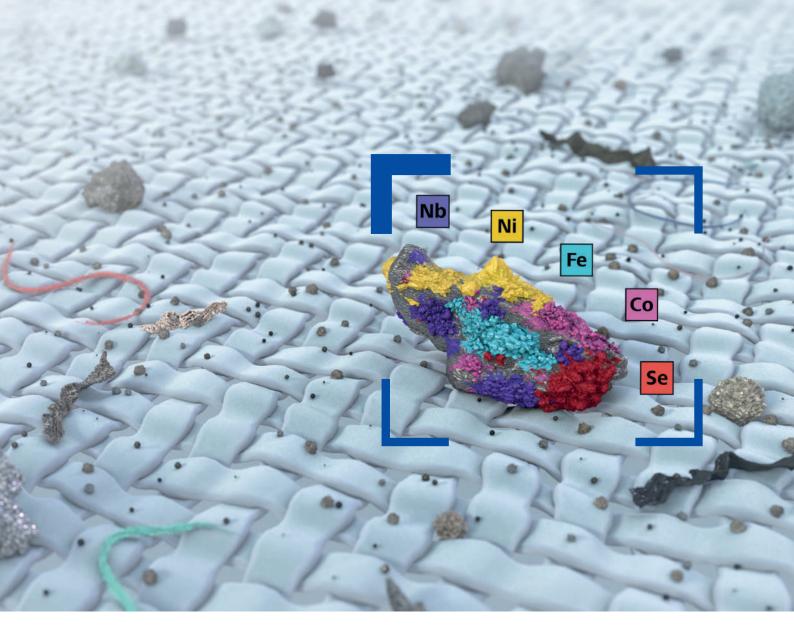
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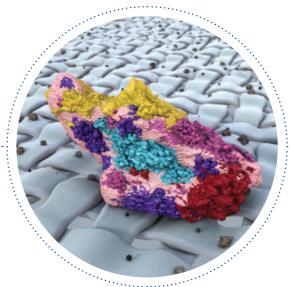
Correlative workflow to identify particle contamination



Particularly clean Quality assured



Critical particle comprehensively characterized



Particulate contamination is the enemy of any product's efficiency, functionality and longevity.

Suppliers, manufacturers and end users demand everincreasing quality standards, so an advanced technical cleanliness program is fundamental to eradicating contamination of manufactured parts and components along the entire production process.

Additionally, investigations have shown that the major source of failure in hydraulic and oil-filled machines is based on particulate contamination. Oil analysis helps to minimize maintenance costs and improve machine uptime.

To achieve maximum quality, manufacturers need clear and comprehensive particle analysis data.

ZEISS Technical Cleanliness Solutions identify the root cause of contamination, allowing you to make the right decision faster.

Tailored precisely

to the needs of manufacturing industries

Technology

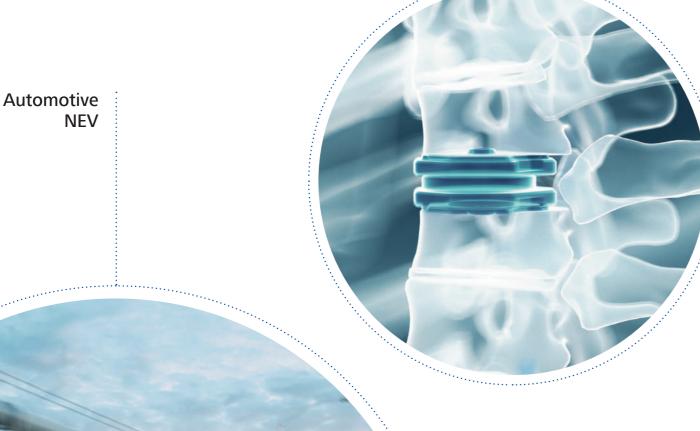
Medical

ZEISS Technical Cleanliness Solutions were developed in collaboration with automotive companies. They had a specific need for powerful particle identification and classification systems, which had to be simple to use.

As a result, ZEISS solutions are easy to apply, can be deployed to multiple sites within any manufacturing or industrial environment and used by operators who are not microscopy experts.

