

A STUDY ON THE FOUR-SECTION PITCH MEASUREMENT METHOD ON THE DEVIATION OF CHARACTERISTIC PARAMETERS OF HERRINGBONE GEARS

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Abstract

To enhance measurement efficiency for herringbone gear deviations, this study leverages the fundamental principle of tooth surface generation through helical and involute line families to systematically establish a mathematical model of the tooth surface incorporating Herringbone Gear Characteristic Vertex-P (HGCVP-P) parametric deviations. Building upon this foundation, an innovative four-section tooth pitch method for HGCVP-P deviation measurement was proposed, and a corresponding measurement system was developed. First, select two cross-sections (within the evaluation range) on the upper gear for tooth pitch measurement, then apply the same method to measure two cross-sections on the lower gear; finally, transform the measured points into a two-dimensional coordinate system through coordinate transformation to calculate the HGCVP-P deviation. Experimental results demonstrate: Total HGCVP-P centring deviation $F_p = 0.0288$ and the mean HGCVP-P deviation $F_{ps} = -0.0243$, showing fundamental consistency with [19] results. The research findings elucidate the correlation between HGCVP-P deviations and the transmission stability of herringbone gears, providing critical insights for gear optimization design. Furthermore, the proposed HGCVP-P measurement protocol significantly enhances the inspection efficiency of herringbone gears, establishing a novel inspection methodology for advancing manufacturing precision.

Keywords: measurement efficiency, HGCVP-P, four-section tooth pitch method, measurement system, centring deviation.

1. Introduction

Herringbone gears compared to helical gears, exhibit significant performance advantages in systems due to their unique symmetrical meshing characteristics: their axial force self-balancing mechanism enables high load-bearing capacity, along with vibration suppression and enhanced transmission stability, making them indispensable in high-speed and heavy-duty applications such as turbofan engines of large commercial aircraft, main reducers in helicopters, and propulsion systems of large container ships and cruise liners [1-5]. However, due to the inherent errors in the manufacturing process and the dynamic deformation in service, the herringbone gear pair is prone to abnormal vibration and broadband noise problems, which directly threaten the operational safety and service reliability of the transmission system. With the development of high-end equipment in the direction of high power density and low vibration noise, more stringent requirements have been put forward for the tooth precision control and dynamic meshing performance of herringbone gears. In this context, realizing accurate prediction and control of gear sub manufacturing quality has become a key technical path to suppress transmission chain vibration noise and improve equipment reliability.

In recent years, international scholars have conducted systematic research on the mapping relationship between manufacturing errors and transmission performance of herringbone gears. Xu [6] presents an innovative method for predicting the wear of herringbone gears in the presence of alignment errors. It is shown that the misalignment significantly affects the wear

characteristics of the gears: on the overrunning contact side, the gear teeth exhibit higher contact temperature, greater wear depth and higher contact pressure. It is interesting to note that due to the alignment error, the wear of the gear teeth on both sides shows a significant asymmetric distribution. It is also found that the wear depth shows a decreasing trend with the increase of gear pair speed. More importantly, the change of wear depth dynamically affects the value of alignment error, which in turn changes the contact characteristics and load distribution pattern of the gear pair. Zhou [7] constructed a life model of herringbone gears considering the dual factors of centering and angular errors, and systematically investigated the coupled effects of the two types of errors on the crack-budding life of herringbone gears. The study revealed that these errors significantly shorten the crack initiation life of herringbone gears. Additionally, it was found that appropriate angular adjustments can effectively balance the load distribution between the left and right teeth of herringbone gears, thereby extending the gear's service life. Chen [8] employed theoretical analysis to delve into the nonlinear vibration response characteristics of herringbone gears under the influence of pitch errors and cumulative pitch errors. During the research, a dynamic model of herringbone gears was developed that incorporates axial deflection and gyroscopic effects. Solving the model demonstrated that under high-speed operating conditions, pitch errors significantly excite higher-order natural frequencies. Zhang [9] developed a comprehensive *transmission error* (TE) prediction model for herringbone gears by integrating multi-source error factors including tooth flank errors, pitch errors, and alignment errors. This model systematically reveals the coupled interaction mechanisms between these three types of errors and TE. Through comparative simulations under no-load and loaded operating conditions, the study provides an in-depth analysis of the mechanisms through which these errors influence transmission error. Based on the *loaded tooth contact analysis* (LTCA) model, Liu reveals the multi-source error coupling mechanism such as integrated meshing stiffness and integrated meshing error, and then constructs a herringbone gear dynamics model containing asymmetric tooth pitch characteristics by considering the multi-factor error excitation conditions, and finally reveals the influence mechanism of rotational speed, asymmetric meshing impact force, and other multi-conditions on the three-dimensional vibration response [10]. Wang Tengda [11] innovatively proposed a quasi-static analytical model for herringbone planetary gear trains based on slice theory. Through iterative solving of nonlinear differential equations, the study systematically reveals the displacement/angular dynamic response characteristics of planetary transmissions under coupled load-error conditions, and developed a semi-analytical transmission accuracy evaluation method. The research specifically clarifies the synergistic mechanism between pitch deviations and alignment errors in influencing transmission accuracy under loaded operating conditions. Li Dongliang [12] established an improved herringbone gear dynamic model incorporating misalignment angle parameters. Based on the ROMAX software platform, the study revealed the nonlinear coupling mechanism between misalignment angles and axial forces/dynamic performance in gear pairs. The research found that the influence of misalignment angles on axial forces exhibits periodic variations with pitch deviations. Furthermore, although misalignment angles induce axial forces, their rational selection can reduce fluctuations in the comprehensive meshing stiffness of herringbone gears, thereby stabilizing the dynamic meshing forces in star-type herringbone gear systems. Dong [13] considered the asymmetric error of the herringbone gear and proposed a 12-degree-of-freedom static analysis model to analyze the impact of asymmetric error on transmission error.

