



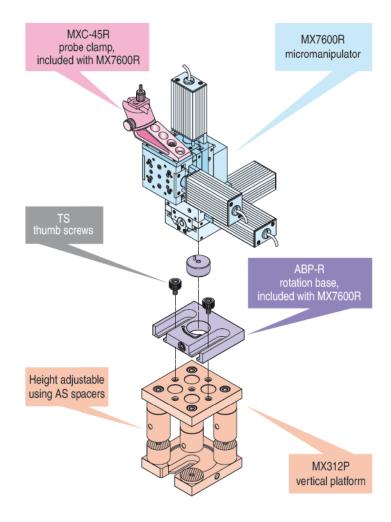
Introduction to Siskiyou Platforms

The platforms and support spacers in this section facilitate multidimensional experimentation. Their solid aluminum construction ensures rock solid stability around any experiment.

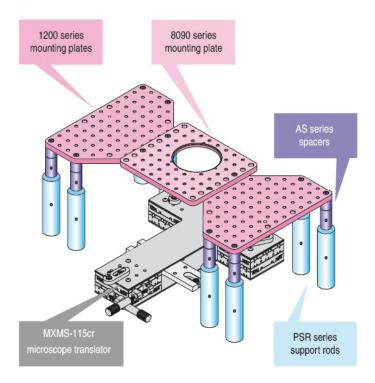
Our wide variety of platforms are designed with flexibility in mind. These platforms have 1/4-20 tapped holes for limitless attachment for any application, such as a fixed-stage platform for electrophysiology or a single vertical plane platform for optical mounting. The standard hole pattern facilitates the movement of devices between a platform and an isolation table top and is more economical than a custom plate.

A cast aluminum plate for the base material of our platforms ensures stability even when a large portion of the surface has been machined away. High speed CNC machining centers enable us to produce high quality platforms with a maximum of mounting holes at competitive prices. If magnetic attachment is required, small magnetic strips are available, found on page 117, that are cost-effective alternatives to manufacturing a solid steel platform that would typically cost four times as much as an aluminum platform.

Platforms provide vertical and angular solid surfaces for mounting micromanipulator stages.



Application



This application drawing shows our platform and spacer systems along with our microscope translator (microscope not shown). This is one way to construct a fixed-stage system for patch recording experiments. The photo on the preceding page also shows this type of setup, and the two combined show the flexibility of our equipment.

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The PSR series support rods and AS aluminum spacers are ideal for vertical or horizontal mounting of platforms as well as single devices. AS series spacers are available in sizes from 0.125- to 2.0-inches long. 1.5- and 2.0-inch versions can be attached end to end to achieve spacing of multiple lengths. Smaller sizes have a 1/4-20 clearance hole and are designed to be mounted directly under the platform and attached to the next spacer with the final 1/4-20 attachment screw. Our PSR support rods are machined from solid aluminum bar stock and are designed to be the base structure for our variety of platforms.

For custom configurations, variations in finish, or if you need help selecting the best platform configuration for your application, do not hesitate to contact us at 1-877-313-6418, or email tech@siskiyou.com.





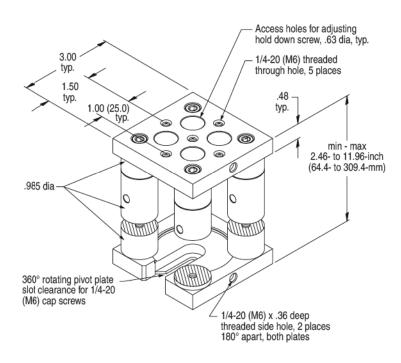
Vertical

3.0 x 3.0 / MX312P

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features



MX312P



Vertical Platform

The MX312P is a versatile platform for mounting a variety of hardware at any level on an isolation table or platform. A complete set of AS series spacers allows flexible vertical adjustment from 2.5- to 12.0-inches in 0.5-inch increments. Metric configurations adjust from 65- to 310- mm using a combination of spacers. This facilitates placing the platform height at the center of the depth of focus for research microscopes. To adjust the height of the platform, AS-1.5 and AS-2.0 series spacers are screwed together using 1/4-20 set screws. The top and the base plates are attached to the four columns with 1/4-20 cap screws through the counterbored holes. Smaller height adjustments are made by adding AS-.5 and AS-1.0 spacers to the top of the longer AS spacers. These are secured by the final attachment of the top plate with long 1/4-20 screws that go through the top plate and short spacers.

The MX312P base plate is equipped with a unique hold down pivot that allows secure single-bolt mounting anywhere on the mounting surface. The top mounting surface is 3.0-inch x 3.0-inch and has five 1/4-20 tapped holes for maximum mounting flexibility. The top plate is also drilled and tapped with 1/4-20 holes on two sides. These attachment points are designed to accept our MX-APC-T and MX-APT-T top plates. These adapter plates allow the experimenter to remove and replace equipment accurately and easily by loosening two flathead screws. A new assembly configuration allows simpler and faster change-out of spacers.

