work. Ideal combined with automation solutions and high process autonomy with the intelligent AT wire threader.

mcAnywhere Service (standard on the MP Connect)

Rapid help from Mitsubishi Electric experts.

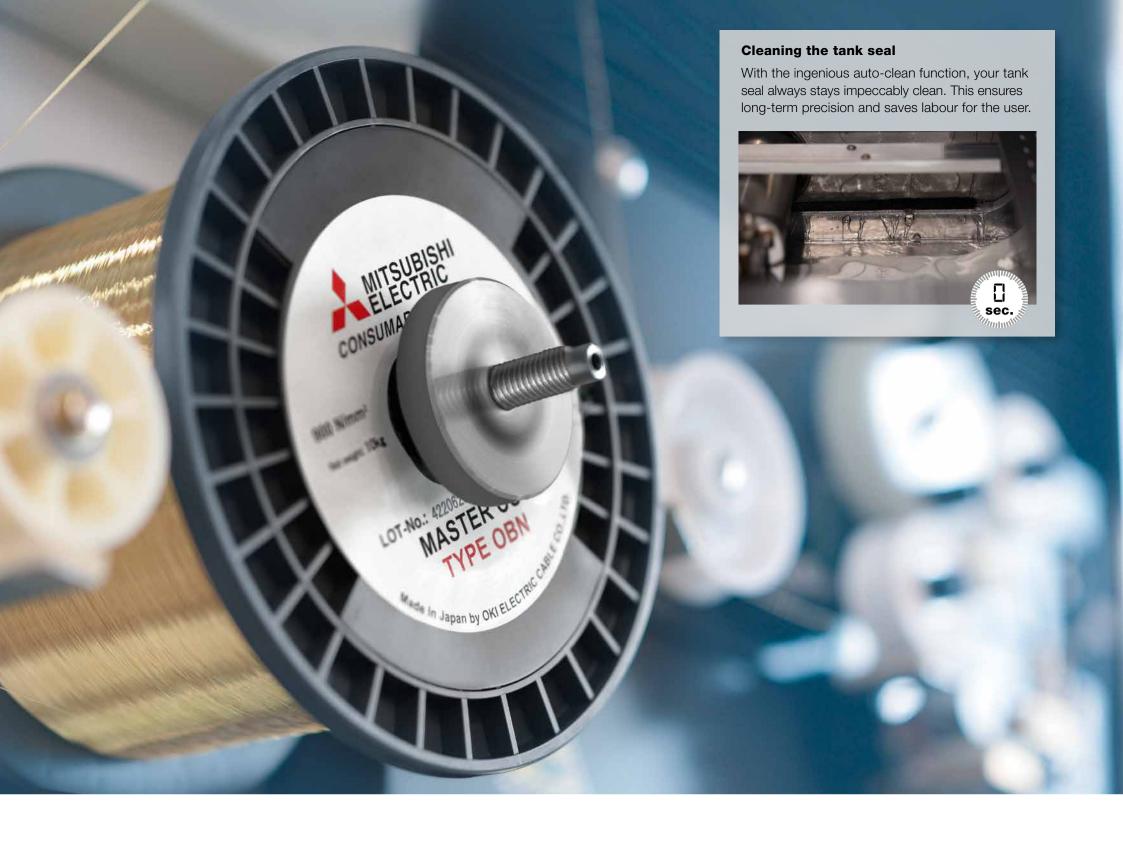
mcAnywhere Control

 $\label{lem:comfortable} \mbox{Comfortable and reliable remote control for your EDM system-powered by TeamViewer.}$

mcAnywhere Contact+

Any time, any place ... you're always up to date with direct status reports by email. Optionally with output of status reports by text message. This intranet solution supports the monitoring of several machines via a central installation in the network.





Quick replacement,

long-term savings.





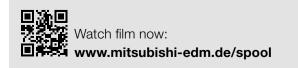
Simply replace the spool and feed the cutting wire over the feed rollers. Everything ready for work again in 92 seconds.



....without tools or wasted time. Two hands, 32 seconds – and the filter is replaced.



Replace the power feed contact with just one hand and a small gauge – at a speed befitting Formula One.







Sample calculations

Work piece punch, steel 1.2379 – 100 mm cutting length

Cutting height .. 60 mm

Surface. Ra 0.22 μm (compared to Ra 0.24 μm for conventional EDM machine)

Wire electrode. . . Brass, 0.25 mm

Higher performance: Energy costs reduced by up to 66%



*Assuming production of six punches per working day, electricity price 0.15 EUR/kW for 250 working days/year



Greater precision faster

= lower piece costs.

