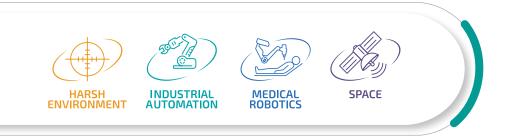


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# **1. DS Encoders Introduction**

## Designed to meet the requirements of the most demanding applications

The DS series of Electric Encoders<sup>™</sup> are a line of encoders designed for harsh environment applications.

These encoders are based on capacitive technology which have been developed and improved for over 20 years by Netzer Precision Position Sensors.

# The DS encoders are characterized by the following features that sets them apart from other similar encoders:

- Low profile
- Hollow shaft (Stator / Rotor)
- No bearings or other contact elements
- High resolution and excellent precision
- Immunity to magnetic fields
- High tolerance to shock, moisture, EMI, RFI
- Very low weight
- Holistic signal generation and sensing
- Digital interfaces for absolute position

The holistic structure of the DS Electric Encoder<sup>™</sup> makes it unique. Its output reading is the averaged outcome of the entire circumference area of the sensor. This inherent design characteristic provides the DS encoder with outstanding precision and accuracy.

The absence of components such as ball bearings, flexible couplers, glass discs, light sources & detectors, along with very low power consumption, enables the DS encoders to deliver virtually failure-free performance.

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# 2. Technical Specifications

### General

Angular resolution	18-20 bit
Nominal position accuracy	±0.010°
Nominal position extended accuracy (EA)	±0.008°
Maximum operational speed	4,000 rpm
Measurement range	Single turn absolute position
Built In Test BIT	Optional
Rotation direction	Adjustable CW/CCW

\* Default same direction from bottom side of the encoder

### Mechanical

Allowable mounting eccentricity	±0.1 mm
Allowable axial mounting tolerance	±0.1 mm
Rotor inertia	$684 \text{ gr} \cdot \text{mm}^2$
Total weight	30 gr
Outer Ø / Inner Ø / Height	58 / 20 / 10 mm
Material (stator / rotor)	Ultem™ polymer / TRVX-50

### Electrical

Supply voltage	$5V \pm 5\%$
Current consumption	~90 mA
Interconnection	#30 shielded cable
Communication	SSi, BiSS-C
Output code	Binary
Serial output	Differential RS-422
Clock frequency	0.1-5.0 MHz
Position update rate	35 kHz (Optional - up to 375 kHz)

#### Environmental

EMC	IEC 6100-6-2, IEC 6100-6-4
Operating temperature	-40°C to +85°C
Storage temperature	-50℃ to +85℃
Relative humidity	98% Non condensing
Shock endurance / functional	100 g for 11 ms
Vibration functional	20 g 10 – 2000 Hz (per MIL-STD-810G)
Protection	IP 40



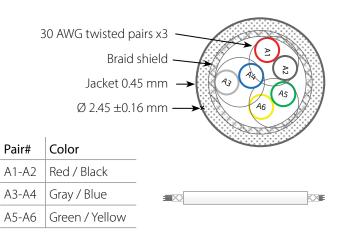
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S	SSi	
I	BiSS	
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G	18	262,144
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L	20	1048,578
I	20	
[]	None	

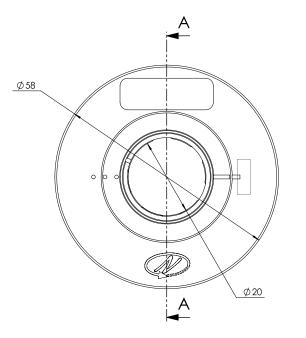
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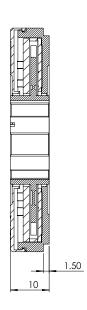
#### **Cable information**

Netzer Cat No.	CB 00014
Cable type	30 AWG twisted pair x 3
Wire type	2 x 30 AWG 25/44 tinned copper Insulation: PFE Ø 0.15 OD: Ø 0.6 ± 0.05 mm
Temp. Rating	-55°C to +150°C
Braided shield	Thinned copper braided 95% min. coverage
Jacket	0.45 silicon rubber (NFA 11-A1)
Diameter	Ø 2.45 ± 0.16 mm

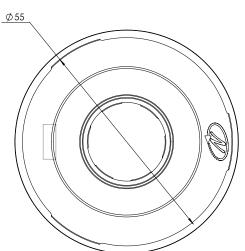


# 4. Mechanical Drawings





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#### Unless otherwise specified

Dimensions are in: mm	Surface finish: N6
Linear tolerances	
0.5-4.9: ±0.05 mm	5-30: ±0.1 mm
31-120: ±0.15 mm	121-400: ±0.2 mm