Product Features

- 2.5- to 12-inch vertical adjustability
- Solid aluminum construction
- Flexible mounting design
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Related Products

| MX-APC-T base plate | 127 |
|---------------------|-----|
| MX-APT-T base plate | 127 |

Order Information

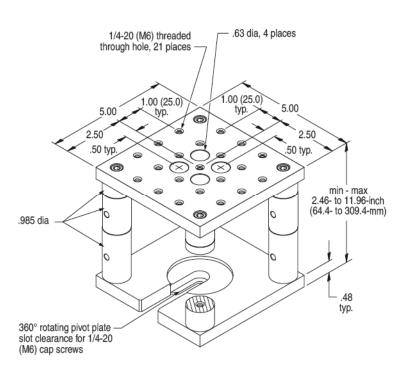
| coarse vertical adjustment platform, | MX312P |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 3.0"x3.0" | |
| MX312P top plate | MX312P-T |
| MX312P base plate | MX312P-B |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

Vertical

5.0 x 5.0 / MX512P

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features





MX512P

Vertical Platform

The MX512P is a versatile platform for mounting a variety of hardware at any level on an isolation table or platform. AS series spacers and hardware allow flexible vertical adjustment from 2.5- to 12.0-inches in 0.5-inch increments. To adjust the height of the platform AS-1.5 and AS-2.0 series spacers are screwed together using 1/4-20 set screws. The top and the base plates are attached to the four columns with 1/4-20 cap screws through the counterbored holes. Smaller height adjustments are made by adding AS-.5 and AS-1.0 spacers to the top of the longer AS spacers. These are secured by the final attachment of the top plate with long 1/4-20 screws that go through the top plate and short spacers.

The MX512P base plate is equipped with a unique hold down pivot that allows secure single-bolt mounting anywhere on the mounting surface — you're not confined to the mounting hole grid pattern on many isolation table tops. The top mounting surface is 5.0-inch x 5.0-inch and has twenty-one 1/4-20 tapped holes for maximum mounting flexibility. The top plate can be used as a stand-alone platform for mounting MX310 micromanipulators next to microscopes. This robust platform can hold many small devices or larger ones up to 300 pounds.

Product Features

- 2.5- to 12.0-inch vertical adjustability
- Solid aluminum construction
- Flexible mounting design
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Related Products

| MX310 micromanipulator | 160 |
|------------------------|-----|
| MX5T angular platform | 99 |

Order Information

| coarse vertical adjustment platform, | MX512P |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 5.0"x5.0" | |
| MX512P top plate | MX512P-T |
| MX512P base plate | MX512P-B |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.





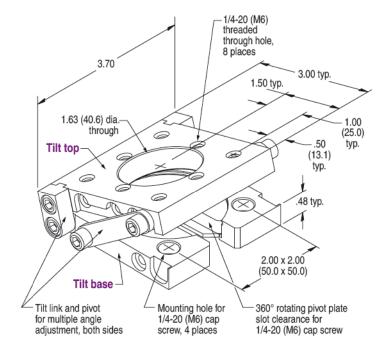
МХЗТ

Platforms / Tables

Angular

3.0 x 3.0 / MX3T

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features



Product Features

■ 5 preset angles

Maximum load

Angular adjustment

- Solid aluminum construction
- Flexible mounting design
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Performance Specifications

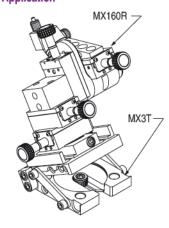
| Angular aujustment | 01, 151, 301, 451, 901 |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Related Products | |
| MX110 micromanipulator | 156 |
| MX160 micromanipulator | 157 |
| MX1640 micromanipulator | 159 |
| MX6600 micromanipulator | 164 |
| MX7630 micromanipulator | 168 |
| MX7600 micromanipulator | 169 |

Order Information

coarse angular tilt platform, 3.0"x3.0" MX3T

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

Application



Angular Platform

50 lbs

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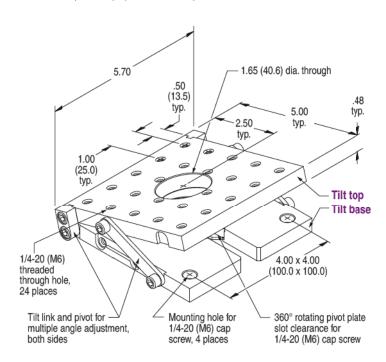
The MX3T's adjustable wedge design facilitates fixed angle setups. The 3.0-inch x 3.0-inch platform's top plate is fixed in place by two adjustable linking arms. They are secured by four 1/4-20 hex screws to ensure rock solid stability.

The angle is changed by loosening two 1/4-20 cap screws and removing two more. Move the adjustment legs to the desired position, replace the two cap screws, then lock down all four. The platform is locked in place and will not move or wobble. The MX3T base plate is equipped with a unique hold down pivot that allows secure single-bolt mounting anywhere on an experimental table.

Angular

5.0 x 5.0 / MX5T

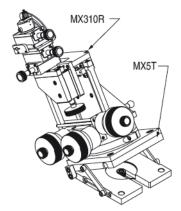
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MX5T

Application



Angular Platform

The MX5T's adjustable wedge design facilitates fixed angle setups. The 5.0-inch \times 5.0-inch platform's top plate is fixed in place by two adjustable linking arms. They are secured by four 1/4-20 hex screws to ensure rock solid stability.