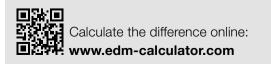


Reduce filter costs by up to 45%



Reducing cost of ion exchange resin





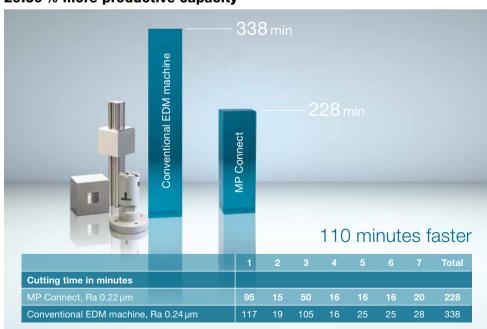


Producing more, less expensively.

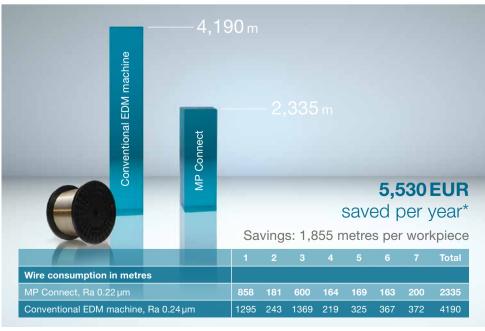
Top-flight but low-price.



29.59 % more productive capacity



Better result: Wire consumption reduced by up to 44%



^{*} Assuming production of six punches per working day, brass bare wire 0.25 mm, price 9.30 EUR/kg for 250 working days/year



Customised extension.

The intelligent solution.

3D probing



Mounted on the machine head, activated on command. The intelligent solution.

Tool package



Complete kit for the machining of rotationally symmetrical tools with PCD or CBN cutting edges.

Angle Master Advance guide kit



Special wire guides, threading and flushing jets for the machining of large taper angles.

16/20/25 kg wire station



Accommodates large wire spools with ease.

ERGO-LUX (machine lights)



Working conditions that are kind to your eyes - for the sake of users and for the benefit of machining results.

Additional status lamp



The current status is visible from a distance thanks to the vertical lamp fitted on top of the generator cabinet, available in addition to the integrated status lamp.



A turn for the better.

Extend your machine's functions.

B-axis



A servo-controlled B-axis fully integrated in the machine controls permits wire cutting on a rotating carried workpiece. Separation and multi-sided machining can be performed in a single clamping as well as simultaneously.

Rotary swivel axis



Machining cones to the highest standards of precision: the rotational/swivel axis integrated in the machine controls. Multi-axis machining to the centre of the work-piece and multi-sided machining in a single clamping, plus the realisation of high-precision conical polygons.

Mini-rotational axis



Rotating spindle fully integrated in the machine control with positioning for the most minute high-precision components, e.g. the manufacture of ejector pins with a diameter of $\geq 0.05\,\mathrm{mm}$, the realisation of conical threads in medical technology, erosive grinding, turning and simultaneous machining.



Automation has to be flexible.

Reconciling different brands.

Optimum solutions - customised, configured or standardised

The handling systems and robots from different manufacturers can often be seamlessly integrated. Renowned for their dependability and productivity, the EDM machines of the MP Series from Mitsubishi Electric are automation-ready. We'd be happy to show you examples that have proven effective in practice and help you to cut costs and boost your productive capacity.



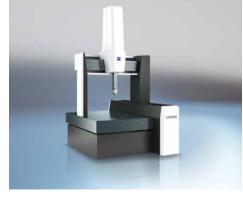
Handling equipment from different manufacturers – welcome and easily integrated.



Flexible solution: Articulated-arm robot up to 15 kg of Mitsubishi Electric quality.



Automated integration of the EROWA Robot Compact ERC.



Economically advanced automation: External presetting by measuring workpieces – beneficial with or without robotic handling.



Successfully mastered!

The key to success in a wide range of fields.

 $\textbf{Medicine} \cdot \textbf{Vehicle industry} \cdot \textbf{Communications} \cdot \textbf{Electrics} \cdot \textbf{Aerospace}$















Service.

Always there.

You don't like call centres and queuing systems? We don't either. With every Mitsubishi Electric EDM system you buy excellent service as part of the package. Service is performed by our own highly skilled service technicians so that production is kept dependably up and running. Users are assisted over the phone and benefit from the expertise and wealth of experience of Mitsubishi Electric specialists.