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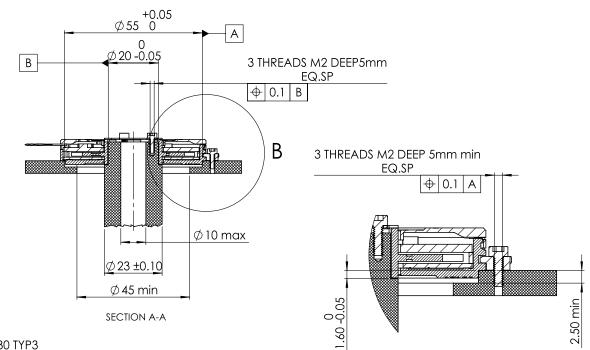
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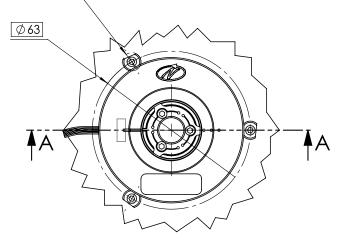


# 5. Mechanical Interface Control Drawing

# Shaft - End installation (step)



Ø7.30 TYP3



Attention! Although the nominal dimension in the encoder is 1.5 mm, the recommended height between stator and rotor mounting surfaces is 1.6 mm. This is because in case of mounting assembly inaccuracies, a positive error could be easily corrected using shims, while a negative error could only be solved by machining the mounting assembly.

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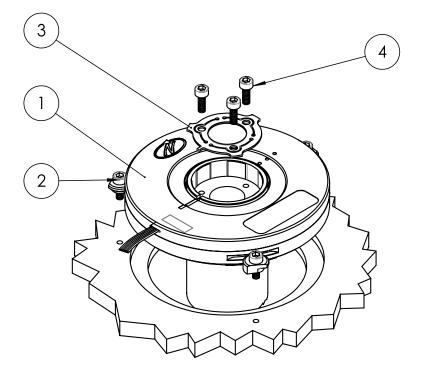


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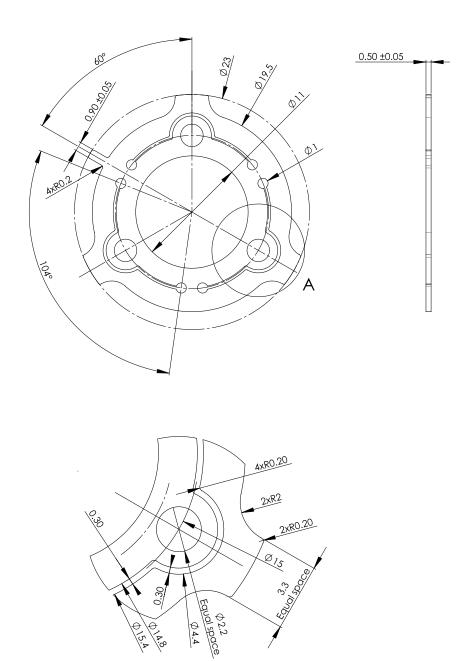
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No	Part			Description	QTY.
1	DS-58	Included		DS-58 encoder	1
2	EAPK005	Included	Kit	3 x M2 encoder clamps	1
3		Outings		Shaft end spring	1
4	MA-DS58-20-002	Optional	Shaft end installation kit	Screw DIN 912 M2x4	3



# DS-58 end shaft spring, MP-03037

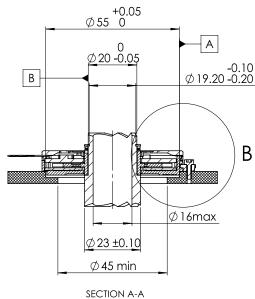


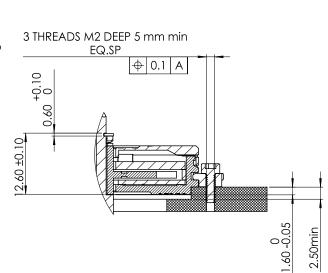
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Unless otherwise specified

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31-120: ±0.15 mm	121-400: ±0.2 mm

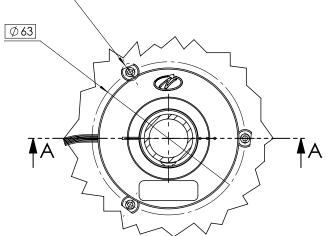
# Mid-Shaft installation (step)





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#### Ø 7.30 TYP3



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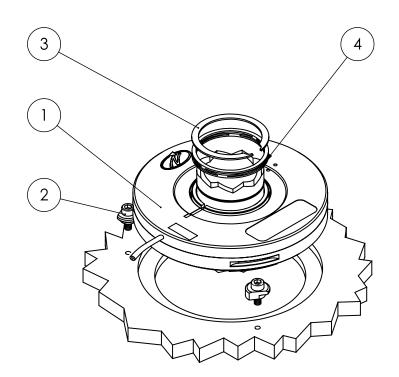
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No	Part			Description	QTY.
1	DS-58	Included		DS-58 encoder	1
2	EAPK005	Included	Kit	3 x M2 encoder clamps	1
3		Ontional	Shaft end installation kit	C-ring	1
4	MA-DS58-20-004	Optional	Shart end installation kit	Mid of shaft spring	1

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# 6. Storage and Handling

**Storage temperature:** -50°C to +85°C

Humidity: Up to 98% non-condensing

# 7. ESD Protection

As usual for electronic circuits, during product handling do not touch electronic circuits, wires, connectors or sensors without suitable ESD protection. The integrator / operator shall use ESD equipment to avoid the risk of circuit damage.