The angle is changed by loosening two 1/4-20 cap screws and removing two more. Move the adjustment legs to the desired position, replace the two cap screws, then lock down all four. The platform is locked in place and will not move or wobble. The MX5T base plate is equipped with a unique hold down pivot that allows secure single-bolt mounting anywhere on an experimental table.

Product Features

■ 5 preset angles

Maximum load

- Solid aluminum construction
- Flexible mounting design
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Performance Specifications

| Angular adjustment | 0°, 15°, 30°, 45°, 90° |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Related Products | |
| MX512P platform | 97 |
| MX310 micromanipulator | 160 |

Order Information

coarse angular tilt platform, 5.0"x5.0" MX

X5T

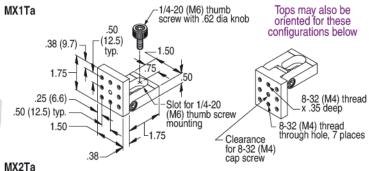
Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

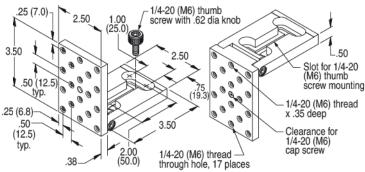


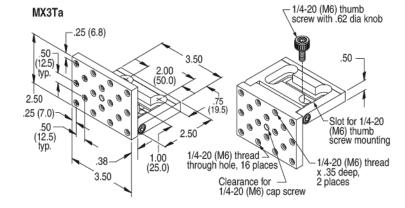
Angular

Unlimited Angle / MX1Ta, MX2Ta, MX3Ta

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly feature







Note that dimensions MX-Ta Series

Product Features

Maximum load

- Unlimited angular adjustment
- Solid aluminum construction
- Flexible mounting design
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Performance Specifications

| Angular adjustment U | nlimited |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Related Products | |
| MX10 micromanipulator | 154 |
| MX10-H micromanipulator | 162 |
| MX160 micromanipulator | 157 |
| MX1600 micromanipulator | 159 |

Order Information

| 1.5-inch x 1.75-inch, 8 tapped 8-32 holes | MX1Ta |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|
| 2.5-inch x 3.5-inch,18 tapped 1/4-20 holes | MX2Ta |
| 3.5-inch x 2.5-inch, 18 tapped 1/4-20 holes | MX3Ta |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

Angle Platforms

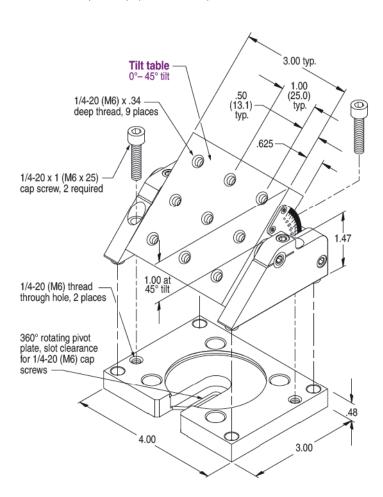
5 lbs

These adjustable angle platforms are easy to use and come in three convenient sizes. They are attached to the table top or bread board with a single 1/4-20 cap screw through a recessed slot for maximum positioning flexibility. Angular locking is done with a single cap screw that can be removed and relocated 180° to the opposite side to accommodate adjustment in limited space locations. These adjustable angle platforms are shipped in a "positive" vertical configuration (as shown in the photo), but they can also be reassembled to be used in a "negative" vertical configuration by removing the locking screw and rotating the mounting platform.

Angular

Infinitely Adjustable / MXT

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features





MXT Angle Platform

The MXT is a small and stable tilt platform that works well where the angle of attack needs to be adjusted. The angle is adjusted by turning the knob in the back of the stage. The angle of the platform surface can be read on the scale that is mounted on the side of the stage opposite the locking screw. The stage is spring-loaded to minimize backlash. The non-influencing foil lock is activated by a laser marked knob on the side of the stage.

The top of the tilt stage is tapped 1/4-20 in nine places. The hole pattern is matched to accept Siskiyou's translation stages, rotation stages and micromanipulators.

The MXT base plate is equipped with a unique hold-down pivot that allows secure single-bolt mounting anywhere on the table.

The MXT's base can be removed from its tilt stage and conveniently positioned in your experiment. By setting the tilt stage back on the base, the location can be confirmed. After the stage is in the desired position, remove the tilt stage, lock down the base, replace the tilt stage, and lock it in place with the two 1/4-20 cap screws.

Product Features

- Infinitely adjustable from plane parallel through 45°
- Positive non-influencing lock
- 2° incremental scale
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Performance Specifications

Minimum angular motion

| Related Products | |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| MX160 micromanipulator | 157 |
| MX1600 series micromanipulators | 159 |
| RSX-1.0 rotary stage | 72 |

Order Information

Angular range

| adjustable tilt platform | MXT |
|----------------------------|-------|
| aulustable tilt biatioilli | IVIAI |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

0° - 45°

30 arc sec.





