"American Ingenuity combined with Japanese Quality to provide superior production solutions"

Automotive Wheel Machining

Kira KN40Va Vertical CNC Production Center with Special Application Fixture

Key Features

 Ability to drill, spot-face and back spot-face valve stem hole.

PRODUCTION CHALLENGE:

 Drill, champher and contour bore (4) four, (5) five and (6) six hole lug patterns and drill, spot-face and back spot-face a family of aluminum wheels.



SOLUTION:

 Kira traveling column CNC production center equipped with a tilt / rotary table to provide

access to both sides of the valve stem hole and to (5) five accent holes around the perimeter of the wheel.





RESULTS:

 Kira's automated load and unload system feeds a variety of wheels through the Kira (5) five axis CNC platform continually in an unattended operation.









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MACHINE SPECIFICATIONS	KN40Va-500S	KN40Vb-500S	KN40Va-500S-2APC	KN40Vb-500S-2APC
TRAVEL				
X axis stroke	19.7" (500mm)	19.7" (500mm)	19.7" (500mm)	19.7" (500mm)
Y axis stroke	13.8" (350mm)	13.8" (350mm)	13.8" (350mm)	13.8" (350mm)
Z axis stroke	15.8" (400mm)	15.8" (400mm)	15.8" (400mm)	15.8" (400mm)
SPINDLE POWER				
Standard	6,000RPM-10HP	8,000RPM-10HP	6,000RPM-10HP	8,000RPM-10HP
Optional	10,000RPM-10HP	12,000RPM-15HP	10,000RPM-10HP	12,000RPM-15HP
TABLE / PALLET CHANGER	Fixed Table	Fixed Table	Each Pallet	Each Pallet
Working area	27.6"x15.8"	27.6"x15.8"	23.6"x13.8"	23.6"x13.8"
Pallet change time	n/a	n/a	3sec	3sec
Maximum table load capacity	1100 lbs.	1100 lbs.	220 lbs.	220 lbs.
Pallet Rotation	n/a	n/a	180°	180°
FEED RATE Rapid traverse				
X axis	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)
/ axis	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)
Z axis	1417 IPM (36,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)	1417 IPM (36,000mm)	1889 IPM (48,000mm)
Cutting feed rate				
< axis	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)
Y axis	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)
Z axis	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)	394 IPM (10,000mm)
Machine Dimensions				
ength x Height x Width	118.1x70.0x102.8	118.1x68.9x99.8	135.5x70.0x102.8	135.8x68.0x99.8
Veight	6,000 lbs.	6,000 lbs.	8,000 lbs.	8,000 lbs.
TOOL SHANK	·		·	·
Standard	CT40	CT40	CT40	CT40
FOOL CHANGER	•			
Number of tools	12	20	12	20
Tool selection	Random	Random	Random	Random
Tool change time (T-T)	1.6sec	1.2sec	1.6sec	1.2sec
Tool change time (C-C)	3.2sec	2.8sec	3.2sec	2.8sec
Maximum tool diameter	3.9" (100mm)	3.9" (100mm)	3.9" (100mm)	3.9" (100mm)
Maximum tool length	9.8" (250mm)	9.8" (250mm)	9.8" (250mm)	9.8" (250mm)

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Maximum tool weight

Positioning accuracy (X, Y & Z axis)	0.0002" (0.005mm)	0.0002" (0.005mm)	0.0002" (0.005mm)	0.0002" (0.005mm)
Positioning repeatability (X, Y & Z axis)	±0.0001" (0.003mm)	±0.0001" (0.003mm)	±0.0001" (0.003mm)	±0.0001" (0.003mm)

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