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# 8. Product Overview

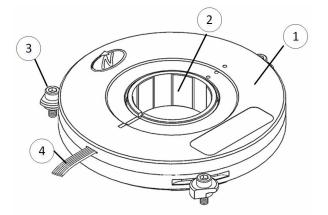
### 8.1 Overview

The DS-58 absolute position Electric Encoder<sup>™</sup> is a rotary position sensor originally developed for harsh environment applications. Currently it performs in a broad range of applications, including defense, homeland security, medical robotics and industrial automation.

The Electric Encoder<sup>™</sup> non-contact technology provides accurate position measurement through the modulation of an electric field.

The DS-58 Electric Encoder<sup>™</sup> is semi-modular, i.e., its rotor and stator are separate, with the stator securely housing the rotor.

- (1) Encoder stator
- (2) Encoder rotor
- (3) Encoder mounting clamps
- (4) Encoder cable





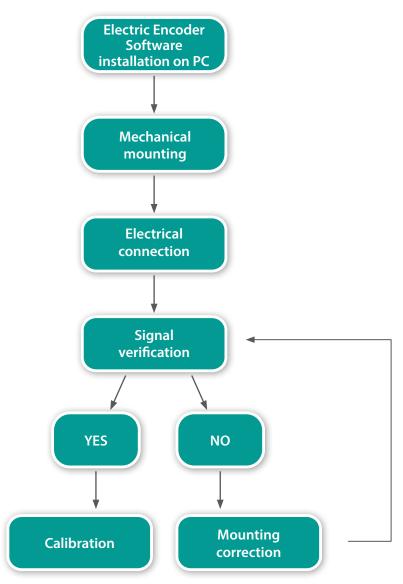
## 8.2 Unpacking - Standard order

The package of the standard DS-58 contains the encoder with 250 mm shielded cable AWG30.

Optional accessories:

- (1) DS-58-R-01, Rotor shims kit (x10 stainless steel shims, 50um each)
- (2) MA-DS58-20-002, Shaft end installation kit (Shaft end spring x1, screw DIN 912 M2x4 x3)
- (3) MA-DS58-20-004, Mid shaft installation kit (C-ring x1, Mid-shaft spring x 1)
- (4) EAPK005 Kit, encoder mounting screws (3 screws M2x4)
- (5) CNV-00003, RS-422 to USB converter (For encoder setup via NCP interface)
- (6) NanoMIC-KIT-01, RS-422 to USB converter. Encoder setup & operational modes via SSi /BiSS interface
- (7) DKIT-DS-58-SG-SO, Mounted SSi encoder on rotary jig, RS-422 to USB converter and cables
- (8) DKIT-DS-58-IG-S0, Mounted BiSS encoder on rotary jig, RS-422 to USB converter and cables

### 8.3 Installation flow chart



# 9. Electric Encoder Software Installation 📿



- Verifies correct mounting for an adequate signal amplitude
- Calibration of offsets
- General set up and signal analysis

This section describes the steps associated with installing the EEE software application.

### 9.1 Minimum requirements

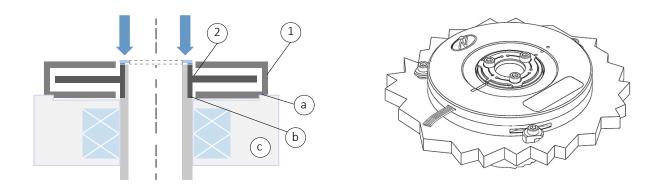
- Operating system: MS windows 7/ 10, (32 / 64 bit)
- Memory: 4MB minimum
- Communication ports: USB 2
- Windows .NET Framework, V4 minimum

### 9.2 Installing the software

- Run the Electric Encoder<sup>™</sup> Explorer file found on Netzer website: Encoder Explorer Software Tools
- After the installation you will see **Electric Encoder Explorer software icon** on the computer desktop.
- Click on the Electric Encoder Explorer software icon to start.

# 10. Mechanical Mounting

### 10.1 Encoder mounting



The encoder rotor (2) is attached to the host shaft by pressing it against a dedicated shoulder (b), while using screw and a washer, or a circular spring and a washer, at the top of the rotor shoulder to maintain downward pressure. Recommended force of 0.3 Nm with M3 screw.