Product Features

- Stable cast aluminum plate
- Center relieved for custom machining
- Pre-drilled / threaded 1/4-20 mounting surface
- Vacuum compatible versions available

Related Products

| AS-1A spacers | 110 |
|-----------------------|-----|
| PSR support rods | 110 |
| MS-4.0 magnetic strip | 117 |
| MS-6.0 magnetic strip | 117 |
| perfusion chambers | 192 |

Order Information

| platform plates | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|
| 4 x 8 inch | 4080P |
| 8 x 9 inch, blank | 8090Pb |
| 8 x 9 inch, aperture type | 8090P |
| adapters / holders, perfusion chamber | |
| 10.8cm dia | PC-A |
| 11cm dia | PC-A11 |
| holder | PC-S |
| | |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.



Platforms / Tables

Large Mounting Plates

4080 and 8090 Series

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features

The 4080 and 8090 series of mounting platforms offer a variety of apertured platforms in standard and customer modified versions. These platforms may be used as stand-alone platforms directly on the surface of a table top or to add attachment points to an isolation table without tapped holes. They are also useful for building bridge systems around microscopes and can be supported with our PSR series support posts or AS series spacers. They have 1/4-20 clearance holes conveniently located near the edge of the plate to facilitate mounting to our PSR and AS series. Vertical or three dimensional configurations can be designed with the use of our BB series building blocks and AB-U universal angle bracket.

The material used in these platforms is cast aluminum. This material has more thermal stability than standard aluminum plate, and because of the manufacturing process it has no inherent stress. By using this material we supply you with a more stable product. If you decide to do some custom machining on the plates, you can be assured that they will not flex out of flatness like standard plate materials.

4080Ps may be used with PSR support rods to create a mounting platform along side of an experiment. They are designed to be the center platform in a fixed-stage setup. The 4080P has been relieved in the center to simplify custom machining for the experimenter's applications. The PSR platform support rods' 1.5-inch diameter makes them an ideal foundation for these platforms.

The 8090 series platforms are designed to be the sample platform under a microscope or as an apertured platform for passing a laser beam through. They come in two models: blank and with aperture. The 8090Pb has a solid surface with 1/4-20 mounting holes and a non-tapped section in the middle. This blank section is useful for custom machining either by us or by the end user. The 8090P has an industry standard 10.8 cm chamber aperture for mounting our PC-A perfusion chamber adapter or other microscope chamber systems.

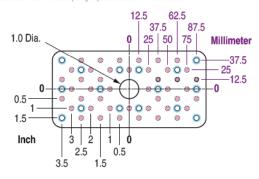
Perfusion Chamber Adapters

The PC-A chamber adapter allows the user to mount our PC-V & PC-H chambers into our 8090P platform. They are made of non-corrosive aluminum. The 10.8-cm diameter model is compatible with Olympus microscope stages and allows 360° rotation of the chamber. Alternatively, they also are available in a 11-cm diameter size. See page 192 for perfusion chamber details.

For custom configurations or if you need help selecting the best platform configuration for your application, do not hesitate to contact us at 1-877-313-6418.

4 x 8 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 4080P

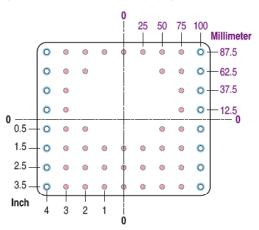
Inch III Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 16 each 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance ○ / 44 each 1/4-20 (M6), Through ● Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical and horizontal center lines... for clarity single quadrant dimensions are shown.



Large Mounting Plates

8 x 9 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 8090Pb

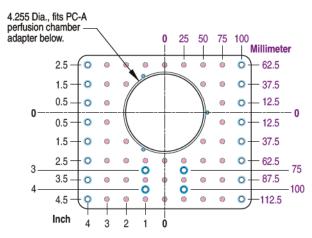
Inch III Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 16 each 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance ○ / 40 each 1/4-20 (M6) Through ○ Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical and horizontal center lines... for clarity only single quadrant dimensions are shown.





8 x 9 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 8090P

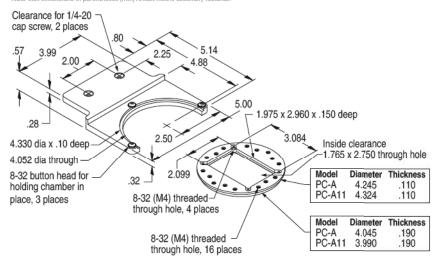
Inch Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 20 each 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance ○ / 40 each 1/4-20 (M6), Through ● / 3 each 8-32 (M4), Through ● Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical center line... for clarity only half-plate dimensions are shown.





10.8 / 11cm Perfusion Chamber Adapters PC-A, PC-A11 and Holder PC-S

lote that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features.







