

SEMI-AUTOMATED MASK ALIGNER

## SUSS MA12

# OPERATOR-ASSISTED MASK ALIGNER FOR INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND COST EFFECTIVE PRODUCTION

The MA12 complements SUSS MicroTec's high-precision mask aligner suite as manual tool apt for processing 300 mm wafers and square substrates in production environments as well as in process and device development. Equipped with the latest SUSS mask aligner technology providing superior optical performance and high overlay accuracy the MA12 is designed for advanced packaging applications such as 3D WLCSP and the production of MEMS devices on large substrates.

#### INTELLIGENT HANDLING AS KEY FOR YIELD

The processing of special substrates like highly warped wafers and sensitive material requires tight process control. With its manual material handling capabilities and various alignment functionalities the MA12 facilitates fine tuning and optimal control of the process environment ensuring high yield. The design of the MA12 is construed for manual operation and excels with its user and service friendliness. The operator-assisted system maintains a high degree of process control and reliability in combination with the advantages of manual wafer handling.

#### ALIGNMENT VERSATILITY

The MA12 offers top side and bottom side alignment to ensure maximum process flexibility needed in the development and adoption of latest lithography processes. In addition an IR alignment setup with both transmitted or incident IR illumination supports the processing of wafer stacks or the alignment of embedded wafer layers.

#### HIGH PERFORMANCE EXPOSURE SYSTEM

MA12's exposure system is equipped with SUSS MicroTec's latest optics technology MO Exposure Optics® that exposes wafers in substrates up to 300 x 300 mm in one shot. With its telecentric illumination and decoupled light source the optical system ensures excellent light uniformity while exchangeable

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

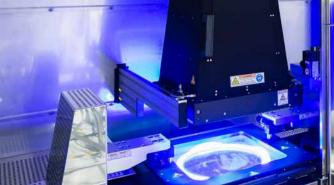
- + Cost efficient 300 mm exposure tool
- + High intensity exposure optics
- + Easy service ability and user friendliness
- + Interchangeble wavelength filter
- + MO Exposure Optics with exchangeable aperture plates



aperture plates maximize the optics performance according to exposure requirements. Automatically exchangeable wavelength filters provide further optimization of resolution and resist shapes in diverse photoresist materials.









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### TECHNICAL DATA

Wafer Size	200 and 300 mm
Max. Substrate Size	300 x 300 mm
Wafer Thickness	max. 7 mm
Mask Size	9" / 14" (SEMI)
EXPOSURE MODES	
Contact	soft, hard, vacuum
Proximity	exposure gap 1 - 1000 µm
Modes	constant dose
Options	flood exposure
EXPOSURE OPTICS	
Resolution	3 μm proximity 1.5 μm vacuum
Exposure Source	5000 W
Intensity Uniformity	≤3.5 % (300 mm)
Intensity	broadband (ghi): 100 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> I-line (365nm): 54 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>
ALIGNMENT METHODS	
Top Side Alignment (TSA)	accuracy < 0.5 µm
Bottom Side Alignment (BSA)	accuracy < 1.0 µm
Infrared Alignment (for TSA and BSA)	optional
ALIGNMENT STAGE	
MA Movement Range	X: ±3mm Y: ±3mm θ: ±3.5°
TOPSIDE MICROSCOPE (TSA)	
Movement Range	X: 113 – 300 mm Y: ±10 mm
BOTTOMSIDE MICROSCOPE (BSA)	
Movement Range	X: 113 – 300 mm Y: ±10 mm
BOTTOMSIDE MICROSCOPE (BSA) W	ITH INERABED ALIGNMENT

GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE	
Windows 7	
Unlimited Storage of Recipes	
24" Touch Screen	
UTILITIES	
Vacuum	<-0.8 kPa
Compressed Air	0.6 - 0.8 MPa
Nitrogen	> 0.2 MPa
POWER REQUIREMENTS	
Power	voltage AC 400 V $\pm 10\%$ (3 phase) frequency 50–60 Hz
PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS	
Width x Depth	$1800 \times 2055  \text{mm} = 3.8  \text{m}^2$
(placement of lamp house outside the cleanroom area possible: $2m^2$ )	1800 x 1155 mm = 2.1 m <sup>2</sup>
Height	2355 mm
Weight	~ 860 kg
OPERATOR SAFETY AND ERGONOMIC	cs
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SEMI S2 Certificate	
SEMI S8 Certificate	

Data, design and specification depend on individual process conditions and can vary according to equipment configurations. Not all specifications may be valid simultaneously. Illustrations, photos and specifications in this brochure are not legally binding. SUSS MicroTec reserves the right to change machine specifications without prior notice.



Movement Range

Visit www.suss.com/locations for your nearest SUSS representative or contact us:

X: 138 - 300 mm

Y: ±10mm

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