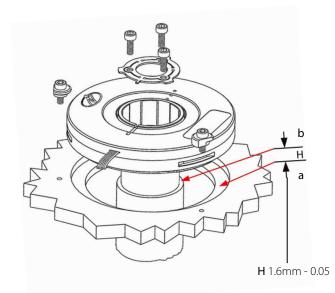
The encoder stator (1) is centered by circumferential step (a) and is mounted to the host stator (c) by using three M2 screws, recommended force of 0.3 Nm.



### Stator / rotor relative position

As the rotor is floating, a nominal axial mounting distance of 1.6 mm between the shaft shoulder (b) and stator mounting recess (a) is required.

The mounting can be assisted by rotor shims, in order to ensure that the mounting distance is 1.6 mm with -0.05 mm tolerance down from the shaft.

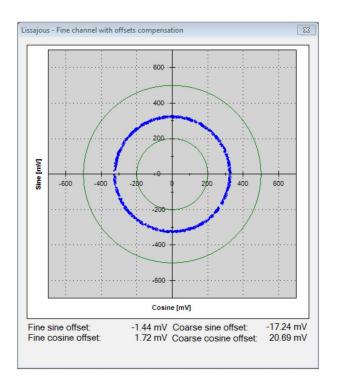


In an optimal mounting, the signal amplitude values generated by the encoder, would be in the middle of the range of the signal plot shown in the Encoder Explorer software (see plot below). This may vary according to the encoder type.

### The DS-58 amplitudes compensation

If as part of the signal validation process (section 12.2) the signal amplitudes are not optimal, it is possible to improve/correct the mounting, by using 50 um shims below the rotor (available as DS-58-R-01 kit). Each will increase the amplitude level by ~ 50mV.

Verify that the rotor mounting provides a good signal amplitude, by using the "Signal analyzer" or "Signal verification process", of the Encoder Explorer tool, as part of the procedure the described in section 12.



# 11. Electrical Connection

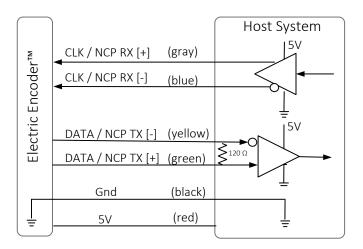
This chapter reviews the steps required to electrically connect the encoder with digital interface (SSi or BiSS-C).

### Connecting the encoder

The encoder has two operational modes:

### 11.1 Absolute position over SSi or BiSS-C

This is the power-up default mode



#### SSi / BiSS interface wires color code

Clock +	Grey	Clock	
Clock -	Blue	CIUCK	
Data -	Yellow	Data	
Data +	Green Data		
GND	Black	Ground	
+5V	Red	Power supply	

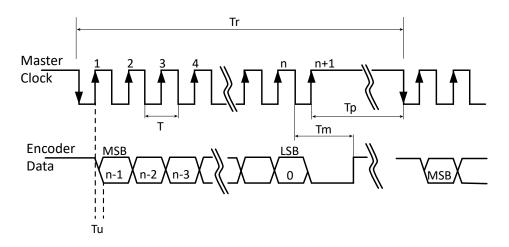
#### SSi / BiSS output signal parameters

Output code	Binary
Serial output	Differential RS-422
Clock	Differential RS-422
Clock frequency	0.1- 5.0 MHz
Position update rate	35 kHz (Optional - up to 375 kHz)



# 11.2 Digital SSi Interface

Synchronous Serial Interface **(SSi)** is a point to point serial interface standard between a master (e.g. controller) and a slave (e.g. sensor) for digital data transmission.

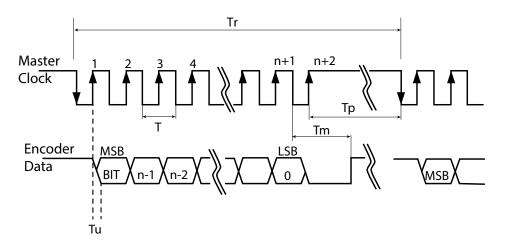


#### Built In Test option (BIT)

The BIT indicates critical abnormality in the encoder internal signals.

'0' - the internal signals are within the normal limits, '1' - Error

The BIT mechanism, defined in the encoder CAT#, otherwise the Error BIT is always '1'.



	Description	Recommendations
n	Position resolution	12 - 21
Т	Clock period	
f= 1/T	Clock frequency	0.1 - 5.0 MHz
Tu	Bit update time	90 nsec
Тр	Pause time	26 - ∞ µsec
Tm	Monoflop time	25 µsec
Tr	Time between 2 adjacent requests	Tr > n*T+26 μsec
fr=1/Tr	Data request frequency	

# 11.3 Digital BiSS-C Interface



BiSS – C Interface is unidirectional serial synchronous protocol for digital data transmission where the Encoder acts as "slave" transmits data according to "Master" clock. The BiSS protocol is designed in B mode and C mode (continuous mode). The BiSS-C interface as the SSi is based on RS-422 standards.