12000 Series

Product Features

- Stable cast aluminum plate
- Pre-drilled / threaded 1/4-20 mounting surface
- Vacuum compatible versions available

Related Products

| AS-1A spacers | 110 |
|-----------------------|-----|
| PSR support rods | 110 |
| MS-4.0 magnetic strip | 117 |
| MS-6.0 magnetic strip | 117 |

Order Information

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| 8 x 12 inch, beveled rectangular | 1280P |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| 8 x 12 inch, rectangular | 1280Pr |
| 12 x 12 inch, square | 12120 |
| 12 x 24 inch, rectangular | 12240 |
| 18 x 18 inch, square | 18180 |
| 18 x 30 inch, rectangular | 18300 |
| 24 x 24 inch, square | 24240 |
| 24 x 30 inch, rectangular | 24300 |
| 30 x 30 inch, square | 30300 |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

Platforms / Tables

Large Mounting Plates

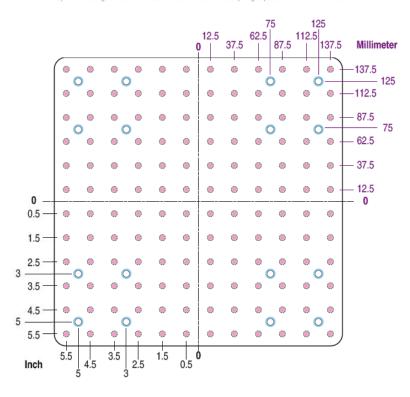
Our 1200 and 12000 series platforms are designed for maximum flexibility and machinability. With nine sizes to choose from, these solid aluminum platforms are an affordable option for added mounting surface.

These platforms may be used as stand-alone platforms directly on the surface of a table top or to add attachment points to an isolation table without tapped holes. They are also useful for building bridge systems around microscopes and can be supported with our PSR series support posts or AS series spacers. The 1200 series have 1/4-20 clearance holes conveniently located near the edge of the plate to facilitate mounting to our PSR and AS series. Vertical or three dimensional configurations can be designed with the use of our BB series building blocks and AB-U universal angle bracket.

The material used in these platforms is cast aluminum. This material has greater thermal stability than standard aluminum plate and, because of the manufacturing process, has no inherent stress. By using this material we supply you with a more stable product. If you decide to do some custom machining on the plates, you can be assured that they will not flex out of flatness like standard plate materials.

12, 18, 24 and 30 x 0.5 Inch Square and Rectangular Plates

Inch Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 1 Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical and horizontal center lines... for clarity single quadrant dimensions are shown



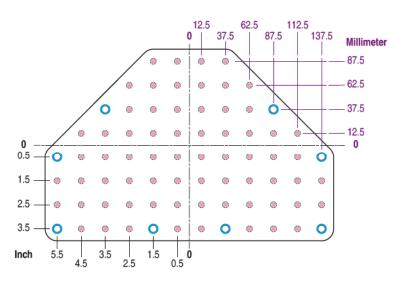
| | Plate Size | Holes ¹ | Plate Size | Holes ¹ |
|---|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|
| | 12 x 12 ² | 144 | 24 x 24 | 576 |
| | 12 x 24 | 288 | 24 x 30 | 720 |
| _ | 18 x 18 | 324 | 30 x 30 | 900 |
| _ | 18 x 30 | 540 | | |

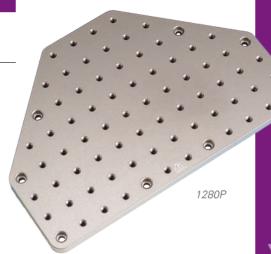
^{1.} Number of threaded holes 2. 12 x 12 Plate, 'Only plate with clearance holes

Large Mounting Plates

8 x 12 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 1280P

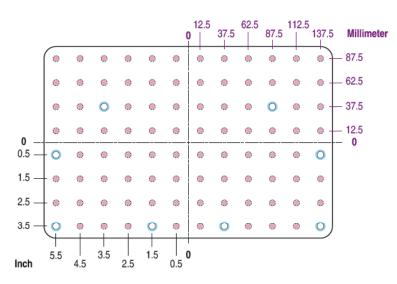
Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical center line... for clarity only single quadrant dimensions are shown

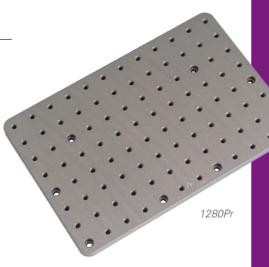




8 x 12 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 1280Pr

Inch III Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 8 each 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance O / 88 each 1/4-20 (M6), Threaded Through Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical center line... for clarity single quadrant dimensions are shown

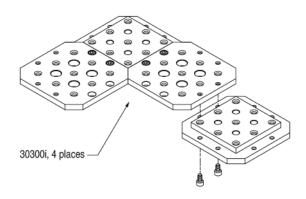






Modular Tiles

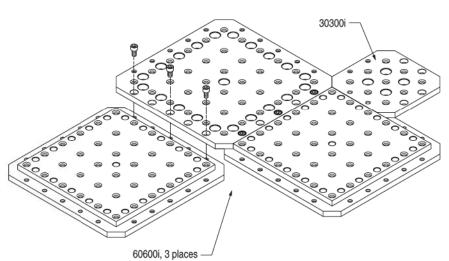
3.5 \square and 6.5 \square x 0.5 Inch Modular Tiles



Mix and match to create your own unique platform.

The new 60600i platform "tiles" allow the user to build a variety of platform shapes and sizes.





