High Resolution Transducer for Outer-Tube Inspection

ORx OSx Series Wide Beam width & Electric Scanning

The **ORx** Series presents the world's first feeding speed with testing full-cross-section, simultaneous flaw detection and/or thickness measurement by surrounding the outer surface of a target tube with curve-fit crystals. Composite/polymer crystals with a resonance



frequency ranging from 5 to 140 MHz are applied to achieve a high-resolution crack-detection transducer. Products range: the Angle Beam Transducer Series **ORA** for transversal cracks and **OSA** for longitudinal cracks and , Straight Beam Transducer Series **ORN** for tube-thickness measurements.

These series apply line-focus parallel to the target tube-surface, thus providing high resolution and detection features.

The **ORD** and **OSD** series is similar as ORA and OSA series but with delay-line for contact application or to avoid mechanical damage (longer life time).

All transducers are made by composite/polymer crystals with curve-fit shape. The

effective beam width has been dramatically improved compared to typical ceramic flat crystals. A typical beam width is over 90 degree. Only 4 or 5 transducers cover 360 degree.



Technical Data

No.	Description	Specification
1	Piezoelectric material	0-3composite or P(VCN/VAc) polymer
2	Frequency range	520MHz or 20140MHz
3	Tube Diameter	1200mm
4	Beam width	15100degree
5	Focus length	Down to 4mmR
6	Focus shape	Line focused
7	Crystals in a transducer	1 as standard, Optionally 116ch
8	Housing	Designed for each application
9	Cable	RG174U or 1.5mm dia.Coax.
10	Connector	Microdot, LEMO,BNC

Standard Transducer

Tube	Resonance	Refractio	Effective	Delay	Number to	Туре
Diameter	Frequency	n angle	beam	line	cover 360	
$(mm dia.)^{*1}$	(MHz)	(degree) *2	angle		degree	
			(degree)			
3270	10	45	50	with	8	8-10C-L50R-ORD90
3270	10	45	50	without	8	8-10C-L50R-ORA90
3270	10	45 ^{*3}	25	without	16	16-10C-L50R-OSA90

2050	10	45	100	without	4	4-10C-L35R-ORA65
2050	10	45	100	with	4	4-10C-L35R-ORD65
2050	10	45 ^{*3}	35	without	12	12-10C-L35R-OSA65
1032	15	45	100	without	4	4-15C-L25R-ORA40
1032	15	45	100	with	4	4-15C-L25R-ORD40
1032	15	45* ³	50	without	8	8-15C-L25R-OSA40
510	20	45	100	without	4	4-20C-L15R-ORA15
510	20	45	100	with	4	4-20C-L15R-ORD15
510	20	45^{*3}	50	without	8	8-20C-L15R-OSA15
3050	10	0	90 ^{*4}	without	8	8/32-10C-L35R-ORN50
1530	15	0	90 *5	without	4	4/16-15C-L25R-ORN30
515	20	0	90 ^{*6}	without	3	3/12-20C-L25R-ORN15
515	20	0	90 *6	with	2	2/6-20C-L25R-ORND15
10110	10	0	60 ^{*4}	with	6	6-10C-L37R-ORN150*7
20225	10	0	30*4	with	12	12-10C-L70R-ORN225*7
32250	10	0	30*4	with	12	12-10C-L70R-ORN310*7

*1: Diameter range is just as reference, each transducers can test smaller diameter tubes than minimum.

*2: Refraction angle for steel. User can define the incident angle for each application.

*3: beam direction is transversal for longitudinal flaw detection.

*4, *5, *6: These are not effective beam width. *4:8 elements in a transducer. *5: 4 elements in a transducer *6: 3 elements in a transducer

*7: Our favorite products

The appearance and specifications are subject to change for modifications without notice.

Customized assembly:

Customized assembly also available for various applications.

- Decreased pitch of crystal to increase channel number.
- Products customized for small radius targets to a minimum 1 mm dia.
- Intentionally unbalanced crystal widths.
- Optimum focal distance to a given material or thickness.
- Recalculated incident angle for target material other than steel.
- Application of fine parallel beam method based on delay line.

Related products:

- Array Drivers MUX and MXA series as multiplexer with any ultrasonic equipment.
- Fastest Tube/Bar Testing System OTST
- Inner Tube Transducer IRx Series
- Fine focused Transducer for Inner Tube testing.



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