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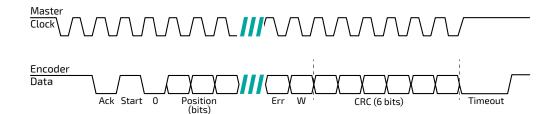
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Bit allocation per encoder-resolution		Description		Default	Length		
17bit	18bit	19bit	20bit				
27	28	29	30	Ack	Period during which the encoder calculates the absolute position, one clock cycle	0	1/clock
26	27	28	29	Start	Encoder signal for "start" data transmit	1	1 bit
25	26	27	28	"0"	"Start" bit follower	0	1 bit
824	825	826	827	AP	Absolute Position encoder data		Per resolution
7	7	7	7	Error	BIT (Built In Test option)	1	1 bit
6	6	6	6	Warn.	Warning (non active)	1	1 bit
05	05	05	05	CRC	The CRC polynomial for position, error and warning data is: $x^6 + x^1 + x^0$ . It is transmitted MSB first and inverted. The start bit and "0" bit are omitted from the CRC calculation.		6 bits
				Timeout	Elapse between the sequential "start" request cycle's		25 µs

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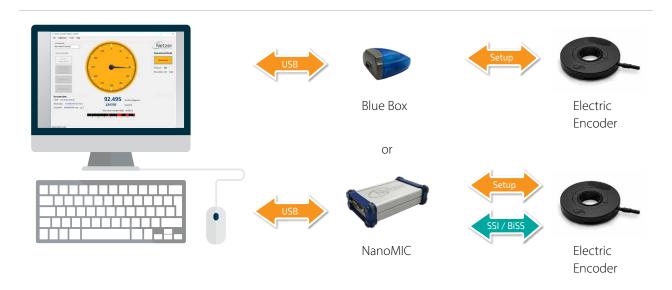
# 11.4 Setup mode over NCP (Netzer Communication Protocol)

This service mode provides access via USB to a PC running Netzer Encoder Explorer application (on MS Windows 7/10). Communication is via Netzer Communication Protocol (NCP) over RS-422 using the same set of wires.

Use the following pin assignment to connect the encoder to a 9-pin D-type connector to the RS-422/USB converter CNV-0003 or the NanoMIC.

Description	Color	Function	Pin No
	Gray	Clock / RX +	2
SSi Clock / NCP RX	Blue	Clock / RX -	1
	Yellow	Data / TX -	4
SSi Data / NCP TX	Green	Data / TX +	3
Ground	Black	GND	5
Power supply	Red	+5V	8

### Electric encoder interface, D Type 9 pin Female



Connect Netzer encoder to the converter, connect the converter to the computer and run the Electric Encoder Explorer Software Tool

# 11.5 Electrical connection and grounding

The encoder does NOT come with specified cable and connector, however, do observe grounding consideration:

[1] The cable shield does not connect to the power supply return line.

[2] Ground the host shaft to avoid interference from the host system, which could result in encoder internal noise.

Note: 4.75 to 5.25 VDC power supply required

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# 12. Signal Verification

### 12.1 Starting the Encoder Explorer

Make sure to complete the following tasks successfully:

- Mechanical Mounting
- Electrical Connection to the encoder
- Encoder Explore Software Installation

### Run the Encoder Explorer tool (EE)

Ensure proper communication with the encoder: (Setup mode by default).

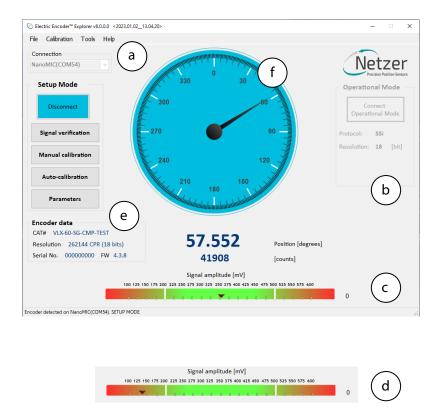
The Encoder position-dial is colored blue when in Setup Mode, either through the NanoMic or the BlueBox (a).

Note that the operational mode is not available through the BlueBox (b).

The Signal amplitude bar indicates whether the signal is within the acceptable tolerance (c). Note that prior to performing the Signal Verification process the bar could indicate an out of tolerance signal (d).

Encoder data is displayed in the encoder data area (CAT No., Serial No.) (e).

The position dial display responds to shaft rotation (f).



It is important to perform the Signal Verification process prior to the calibration of the encoder to ensure optimal performance.

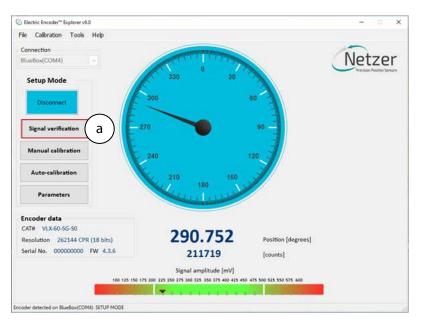




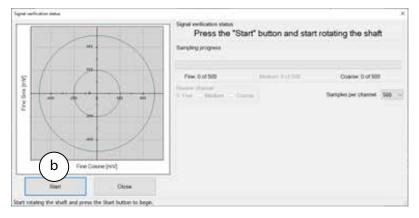
### 12.2 Signal verification process

The Signal Verification process ensures that the encoder is mounted correctly and provides good signal amplitudes. This is performed by collecting raw data of the fine and coarse channels during rotation.