Warehousing and logistics

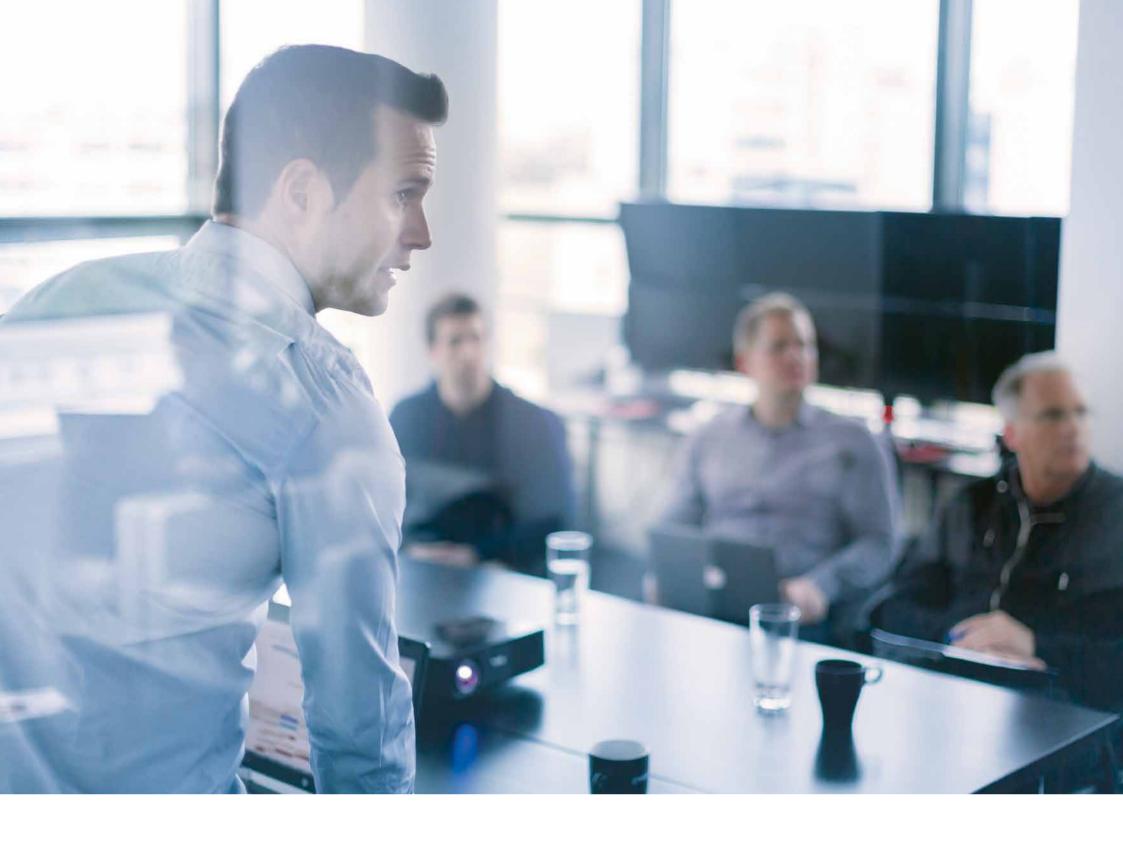


We supply all in-stock products (wear and spare parts) even outside normal business hours, e.g. by courier or collection. Our proximity to Düsseldorf Airport and motorway links enables us to ship parts at high speed.

Original Mitsubishi Electric parts



All standard spare parts of the Mitsubishi Electric consumables line are original imports or fabricated in Germany in accordance with the development and design specification. You receive original parts of immaculate quality at attractive prices.



Training.

Helping you to stay up to date.

Training



Users learn skilled operation right at the machine and at specially configured CNC workstations. This way you benefit most from a direct transfer of expertise. Training is available at the facilities of Mitsubishi Electric in Ratingen, Germany. Additionally, training courses are provided by our international partners.

Training centre



Training on our wire-cutting and die-sinking systems takes place at our own technology and training centre in Ratingen.

$\ \ \, \textbf{Courses, seminars and user workshops}$

The varied programme covers everything from basic knowledge through to customised training geared precisely to your employees' learning needs. In addition, we also hold regular applications workshops – free of charge to our customers – which always deal with current topics in theory and practice.

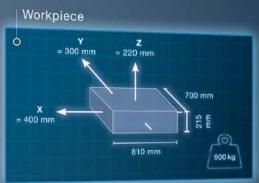
Equipment and instructors

Our skilled instructors introduce you to our EDM systems in theory and practice. The training facilities are appointed with the latest technology, CNC simulators and peripheral equipment.

Certificates

All training participants receive a certificate on completing a course.

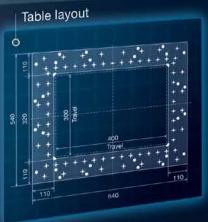




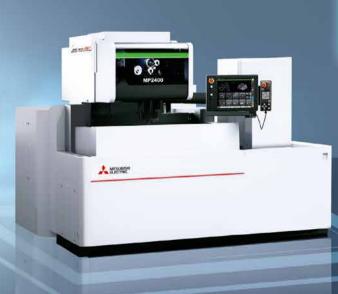
Machine body weight	2700 kg
Generator weight.	240 kg
Generator weight	2015 mm
Machine height	