Product Features

- Stable cast aluminum plate
- Pre-drilled, threaded 1/4-20 (M6) and 8-32 (M4)
- Vacuum compatible versions available

Related Products

| BB-1.0 building blocks | 124 |
|------------------------|-----|
| BB 5.0 building blocks | 124 |

Order Information

| Metric Option — for metric assembly features on | | |
|-------------------------------------------------|----|--|
| 6.5 x 6.5 inch, square tile 6060 | 0i | |
| 3.5 x 3.5 inch, square tile 3030 | 0i | |

Metric Option — for metric assembly features on this product, add '-M' after model number.

Siskiyou 3" and 6" square tiles can be bolted together in virtually any configuration to create a mounting platform. When a regular breadboard is too big, these tiles can get your project or prototype built with just the right amount of space. For innovative optomechanical solutions, shop Siskiyou!

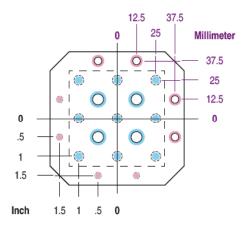
3.5 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 30300i

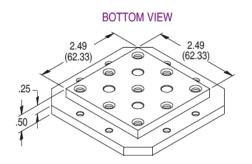
III Inch IIII Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance ○, Threaded ● / 8-32 (M4) Clearance ○, Threaded ● Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical center line... for clarity single quadrant dimensions are shown



60600i

Application



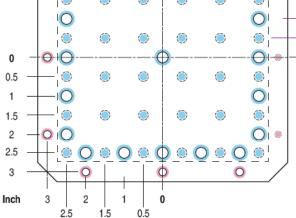


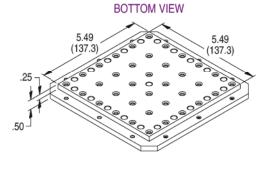
6.5 x 0.5 Inch Plate / 60600i

Inch Millimeter Pattern... Mounting Holes: 1/4-20 (M6) Clearance O, Threaded O / 8-32 (M4) Clearance O, Threaded O Plate is mirror-symmetric along vertical center line... for clarity single quadrant dimensions are shown

37.5 62.5 Millimeter 75 O o i 62.5 50 37.5 25

12.5







75 Series Breadboards

Platforms / Tables

Lightweight Mounting Plates

75 Series

The 75 Series Breadboards minimize both weight and cost. Siskiyou has teamed up with industry leader TMC to offer these products that match with our platforms, support rods and other modular hardware. A patented (pat# 5,558,920) manufacturing technique allows TMC to form countersunk, tapped holes in a thin top skin of stainless steel. The holes are not drilled or punched, but fabricated in a way that effectively "thickens" the skin in a small ring around the threads and adds to the unit's rigidity. No inserts are used and the formed holes are countersunk and tapped 3 threads deep.

The 75 Series tops have relatively high levels of rigidity, as they utilize a standard steel core. They are ideal when light loads are anticipated and both low weight and low cost are the most crucial factors. The ultralightweight design weighs less than 9 lbs/ft² [44 kg/m²].

Standard breadboards have 1/4-20 holes on 1-inch centers. Under all holes are CleanTop® II individual cups that make the core spillproof.

This lightweight design is available from stock in the sizes listed below. A full range of sizes and materials is available on a custom basis. Contact us for pricing and delivery for custom configurations.

Product Features

Materials

- Ultra-lightweight design
- Ferromagnetic stainless steel top and bottom skins
- CleanTop® II spillproof core

Performance Specifications

Top skin 430 series ss, 0.075 in [2 mm] thk Bottom skin 400 series ss, 0.075 in [2 mm] thk Sidewalls high-pressure laminate Core steel honeycomb, closed-cell, 0.010 in [0.2 mm] thk foil Core shear modulus 275,000 psi [19,300 kg/cm2] Core cell size < 0.5 in2 [3 cm2] Core density 13.3 lb/ft3 [230 kg/m3] ± 0.005 in [0.13 mm] Flatness

Order Information

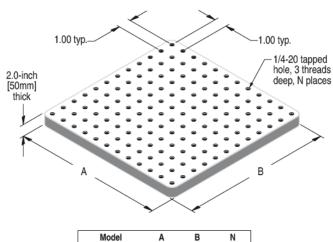
Tapped holes

| 19"x23" [450x600] 31 lb [14 kg] | 75SSC-103-02 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| 19"x47" [450x1200] 62 lb [28 kg] | 75SSC-104-02 |
| 23"x23" [600x600] 37 lb [17 kg] | 75SSC-113-02 |
| 23"x35" [600x900] 56 lb [25 kg] | 75SSC-115-02 |
| 23"x47" [600x1200] 74 lb [34 kg] | 75SSC-119-02 |
| 35"x47" [900x1200] 111 lb [50 kg] | 75SSC-135-02 |

3 threads, backed by individual

CleanTop® II cups

75 Series



| Model | Α | В | N |
|--------------|-------|-------|------|
| 75SSC-103-02 | 19.00 | 23.00 | 396 |
| 75SSC-104-02 | 19.00 | 47.00 | 828 |
| 75SSC-113-02 | 23.00 | 23.00 | 484 |
| 75SSC-115-02 | 23.00 | 35.00 | 748 |
| 75SSC-119-02 | 23.00 | 47.00 | 1012 |
| 75SSC-135-02 | 35.00 | 47.00 | 1564 |