Li [14] analyzed the effects of different misalignment errors on the contact and axial vibration of herringbone gears and proposed a compensation method that utilizes the coupled effects of axial assembly errors and misalignment errors. The series of studies mentioned above reveals that manufacturing errors in herringbone gears exert a profound influence on the system's vibration characteristics and load distribution patterns.

In the specialized field of herringbone gear measurement, many scholars have devoted themselves to the research work. Through a large number of experiments, in-depth analysis, and the use of various types of advanced technology and theory, they have achieved a series of results with reference value. Kawasaki *et al.* [15] proposed an innovative manufacturing process for herringbone gears based on a universal *computer numerical control* (CNC) machining platform: firstly, the geometrical model of the tooth surface was constructed by a 3D *computer-aided design* (CAD) system, and then a *computer-aided manufacturing* (CAM) system-driven CNC machining center was used to realize precision forming. The finished herringbone gears were quantitatively inspected for key parameters such as tooth profile deviation, helix deviation, and surface roughness. Guo *et al.* [16] carried out precision inspection of the tooth-face helix of the herringbone gear by using a coordinate measuring machine, quantitatively analyzed the tooth-face symmetry deviation by means of the collected geometrical parameter data, and constructed an evaluation system for the transmission accuracy of the gear pair on the basis of the obtained measurement values. Liang Zhipeng's [17, 18] research team developed a multi-degree-of-freedom symmetry detection device and proposed a method to measure symmetry errors in herringbone gears and internal keyways of deep holes using this apparatus. They also established control strategies to optimize its effectiveness. Test results demonstrate that the proposed method can precisely control symmetry errors within 0.02 mm. The bilaterally independent measurement paradigm commonly adopted in existing studies has systematic limitations: by discretizing the herringbone gears into independent helical gear pairs for discrete detection, the spatial constraints formed by the cross-coupling of the tooth surfaces are not adequately taken into account. This simplification leads to the absence of characteristic parameters associated with the meshing phases of the gear teeth, highlighting the need for the overall linkage detection of herringbone gears. For this purpose, the authors characterized the characteristic parameters of herringbone gears and their deviations by using the mapping principle of tooth-face helix in the literature [19], and studied the evaluation algorithm of its circumferential deviation, and developed a modular measurement system based on VC++ platform using this algorithm. Subsequently, from the perspective of gear transmission performance, the authors' team used the mapping principle of tooth contact line to characterize its characteristic parameters and their deviations, and studied the axial deviation evaluation algorithm of its characteristic parameters, and wrote the measurement software to carry out the real test for theoretical verification [20]. However, although the above two measurement methods can meet the needs of laboratory environment and high-precision herringbone gear measurement, they have low measurement efficiency in practical applications, which makes it difficult to meet the needs of large-scale or time-sensitive herringbone gear inspection. For measuring herringbone gears that do not require high precision, traditional methods such as template inspection, manual measuring instruments, and even ordinary coordinate measuring machines [16, 21] are used, but these methods have limitations in terms of efficiency and accuracy. The measurement of herringbone gears with high precision requirements basically relies on various types of high-precision gear measuring centers imported from abroad, such as KLINGELNBERG (P100) and GLEASON (GMS 800). However, there are very few foreign publications on this topic, and they do not cover core technical content. Domestic research generally focuses on summarizing and sharing information on the use of instruments. Currently, research frameworks for herringbone gear measurement still exhibit significant deficiencies. Critical aspects such as measurement methods, precision control, measurement efficiency, and expansion of applicable scenarios require further exploration and refinement. Additionally, studies on the influence of herringbone gear characteristic parameter deviations on transmission systems remain insufficiently comprehensive and systematic, which urgently necessitating further in-depth investigation.

This paper based on the principle of tooth surface formed by helix and involute families, a mathematical model of tooth surface with characteristic parameters is established. Furthermore, an innovative measurement method-the four-section pitch method-is proposed to enhance the efficiency of herringbone gear inspection. Supporting measurement software is developed, and experimental tests are conducted to validate the approach.