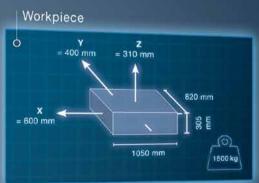
Required minimum dimensions for Door/Gate passageways (w x h)..... 1910 x 2015





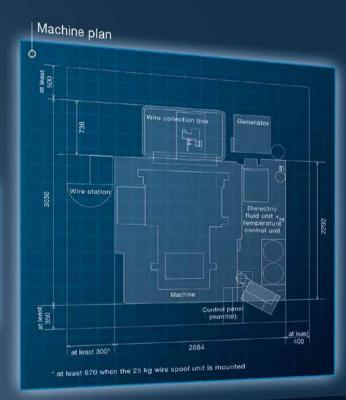


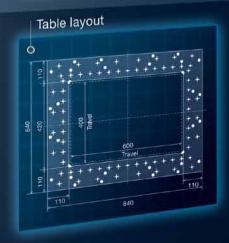




Machine weight	3800 kg
Generator weight.	240 kg
Machine height	2150 mm
Machine height	

Required minimum dimensions for Door/Gate passageways (w x h).....2022 x 2150









Machine	MP1200	MP2400
Travel (X/Y/Z) in mm	400/300/220	600/400/310
Travel (U/V) in mm	120/120 (+/- 60)	150/150 (+/- 75)
Taper angle (workpiece height) in °/mm	15 / 200 30 / 87	15 / 260 30 / 110
Max. workpiece dimensions (WxDxH) in mm	810 x 700 x 215	1050 x 820 x 305
Max. workpiece weight in kg	500	1500
Table dimensions (WxD) in mm	640×540	840×640
Table layout	Hardened 4-side table	
Possible wire diameters in mm	0.05–0.30	
Wire spool capacity in kg	10	
Automatic wire threader/wire chopper	Yes/Yes	
Overall dimensions (WxDxH) in mm	2025×2760×2015	2684×3030×2150
Machine weight in kg	2700	3800
Mains voltage	3-phase 400 V/AC ± 1	0%, 50/60Hz, 20kVA

Tank capacity in I	550	860	
Filter particle size in µm/filter elements	3	3/2	
Temperature control	Dielectric	cooling unit	
Weight (dry) in kg	Included in machine weight	350	

Power supply unit	Regenerative transistor pulse type	
Cooling method	Fully sealed/indirect air cooling	
Max. output current in A	50	
Dimensions (WxDxH) in mm	600×650×1765	
Weight in kg	240	

Input method	Keyboard, USB flash drive, Ethernet, 19" touchscreen
Control system	CNC, closed circuit
Min. command step (X/Y/Z/U/V) in µm	0.1
Min. axis resolution in µm	0.05

Equipment	MP Connect
Tubular Shaft Drives with linear scales (X/Y/U/V)	Yes
Control M800 with 19" full-touch monitorr	Yes
Hand pilot with configurable LCD monitor	Yes
Digital AE II generator	Yes
Fine finishing generator H-FS	Yes
Digital fine finishing generator SD-FS	Yes
Hardened 4-side table	Yes
Digital electricity meter / filter pressure sensor	Yes
Ethernet/DNC/FTP	Yes
Preparation for automation	Yes
McAfee AntiVirus embedded	Yes
Operating data output	Yes
3D CamMagic on-board	Yes
Corehold technology	Yes
Job scheduler / Job scheduler+	Yes
mcAnywhere Contact+ light	Yes
Sleep mode	Yes
Three-side lifting tank	Yes
mcAnywhere Service	Yes
Angle Master Advance II – basic kit incl. aligning device	Yes

Optional nardware	MP Connect
Wire station for 16 / 20 / 25 kg wire spools	Optional
Wire station for 50 kg wire spools	Optional
Angle Master Advance II – Wire guide kit	Optional
Automatic Renishaw probe	Optional
ERGO LUX LED floodlight	Optional
Additional tricolour signal lamp	Optional
Automatic dielectric water refilling	Optional
Connection to external cooling system	Optional
External signal output with relay board	Optional
Filter switching system	Optional

Optional tools	
mcAnywhere Control / mcAnywhere Control light	Optional
mcAnywhere Contact+	Optional
Automation solutions	Optional

Power connection: 3-phase 400 V/AC, PE, ± 10%, 50/60 Hz, primary fuse 32 A slow

Pneumatic connection: 5–7 kgf/cm³, 500–700 kpa, minimum air flow rate 75 l/min, 3/8" hose connection

The EDM system should be set up on a suitable hard industrial floor and preferably on a cconsolidated concrete floor. Any shielding that may be necessary in conformly with the EMC Directivev is not included in the equipment supplied by Mitsubishi Electric.

The cooling unit contains fluorinated greenhouse gas R410A. For further information, please refer to the associated operating instructions.



Details can be found in the assembly plan of the machine:

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