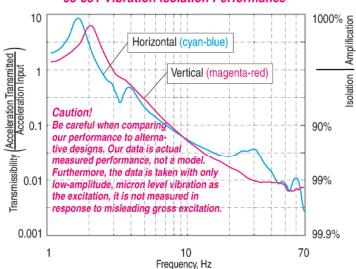
High-Performance Laboratory Tables

63-500 Series

The 63-500 Series High-Performance Lab Tables provide an excellent vibration-free working surface for loads up to 350 lb [160 kg]. Siskiyou has teamed up with isolation table industry leader TMC to offer these products that match with our platforms, support rods and other hardware. Now with modular construction, these tables are recommended for use in such diverse applications as electrophysiology, cell injection, ultramicrotomy, photomicroscopy, scanning tunneling microscopy, and confocal laser scanning microscopy. TMC's Patented Gimbal Piston™ Isolator has been proven by independent tests to consistently outperform the competition. It achieves both horizontal and vertical isolation down to very low input levels. An integral part of the Gimbal Piston, the thinwall, Dacron®-reinforced, rolling diaphragm air seals are only 0.020 in. [0.5 mm] thick and extremely flexible. They do not stiffen the spring as thicker rubber diaphragms do, to maximize horizontal isolation. All systems are equipped with rugged all-aluminum height control valves. Virtually unbreakable, they are finger-adjustable with no need for tools. The standard model maintains height to ±0.050 in. [±1 mm]; the precision model, to ±0.005 in. [±0.1 mm]. Unique in the industry, TMC provides sturdy, tamperproof, built-in piston travel restraints. The restraints are completely independent of the table valves and have been ram-tested at forces above those produced by the pistons operating at full pressure. They cannot be decoupled accidentally and do not interfere with setting up and using the table, but simply protect against over-travel without the use of external bars that create hazardous pinch points. Heavy loads, including the top plate, can be safely removed from a table in full operation. Exclusive TMC tiebar gussets increase table frame rigidity. They compensate for the elimination of the front tiebar in order to provide knee and leg room. Table legs include built-in fine-thread 3 in. [75 mm] diameter screw jack levelers with 1/2 in. [13 mm] travel, provision for external adjustment and a handy adjustment wrench. The adjustable feet have a solid, slightly domed shape to assure solid, wobble-free contact with sloping or irregular floors. All table tops come with standard 1/4-20 x 1.0 tapped hole array.

63-500 Series

63-531 Vibration Isolation Performance







Product Features

- Gimbal Piston™ Isolators
- Rugged Built-in Leveling Feet
- Superior Table Tops

Accessories

- Front & Rear Support Bars Armrest Pads
- Sliding Shelves Raised Rear Shelf Casters

Performance Specifications

| Isolator natural frequency | :V | frequen | natural | solator | |
|----------------------------|----|---------|---------|---------|--|
|----------------------------|----|---------|---------|---------|--|

High input Vert: 1.2 Hz, Horiz: 1.0 Hz
Low input Vert: 1.5–2.0 Hz, Horiz: 1.2–1.7 Hz
Isolation efficiency

@ 5 Hz Vert: 70–85%, Horiz: 75–90%
@ 10 Hz Vert: 90–97%, Horiz: 90–97%
Gross load capacity 1,400 lbs [640 kg]
Net load capacity 350 lbs [160 kg]
Facilities required 80 psi nitrogen or air

Order Information

| Order illiorillation | |
|--------------------------------------------|--------|
| isolator with 2-inch stainless steel lamin | ate |
| 25"x36" [625x900] | 63-511 |
| 30"x30" [750x750] | 63-521 |
| 30"x36" [750x900] | 63-531 |
| isolator with 4-inch CleanTop® II | |
| 30"x36" [750x900] | 63-533 |
| 30"x48" [750x1200] | 63-543 |
| 30"x60" [750x1500] | 63-553 |





PSR and AS Series

Product Features

- Solid aluminum construction
- Sizes from 0.125- to 10.0-inch
- Cost-effective support system
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Related Products

| platforms | beginning 102 |
|--------------------|---------------|
| post mount clamp | 112 |
| perfusion chambers | 192 |

Order Information

| platform support rods | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| 4.0 inch | PSR-4.0 |
| 6.0 inch | PSR-6.0 |
| 10.0 inch | PSR-10.0 |
| Aluminum spacers, Assortment kit | AS-1A |
| .125", package of 4 | AS125 |
| .250", package of 4 | AS250 |
| .500", package of 4 | AS500 |
| 1.00", package of 4 | AS-1.00 |
| 1.50", package of 4 | AS-1.50 |
| 2.00", package of 4 | AS-2.00 |
| 4.00", package of 1 | AS-4.00 |
| 6.00", package of 1 | AS-6.00 |

Metric Order Information

| platform support rods | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| 100 mm | PSR-100 |
| 150 mm | PSR-150 |
| 250 mm | PSR-250 |
| Aluminum spacers, Assortment kit | AS-25A |
| 3 mm, package of 4 | AS-3 |
| 7 mm, package of 4 | AS-7 |
| 15 mm, package of 4 | AS-15 |
| 25 mm, package of 4 | AS-25 |
| 40 mm, package of 4 | AS-40 |
| 50 mm, package of 4 | AS-50 |
| 100 mm, package of 1 | AS-100 |
| 150 mm, package of 1 | AS-150 |

Platforms / Tables

Support Rods & Spacers

PSR and **AS** Series

Note that dimensions in parentheses (mm) reflect metric assembly features

Platform Support Rods

Our PSR series platform support rods are a solid solution for supporting platforms or other mechanical hardware. Our PSR platform support rods are specifically designed to be used with our 1200 and 12000 series platforms. PSR platform support rods are cross drilled to accept a 3/16 hex wrench. This cross hole enables secure tightening to AS spacers, isolation table tops, or other mechanical devices. When used in conjunction with AS aluminum spacers, accurate placement of our platforms, manipulators, or other devices is easily achieved.

