

Optical Connector Polishing Machine ATP-3200 Series



# NTT-AT's Optical Connector Polishing Solutions,

# back up your company's "Polish" with Power!















# Optical connector polishing machine for Mass Production Use, ATP-3200 Series

Along with the ongoing expansion of applications for optical connectors, the optical connector polishing machine ATP-3200 can handle not only standard optical connectors, but also prototype polishing of newly developed products up to various kinds of small volume to mass volume production.

# Special Features of the ATP-3200 Series



# Polishing maximum of 96 LC connector terminals, Polishing maximum of 48 MPO connector terminals.

#### Achieve both low cost and high quality polishing

With an independent pressurizing type polishing jig, we eliminated the intermediate process of adjusting the dispersion of polishing pressure and so realized low cost. In addition, since our unique polishing track system effectively uses the entire surface of the polishing film, waste is minimized. In addition, the overlap of polishing tracks is small, and scratches on the ferrule due to polishing are kept to a minimum.

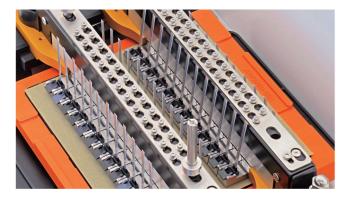




the area of the film that is unused and wasted Many parts of the film are unused and wasted

# Can be polished by 2 jigs simultaneously

Since 2 jigs can now be mounted, it is possible to polish more that twice as many terminals than with out company's early machine (ATP-3000), enabling mass production polishing of a maximum of 48 MPO connector terminals, and a maximum of 96 LC connector terminals.



### High versatility makes it ideal for multi-product small volume production

In addition to standard optical connectors, it is possible to polish a wide range from single optical fibers to large-size substrates. Dummies are not necessary even in the polishing of one connector, making it ideal for small quantities of newly developed start-up products. (Examples of versatility: MPO/PC and LC/PC can be polished at the same time)

#### High potential for developing automatic and semiautomatic machines

It corresponds to standard operation command input by using a Windows PC and sequencer, making it extremely easy to incorporate batch polishing lines and building semi-automatic machines and incorporation into automated line production, greatly contributing to labor saving on the production line.

#### **Reduced Maintenance Costs**

Because consumable items can be replaced by the customers themselves, returning the machine to the manufacturer for an overhaul is unnecessary, reducing both downtime and maintenance costs. In addtion, the frequency and labor-intensity of cleaning maintenance have been greatly reduced by the new cyliner protection mechanism and the new bundle attachment insert/eject mechanism for jigs.



# Single Fiber Optical Connector Polishing Solutions



# Single Fiber Ferrule (SC, FC) Standard Polishing Processes

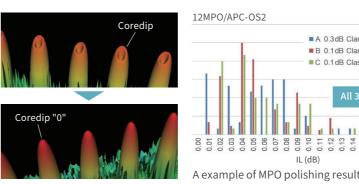
	Process # Name		Polishing Film	Polishing Fluid	Me
	1	Pre-condition	Adhesive removal film	Distilled Water	• 0
	1	Adhesive Removal		Distilled Water	• Po
2 3		Mid-processing	Diamond Film	Distilled Water	• Pi
		Finishing	Silica Film	Distilled Water	

# **Multi-Fiber Optical Connector Polishing Solutions**



#### Multi-Fiber ferrule (MT) Polishing Process (reference)

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Process #	Name	Name Polishing Film			
1	Adhesive	AAS-GC16A-R140-12	Distilled Water	C F	
2	Removal	AAS-GC03A-R140-12	Distilled Water	•	
3	Flat Polish	AAS-RFZZA-140-150	AMS-EHZZ-1L	•	
4	End Face Cleaning	AAS-RFZZA-140-150	Distilled Water		
5 Protrusion Polish		ADS-MPO-140-150	Distilled Water		
6	Final Polish	AAS-RFZZA-140-150	Distilled Water	*	





Polishes up to 24 connector plugs. And the individual pressure system lets you polish as few as 1 at a time. Besides connector plugs, it can do specialized polishing such as all types of ferrule and bare fiber.

