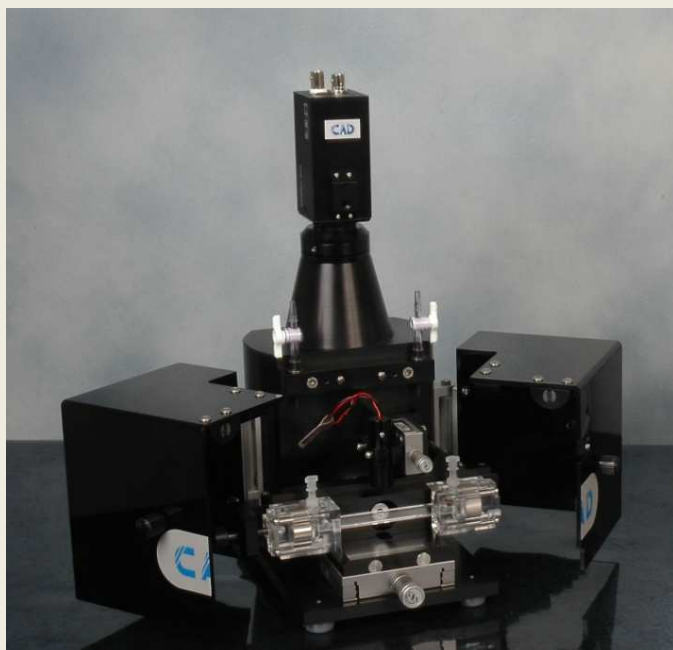


# ZETACompact®: FROM NANO TO MICRO PARTICLES ZETAMETRY USING VIDEO TRACKING

## ZETA POTENTIAL MEASUREMENT

Particles having a high density or large diameter will settle on the bottom of the measuring chamber.

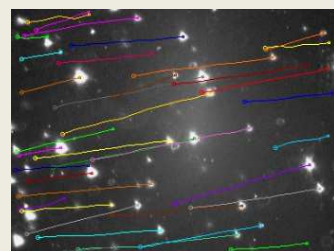
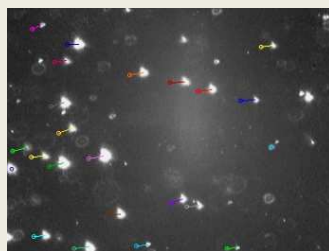
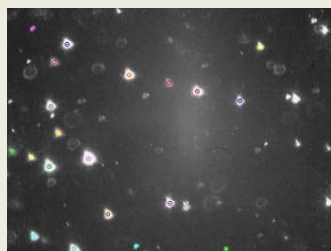
**ZetaCompact®** measures the distribution of electrophoretic mobilities of particles in suspension in a vertical plane. It uses high accuracy image analysis with angular path finding resolution.



up to 5 000 tracks/sequence

### Measured Parameters

- > Electrophoretic Mobility distribution
- > Zeta Potential
- > pH
- > Electrical Conductivity
- > Temperature
- > Cell Position



### Features and Benefits

- > A modular tool designed to tackle all the problems encountered when measuring the electrophoretic mobility of particles from 10 nm up to 50  $\mu\text{m}^*$  and calculating the Zeta Potential ( $\zeta$ ) of colloidal suspensions.
- > Laser illumination and video interface allows sub-micronic particle measurement.
- > The CELL consists of two pairs of palladium electrodes fitted into perfectly symmetrical chambers.
- > A kinematic mounting gives easy access to the quartz chamber. It allows rapid and precise positioning of the cell after cleaning.
- > Sample temperature is measured in-situ by a fast response micro-probe.
- > Fully automatic tracking of particles with state of the art image analysis software.

\* Sample dependant

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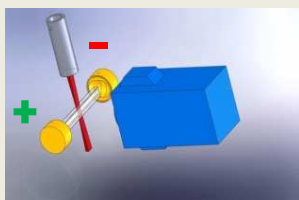
CAD Instruments offers a wide range of services to help you take advantage of this new measurement device. The **ZetaCompact** can be used for major industrial and academic applications including:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Ceramics</li> <li>&gt; Polymer latex</li> <li>&gt; Nanoparticles</li> <li>&gt; Cement</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Emulsion</li> <li>&gt; Micro-emulsion</li> <li>&gt; Liposomes</li> <li>&gt; Water treatment</li> <li>&gt; Pulp &amp; Paper</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Clays</li> <li>&gt; Pigments</li> <li>&gt; Flotation</li> <li>&gt; Biology</li> <li>&gt; Immunology</li> </ul> |
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## ZETACompact® SPECIFICATIONS

### Technology

- > Micro-Electrophoresis with enhanced video tracking with laser sheet illumination



Numeric CCD, high resolution algorithm

Threshold  
Particle detection

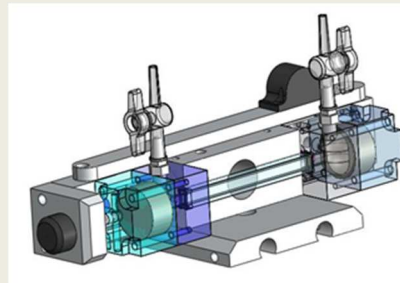
Linking  
Tracking

Mobility  
distribution



### Measuring Cell

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Cell</li> <li>&gt; Rectangular section</li> <li>&gt; Main electrodes</li> <li>&gt; Secondary electrodes</li> <li>&gt; Temperature sensor precision</li> <li>&gt; Sample volume</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quartz interchangeable capillaries<br/>5 x 2 x 70 mm</li> <li>Palladium</li> <li>Platinum for measuring electric field</li> <li>0.1°C</li> <li>6 mL</li> </ul> |
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### Electronics Units

> Electric field generator	250 V – 10 mA
> Conductivity meter	0.01 – 100 mS.cm <sup>-1</sup>
> Positioning sensor resolution	1 µm
> Communications	Ethernet for CCD and USB for electronic
> Power supply	100 V to 250 V
> Dimensions	450 mm x 300 mm x 150 mm (W x D x H)
> Weight	13 kg

*Note: These specifications may change in the interest of product development*