Aluminum Spacers

Use AS aluminum spacers for spacing of any device that needs to be adjusted in either the vertical or horizontal plane. AS spacers can be used by themselves or with ABP series base plates. They are also useful for added height adjustment on top of our PSR platform support rods. For horizontal applications use our BB-1.0 building block cube attached to the top of an AS spacer, then bolt another AS spacer to one or more of the four sides.



Individual size spacers are available in packages of 4 or in assortment kits. See ordering information at left and below.

AS-1A — Inch Size — Aluminum Spacers, Assortment Kit

- One (1) of each spacer size AS-.125 through AS-2.00
- Two (2) 1/4-20 x 5/8 stainless steel set screws to attach AS-1.50 to AS-2.00

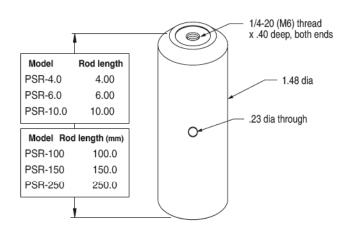
AS-25A — Metric Size — Aluminum Spacers, Assortment Kit

- One (1) of each spacer size AS-3 through AS-50
- Two (2) M6 x 15 stainless steel set screws to attach AS-40 to AS-50

Support Rods & Spacers

PSR Series

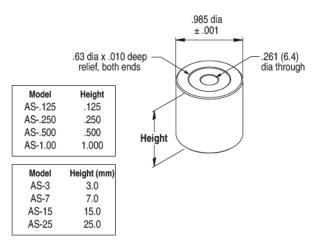
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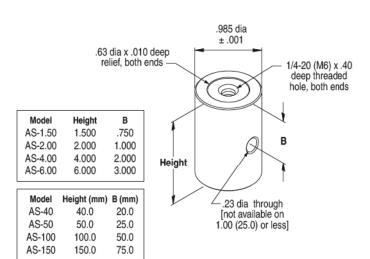




AS Series

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AS Series



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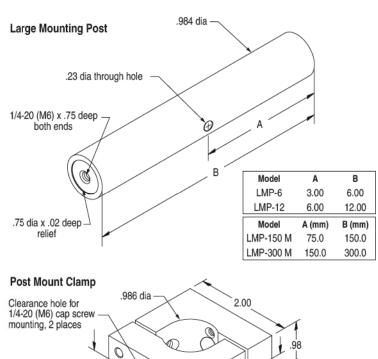


Large Mounting Posts

LMP Series

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| rost mount clamp | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Clearance hole for 1/4-20 (M6) cap screw mounting, 2 places | .98 |
| 8-32 (M4) x .50 deep threaded hole, 4 places 1/4-20 (M6) x .50 deep threaded hole, 2 places 1.00 | typ. |

Product Features

- High quality support post
- 1/4-20 tapped holes on each end
- Cross drilled for positive tightening
- Vacuum compatible versions available upon request

Related Products

| AS series aluminum spacers | 110 |
|----------------------------|-----|
| MX110 micromanipulator | 156 |
| MX6500 micromanipulator | 165 |
| MX7500 micromanipulator | 170 |
| | |

Order Information

| large mounting post, 6.0 inch | LMP-6 |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| large mounting post, 12.0 inch | LMP-12 |
| large mounting post, 150.0 mm | LMP-150 |
| large mounting post, 300.0 mm | LMP-300 |
| post clamp, nominal 1 inch post | AS-C |
| post clamp, metric model | AS-C-M |

Large Mounting Posts

Our LMP series large mounting rods are a solid solution for supporting platforms or other mechanical hardware. The LMP large mounting post can be directly mounted to an isolation table top, PSR series platform support rods, or AS series spacers. LMP series mounting rods are cross drilled to accept a 3/16 hex wrench. This cross hole enables secure tightening to AS spacers, isolation table tops, or other mechanical devices.

The LMP's 0.984 diameter is the same as the mounting post for MX110s, MX6500s, and MX7500s. When used as a support leg for a fixed-stage platform, the LMP-6 can be used to attach any of these manipulators to create a rigid integrated mounting point.

Post Mount Clamp

The AS-C post clamp is designed to mount to our AS series and LMP series posts. The symmetrical design has a 1/4-20 clearance, 8-32 and 1/4-20 tapped holes conveniently located to attach a wide variety of devices. The clamp design will accommodate diameters from .950 inch to 1.25 inch. The AS-C is available in a metric version by adding "-M" to the Model number.