# erits of the individual pressure system

only 3 process polishing

Possible to polish different connectors at the same time. E.g. SC, FC, ST Prevent over-polishing (Finish polishing amount 50 um or less)

Polishes up to 24 ferrule plugs. And the individual pressure system lets you polish as few 1 at a time. One jig can be used for multiple types of ferrule; ideal for setting conditions and testing applications.

DS-MPO can realize a low reflection in multimode fiber onnector equivalent to that of single fiber connecter by blishing a convex shape to eliminate dips in the core (Coredip)

ow return loss by coredip value of "0" S2/APC: 80dB, OM3/PC: 58dB (Measuring device: Opto Test) Possible to improve a insertion loss by preventing over-polishing chieved 80dB by Grade B ferrule (OS2/APC)

he results described above don't guarantee the future results.

#### 12MPO/PC-OM5

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A example of MPO polishing result when ADS-MPO polishing film is used in ATP polishing machine

# Example

# NTT-AT can make jigs from 1 insert on up. Move from planning and development to structural construction for mass production quickly and smoothly.

The ATP-3200 polishing machine's independent pressurization jigs use a unique attachment structure, and so polishing jigs from even 1 insert (1 terminal) can be manufactured to match the customer's request. Evaluation of risky polishing processes, such as special material quality polishing, process improvements, etc., can be done at low cost, and by simply adding inserts, you can easily build a structure for mass production.

Spe	Specialized Polishing Example (actual usage)							
Materials	: Silica glass, various resins, ceramics, various metal, etc.							
Shapes	: Cylinder, thin board, cube, bare fiber, etc.							
Polish types	: Spherical (UPC, APC), flat (0 – 45 degrees), Spherical Lensed Fiber, etc.							
Polish processes	: Priority for polish accuracy, cost, or roughness, dry polish, others.							



Custom-polishing jigs

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#### Custom-cable holder

# Specifications

Main Unit		Polishing Sp	ecifications	
Dimensions	300W x 430D x 290H (mm)		ROC (mm)	10 <upc<25< th=""></upc<25<>
Weight	25kg	Single	Apex Offset (µm)	<50
Power	AC 100 to 240V, 240W	Polish(PC)	Fiber Hight (µm)	<0.05
Polishing Method / Speed	Rotation: 0 to 270 rpm / Reciprocation: 10 to 600 sec		RX (mm)	>2000
Polishing Film Size	140mm x 150mm (5.5in x 5.9in square)	MT Polish	RY (mm)	>5
		MIPOUSI	Angle (degree)	±0.2
			Fiber Hight (µm)	-0.05~0.05

# Jig Overview

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Туре	Jig Name	Mounts		Connectors	Model	Mounting method
				SC, FC	ATP3200-AZ0001	
				LC, MU	ATP3200-AZ0005	
			Ferrule	E2000/APC	ATP3200-AZ0021	S S S
				Φ2.5mm	ATP3200-AZ0014	SC, FC ferrule LC, MU ferrule
				Φ1.25mm	ATP3200-AZ0015	
For Single		24		SC(SC2)	ATP3200-AZ0007	
Fiber	ALLER ALLER AND ALLER	24		SC/APC Conical	ATP3200-AZ0009	
	Individually Pressurized Universal Jig			FC	ATP3200-AZ0002	
			Connector	FC/APC Conical	ATP3200-AZ0010	SC plug FC plug LC plug
				LC	ATP3200-AZ0006	
				LC/APC	ATP3200-AZ0008	
				LC-Duplex	ATP3200-AZ0018	SC APC LC APC LC Duplex Individual Insert Type
			Ferrule	MT 0°	ATP3200-AZ0003	
For Multi- Fiber		24		MPO 8°	ATP3200-AZ0013	
TIDET	Individually Pressurized Universal Jig			MT-RJ 0°, miniMT 0°	ATP3200-AZ0012	MT 0° MP 8° Individual Insert Type

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