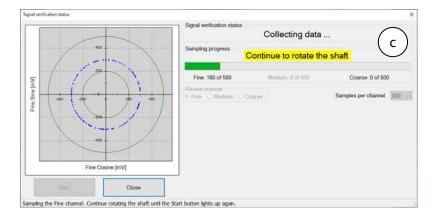
• Select < Signal Verification > on the main screen (a).



• Select <Start> to initiate the process (b).

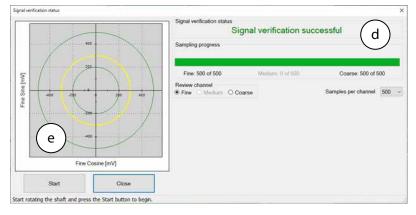


• Rotate the shaft in order to collect the fine and coarse channels data (c).



If the process is successful, the status "Signal verification successful" would appear (d).

The 'amplitude circle' would be centered between the two green circles, preferably in the middle of the tolerance (e).



Note however, that mounting the encoder towards the extreme mechanical tolerances might cause the amplitude circle to be offset from the exact middle of the nominal position.

If the signal is out of tolerance the Error notification "Amplitude is lower/higher than the min/max limit of XXX" would appear (g).

In Addition, the status "Signal verification failed – perform calibration amplitude" would appear at the top (h).



- Stop the process and re-mount the encoder, making sure that the mechanical installation tolerances are not exceeded, removing or adding shims as required.
- Repeat the Signal Verification process after the remount.

Once the signal verification process is successfully completed, proceed to the encoder calibration phase, Section 13



# 13. Calibration

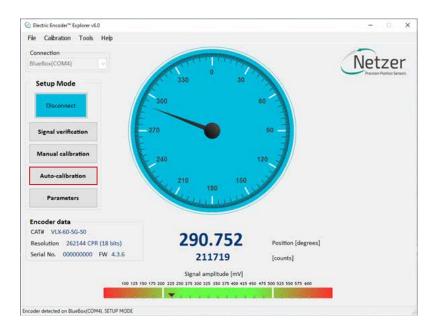
It is important that upon every installation of the encoder, the Signal Verification process is completed prior to attempting calibration of the encoder.

For encoders with FW 4 version 4.1.3 or higher, it is possible to select either a fully automated calibration process, or a manual phase-by-phase calibration process.

# 13.1 Auto-calibration

Auto Calibration is supported by encoders with FW 4 version 4.1.3 or higher.

For these encoders an additional "Auto-calibration" button is displayed.



### 13.1.1 Auto-calibration process

The Auto-calibration process consists of three stages:

1. Jitter test - evaluates the electric noise for the Fine, Medium, and Coarse encoder channels. During the jitter test, the shaft must be stationary.

Attention! The Pass/Fail criteria of the Jitter test is according to very strict factory criteria and failing it would abort the Auto Calibration process.

However, the manual Jitter test as part of the Manual Calibration process in section 13.4, would enable the user to decide whether the jitter is acceptable to its needs.

- 2. Offset calibration performs the offset calibration, the shaft must rotate continuously.
- 3. Absolute Position (AP) calibration performs Coarse Amplitude Alignment (CAA) and Medium Amplitude Alignment (MAA) are calculated.

During Auto-Calibration process the encoder's Zero-Position remain in the factory default zero position for new encoders. It is possible to set the Zero Point through the top menu bar, by selecting "Calibration" tab, and clicking "Set UZP" as defined in section 13.3.

# 13.1.2 Performing Auto-calibration

Press the <Auto-calibration> button.

The main auto-calibration window opens.

• Select the appropriate measurement range applicable to your application (a).

Auto-calibration	×
Make sure shaft is stan	nding still then click "Start"
Jitter test Offsets calibration	Measurement range Full mechanical rotation C Limited section
AP calibration	
Start	Abort View data

• Make sure to keep the shaft still and press the <Start>

The Noise test would be performed and upon successful completion the "Noise test" label will be marked with a green check mark.

The Offset calibration would automatically start upon completion of the Noise test. This calibration requires that the shaft be rotated continuously.

The AP calibration would automatically start upon completion of the Accuracy Calibration. Continue rotating the shaft in this phase until the AP calibration is completed, and the encoder is reset.

Once the reset is over, the Auto-calibration process is successfully finished.

Auto-calibration	×		
Success	ful calibration		
To view results	s, press "View data"		
Jitter test Full mechanical rotation			
Offsets calibration	O Limited section		
AP calibration	c b		
Restart	Abort View data		

The user can review the calibration results by clicking the <View data> button (b).