ZEISS particle analysis solutions work with established industry standards:

Technical cleanliness Oil cleanliness Cleanliness of medical - VDA 19.1 - ISO 4406 devices in the - VDA 19.2 - ISO 4007 manufacturing process - ISO 16232 - SAE AS 4059 - VDI 2083 - NAS 1638





Aerospace

Additive Manufacturing

Go beyond standards

Make informed decisions about the root cause

of contamination

ZEISS solutions for cleanliness testing not only allow you to quantify particulate contamination according to industry standards.

The ZEISS solution portfolio enables combined particle detection and classification in a highly efficient workflow that not only finds particles, but also helps to classify them by contamination or wear origin.

With ZEISS you can combine data from both light and electron microscopes in a single workflow to get more comprehensive information.

Correlative applications

Establish integrated work processes

Characterize process-critical particles and identify killer particles using correlative microscopy solutions (Shuttle & Find), which combines your data from both light and electron microscopes in a single workflow.

Seamless correlative workflow & insights into particle origin





Light microscopy systems

Estimate potential risk for contamination

Itemize particles by quantity, size distribution and morphology, and distinguish metallic shiny from non-shiny particles and fibers down to 1 µm. Create cleanliness reports according to the most important industry standards.

Distinguish metallic shiny vs. non-shiny particles



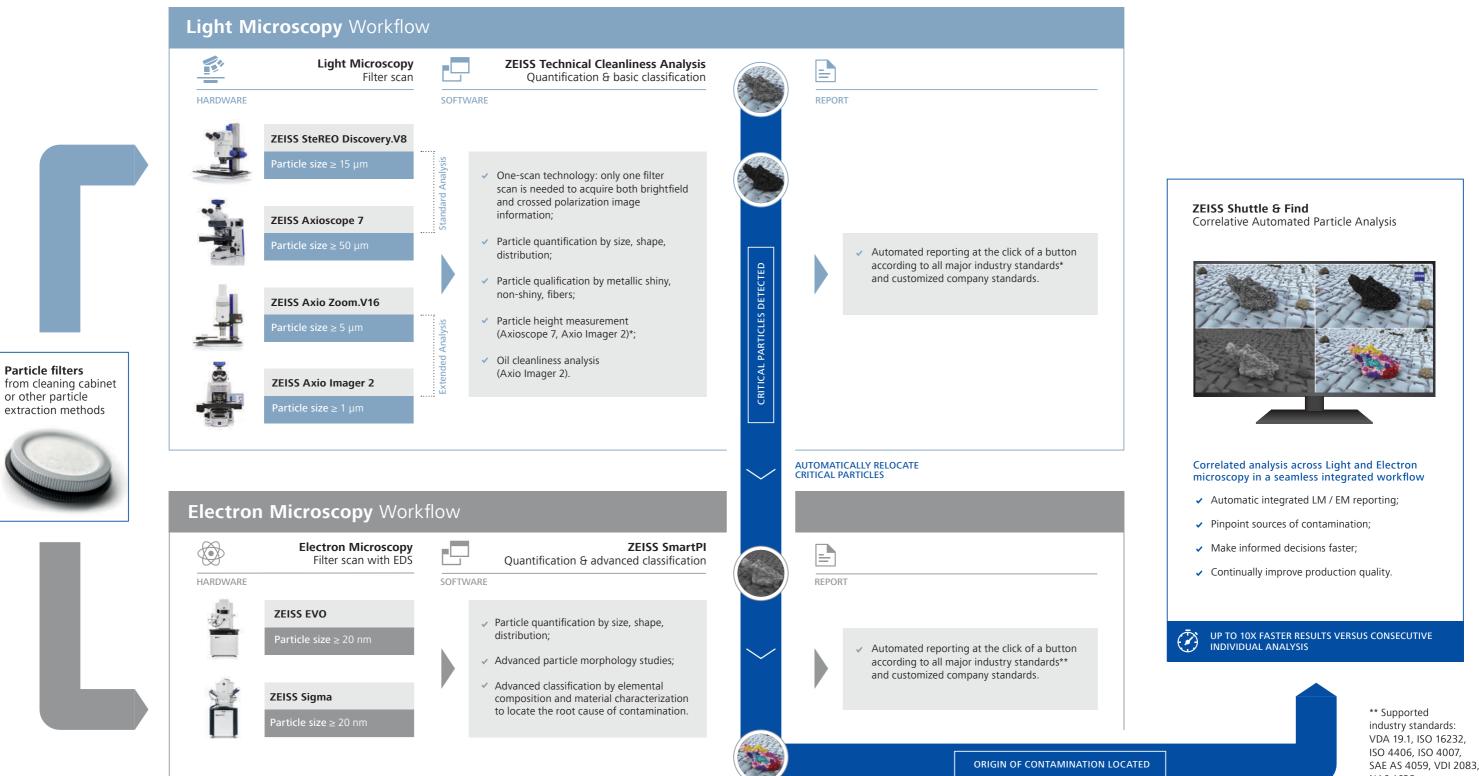
Measure morphological characteristics of particles and use fully automated elemental analyses to classify particles by their chemical composition.

