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## **DIGILOG Measuring Technique for Machine Tools**

Under the brand name 'DIGILOG', BLUM offers progressive solutions for digital and analogue measuring tasks in machine tools. While the digital functionality is being used, especially when recording the workpiece position, state and dimensions, the analogue measurement offers extraordinary results, when it comes to the evaluation of surfaces and contours.

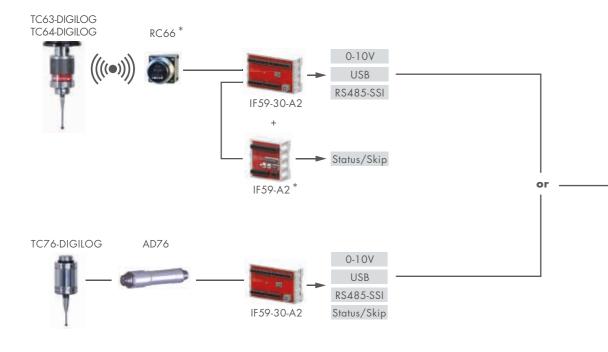
For instance, if a workpiece surface needs to be checked for machining errors, a DIGILOG Touch Probe by BLUM can scan over the surface, and take thousands of measuring values within a very short time.

The digilog touch probes are specially designed for the extreme requirements of high-productive machining centres. They are coolant-resitant and IP68 rated, making them entirely suitable for machine tools.

#### Your benefit:

- Detection of machining errors by analogue scanning process in the machining centre
- No continued production of NOK-parts due to downstream, external measurements
- Immediate rework in the original setting is possible
- Early detection of "error trends" by BLUM evaluation software
- Reduction of the measuring time when evaluating surfaces (compared to single-trigger probes)
- · High measguring resolution for maximum precision and safety

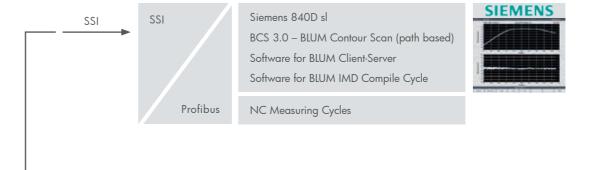
# System overview: Touch Probes



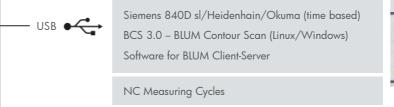
<sup>\*</sup> If TC6X touch probe is already installed, the components IF59 and RC66 will not apply.

# System overview: Evaluation

### **Evaluation on machine control**



#### Evaluation on machine control, visualisation on control screen









## Evaluation with IPC48-20, Visualisation on control screen



### Evaluation with IPC48-20, Visualisation on Touch Panel TP48-21



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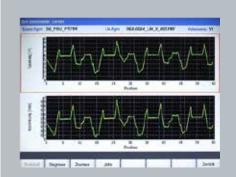
#### **DIGILOG Software BCS 3.0**

Specially developed for the use of DIGILOG measuring systems, BLUM BCS 3.0 software offers the perfect opportunity for data entry and evaluation of the measuring values, recorded in the machining centre.

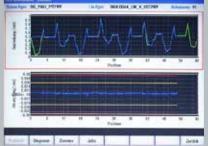
#### Features:

- Evaluation and visualisation at the control screen or BLUM Touch Panel TP48-21
- Contour monitoring of any number of scan programmes per workpiece
- Flexible definition of warning and tolerance limits per workpiece
- Alarm output when exceeding the warning and tolerance limits
- Real-time evaluation and alarm output
- Provides the tracked data in a log-file
- Scan movement in 2 axis is possible

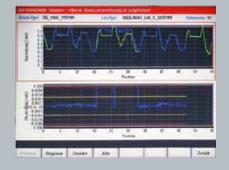
## **Measuring Process and Evaluation**



- 1. Registration master profile
- Contour scan of a reference part
- Master profile (green) will be recorded and stored in the BLUM-Software



- 2. Comparison measurement
- Contour scan of the serial workpieces
- Comparison profile (blue) is laid over the master profile (green)
- Warning limits (yellow) and tolerance limits (red) may be adjusted process specific



- 3. Comparison with defect parts
- Deviation between master profile (green) and comparison profile (blue) becomes visible
- Exceeding of the warning or tolerance limits leads to alarm output



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