Offsets [mV]	Before	10
	1000	After
Fine sine offset	-2.01	-1.87
Fine cosine offset	-0.57	-0.36
Medium sine offset		N/A
Medium cosine offset		N/A
Coarse sine offset	-8.69	-8.62
Coarse cosine offset	16.23	16.23
CAA [electrical degrees]	Before calibration	After calibration
CAA	3.52	3.52
MAA		N/A

It is always possible to abort the Auto Calibration process by clicking the <Abort> button (c).

# 13.1.3 Auto-calibration failures

If a test fails (for example the Noise test) – the result will be marked with in red X.

Auto-o	calibration	×
	Calibra	tion failed
×	Jitter test	Measurement range Full mechanical rotation Limited section
	Offsets calibration AP calibration	
	Restart	bort View data

If the calibration process failed, corrective recommendations will be displayed, corresponding to the element which had failed the test.

Absolute Rotary Encoder	Hollow Shaft Three-plate	DS-58	
Auto-calibration Troubleshooter		×	
Auto-calibration failed			
Recommendation			
1. Make sure shaft is standing still 2. Improve grounding Then restart calibration	d	)	
Press "Detailed data" button for more information	Detailed d	ata	

It is possible to review detailed information regarding the failure, by clicking the <Detailed data> button (d).

Failure Detailed Data	×
<u>Issue description</u> Noise test failed Fine jitter is too big	
Detected Fine jitter is 900 counts Allowed jitter is 20 counts	
Additional data for Netzer customer support	
First Electrical Angle 17223	
Positive counts 860	
Negative counts 40	

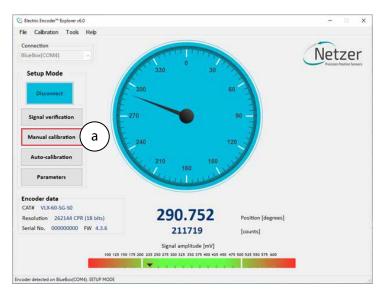
### 13.2 Manual calibration

The Manual calibration process consists of the following stages:

- 1. Offset calibration performs the offset calibration, the shaft must rotate continuously.
- 2. CAA / MAA Calibration performs Coarse Amplitude Alignment (CAA) and Medium Amplitude Alignment (MAA) are calculated
- 3. Zero Position Set Used to determine a Zero Position other than the factory default.
- 4. Jitter Test Used to determine the amount of jitter and allow the user to decide if acceptable.



• Select < Manual Calibration > on the main screen (a).



# 13.2.1 Offset calibration

In this process, the DC offset of the sine and cosine signals are compensated over the operational sector (offset calibration).

- Click <Start data acquisition> (b).
- Rotate the shaft continuously during data collection, covering the whole working sector of the application from end to end. The progress bar (c) indicates the progress of the data collection.

Rotation speed is not a parameter during data collection. By default, the procedure collects 500 points. The collected data for the fine / coarse channels, should be a clear "thin" circle which appears in the center of the plots (d) (e) with a possible slight offset.

Sampling progress Samplin	g is finishod	( c )	
Fine: 500 of 500	Co	arse: 500 of 500	
Start data acquisition	b Samples p	oer channel 500 v	Fine Sine (my)
Calculated offsets [mV]			Fine Cosine [mV]
	Before	After	
Fine sine offset	-1.22	-1.15	
Fine cosine offset	-0.57	-0.65	Sine [mV]
Medium sine offset	N/A	N/A	
Medium cosine offset	N/A	N/A	Coarse
Coarse sine offset	-7.76	-5.96	e
Coarse cosine offset	13.43	16.23	Coarse Cosine [mV]
Continue to CAA/MAA	f		

• When offset calibration is completed, click on <Continue to CAA/MAA Calibration> button (f).

# 13.2.2 Calibration of Coarse Amplitude Alignment (CAA) & Medium Amplitude Alignment (MAA)

The following calibration aligns the coarse channel, and medium channel in certain encoders, with the fine channel by collecting data from each point in both channels. This is performed to make sure that every time the encoder is turned on, it would provide an accurate absolute position.

• Select the relevant option from the Measurement Range options (a):

**Full mechanical rotation** - shaft movement is over a full 360 degrees rotation – (that is the recommended calibration).

**Limited section** - shaft has a limited rotation angle which is less than 360 degrees. In this mode you need to input the rotation range by degrees.

**Free sampling mode** - sets the number of calibration points in accordance with the total number of points in the text box. The system displays the recommended number of points by default. The minimum points over the working sector is nine.

Note that the Total number of points would change to the optimal default according to the selected measurement range above.

• Click the <Start Calibration> button (b).