composition of the metallic particles



Correlative Particle Analysis

Workflow



NAS 1638

Light Microscopy Systems

ZEISS SteREO Discovery.V8

ZEISS Axio Zoom.V16

ZEISS Axio Imager 2



HARDWARE



For particle size ≥ 15 µm Recommended for standard analyses according to VDA 19.1

Identify fibers and differentiate between metallic shiny and non-shiny particles with this cost-effective system for standard cleanliness testing applications.



For particle size $\geq 5 \mu m$ Recommended for extended analyses according

to VDA 19.1 Perform accurate and repeatable analyses with this fully automated digital zoom microscope that

supports rapid large field scanning

and extended analyses requirements.



For particle size ≥ 1 um

Recommended for advanced analyses, particle height measurement*, and oil analyses

Meet your high-resolution particle analyses requirements with this fully automated microscope for fast and precise measurement of particle length, width, and height*.

ZEISS Axioscope 7



HARDWARE

ZEISS Technical Cleanliness Analysis





For particle size ≥ 50 µm Recommended for standard analyses according to VDA 19.1

Enable automation for your standard analysis. This microscope allows fully motorized axes of motion for automated imaging and height measurement (2020/21) in everyday operations.



Particle analysis software

for light microscopes

This easy-to-use software for standardscompliant cleanliness analyses enables the automated identification and classification of particles. Unlike conventional analysis methods, metallic shiny particles are detected with only one filter scan, which dramatically speeds up not only cleanliness reporting but also the identification of contamination sources. ZEISS Technical Cleanliness Analysis is part of ZEISS ZEN core, the software suite for connected microscopy, and can therefore be seamlessly integrated into extended analysis workflows. Regulatory requirements such as FDA21 CFR Part 11 can be fulfilled by the module GxP as optional part of the ZEN core TCA Software.

Electron

Microscopy Systems

ZEISS EVO

ZEISS Sigma 360



HARDWARE



C-SEM with EDS

Recommended for automated routine particle analyses

Utilize this SEM/EDS system for routine particle analyses applications. EVO is available with variable pressure (VP) to enable imaging and analysis of nonconductive samples, such as particle filter membranes.



FE-SEM with EDS

Recommended for highresolution particle analyses

ZEISS Sigma 360 is the SEM of choice for particle analyses in the nanometer scale range. The system provides outstanding imaging results and is very well suited to elemental analysis, particularly on magnetic samples.

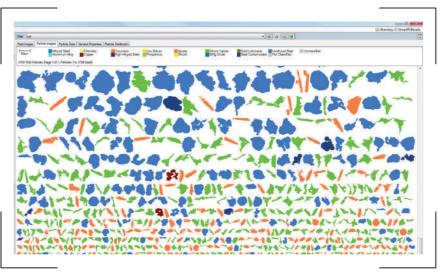
ZEISS Smart PI



SOFTWARE



SmartPI automates detection, analysis, and classification of particles, incorporating microscope control, image processing and elemental analysis within a single application. When used in correlative workflows, the software automatically retrieves critical particles previously identified under the light microscope, enabling rapid determination of chemical composition to identify the root cause of contamination quickly.



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