## Optical inner profile measurement for pipes and tubes

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## Summary

This paper summarizes a principle for measurement of inner diameter or profile of pipes and tubes using optical method. Based on this principle, a compact probe has been developed for industrial applications such as car industry, heavy industry and civil engineering. In addition to a large probe for pipes, tubes and tank-like objects with diameter larger than 100 meter, such a small size probe as 3

{}{}25 mm in diameter has been produced including prototypes and commercialized ones. Some experimental results are shown that with applications.