14	a	Total succhas of a circle
Measurement ra	lige	Total number of points
Full mechanic		12 🗧
O Limited section		Recommended: 12
○ Free sampling	mode	
Shaft movement	status	( b )
No shaft movem during sampling.	ent was detected	Start calibration
Calibration proce	ess control	
Continue		Stop sampling
Current	ncremental positio	n: 0.00 degrees.
Next sar	nple position:	0.00 degrees.
Results [electrica	l degrees]	
E	Before calibration	After calibration
CAA	3.60	N/A
MAA		N/A
Apply and contir		Discard



The Calibration process control (c) indicates the current position, and the next target position to which the shaft should be rotated.

Rotate the shaft to the next position, stop and click the <Continue> button to sample the position (d).
The shaft should be at STAND STILL when clicking the button.

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Measurement r	ange	Total number of points
Full mechanic	cal rotation	12 📫
C Limited section	on [degrees] 45 🗘	
O Free samplin	g mode	Recommended: 12
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during sampling	-	
Calibration proc	ess control	
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Continue	(d) Sampled 2/1	2 Stop sampling
		erop company
Current	incremental position	: 297.58 degrees.
(C)	ample position:	300.00 degrees.
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Results [electric		300.00 degrees.
Results [electric		After calibration
Results [electric	al degrees]	
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Results [electric CAA	cal degrees] Before calibration	After calibration
Results [electric	cal degrees] Before calibration	After calibration
Results [electric CAA	cal degrees] Before calibration 3.60	After calibration
Results [electric CAA MAA f	cal degrees] Before calibration 3.60	After calibration N/A N/A Discard

The Shaft movement status (e) indicates the shaft movement status.

- Complete the sampling process using the following routine: positioning the shaft --> stand still --> clicking <Continue> (d) to sample the position.
- When the process is completed click the <Apply and Continue to UZP> button (f).



# 13.3 Setting the zero-position of the encoder

• Select one of the options for setting the zero point and click < Apply and close >.

It is possible to set either current position or rotate the shaft to any other position to be set as the zero point.

Set User Zero Position	×
Set current position as	0.0000 Torres
	0 Counts
Advanced	Apply and close

It is also possible to set the Zero Point through the top menu bar, by selecting "Calibration" tab, and clicking "Set UZP".

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esolution 262144 CPR (18 bits)	140.205	Position [degrees]	
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erial No. 000000000 FW 4.3.6			



# 13.4 Jitter test

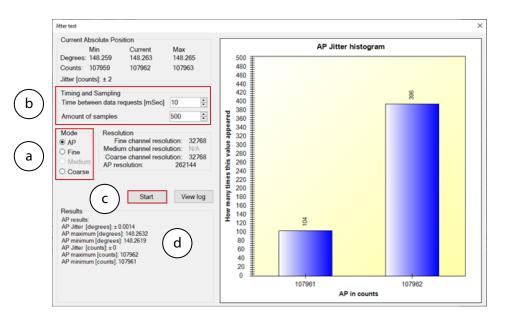
The jitter test is used evaluate the level of electric noise.

Common jitter should be up +/- 3 counts; higher jitter may indicate system noise and would require better grounding or shielding of the electric noise source.

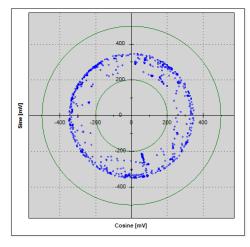
• Select "Calibration" tab, and click "Jitter Test"

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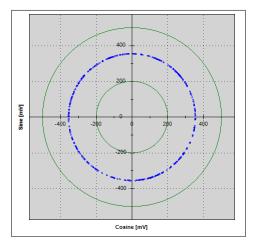
- Select the Jitter test mode (a).
- Set the Timing and Sampling parameters (b).
- Click <Start> button (c) and check if the results (d) are within acceptable tolerances for the intended application.



Another indication of excessive jitter/noise when the blue dots in signal amplitude circle are not evenly distributed on a thin circle as appears below.



Excessive jitter/noise



Low jitter/noise

# 14. Operational Mode

### 14.1 SSi / BiSS

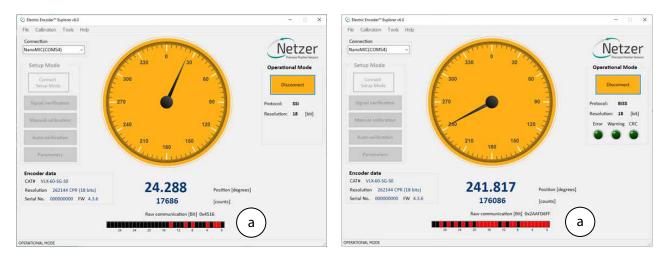
Operational Mode indication of the SSi / BiSS encoder interface is available by using the NanoMIC to connect with the encoder. When in Operational Mode the color of the position dial is orange.

#### For more information read about NanoMIC on Netzer website

The operational mode is using SSi / BiSS interface with 1MHz clock rate.

The encoder position-dial is colored orange when in Operational Mode. The bar below the dial, is the corresponding binary word output for the current shaft position (a).

**BiSS Protocol** 



# SSi Protocol



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