2. Tooth face model with HGCV-P deviation

2.1. The concept of HGCV

As outlined in the AGMA 940-A09 [22]. technical specifications, the unique geometric configuration of herringbone gears is characterized by V-shaped symmetric distribution of bilateral tooth profiles, where the theoretical extensions of the left and right tooth flanks intersect in a spatial coordinate system to form a characteristic geometric vertex, as depicted in Fig. 1. This vertex, designated as P , is defined as the *Herringbone Gear Characteristic Vertex* (HGCV) - a core geometric parameter intrinsic to herringbone gears.

From a geometric metrology perspective, this characteristic parameter can be quantitatively characterized by the intersection properties of the helical lines (or contact lines) of the left and right tooth flanks within a two-dimensional coordinate system.

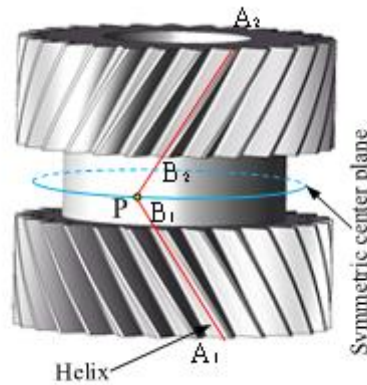


Fig. 1. Characterization of HGCV-P.

2.2. Tooth Flank Model Incorporating HGCV Deviations

When reconstructing the actual machined herringbone tooth face, the random angle error in the form of sinusoidal is introduced by considering the standard angle of the circumferential array of point coordinates on the standard tooth face. The mathematical model of the actual tooth face thus constructed needs to satisfy the following constraints:

$$\Delta\mu_j = \left[(j - 1) \cdot \frac{2\pi}{Z_0} + \xi_j \right] \quad (j = 1, 2, 3 \dots Z_0), \quad (1)$$

where Z_0 is the number of teeth. ξ_j is the random angle error in the form of sinusoidal.

According to the constraints- (1), the constraints are introduced into the standard equations according to the modeling method of the standard herringbone gear tooth model formed by the helix family and the involute family In the gear coordinate system as shown in Fig. 2, its right tooth mathematical model after considering the HGCV deviation can be expressed as follows:

$$S_R(\delta, \gamma) = \begin{bmatrix} x(\delta, \gamma) \\ y(\delta, \gamma) \\ z(\delta, \gamma) \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} r_b(\cos \delta + \delta \sin \delta) \cos(\gamma + \Delta\mu_j) - r_b(\sin \delta - \delta \cos \delta) \sin(\gamma + \Delta\mu_j) \\ r_b(\cos \delta + \delta \sin \delta) \sin(\gamma + \Delta\mu_j) - r_b(\sin \delta - \delta \cos \delta) \cos(\gamma + \Delta\mu_j) \\ P_H \gamma \end{bmatrix},$$

where δ and γ are the tooth parameters. P_H is the helix parameter. r_b is the base radius.

Based on the cogging transformation matrix H [17], the left cogging equation- (3) can be derived by derivation:

$$S_L(\delta, \gamma) = H \cdot S_R(\delta, \gamma). \quad (3)$$

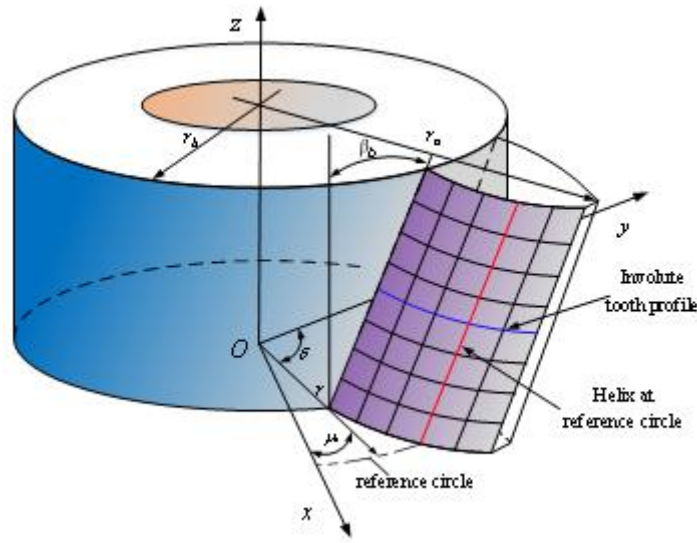


Fig. 2. Tooth flank formed by the family of helical lines and involutes.

2.3. Effect of HGCV-P deviation on its meshing characteristics

The specific parameters of the pinion is detailed in Table 1. The number of teeth of the large gear that fits the pinion is 106, and the other parameters are the same as those of the pinion. Establish a three-dimensional mathematical model. In this study, a sinusoidal excitation function is employed to simulate the stochastic deviation characteristics of HGCV, as shown in Fig. 3.

Table 1. Parameters of the investigated herringbone gear.

Parameters	Numerical value
normal modulus m_n [mm]	2.5
tooth number Z_0	27
normal pressure angle α_n [°]	22.5
helix angle β [°]	30
tooth width B [mm]	30
over-travel slot width W [mm]	20
coefficient of variation	0.2

The transient dynamics analytical model is established using the finite element method, and after calculations can be obtained, the axial dynamic movement characteristic evolution of the gear pair is shown in Fig. 4.

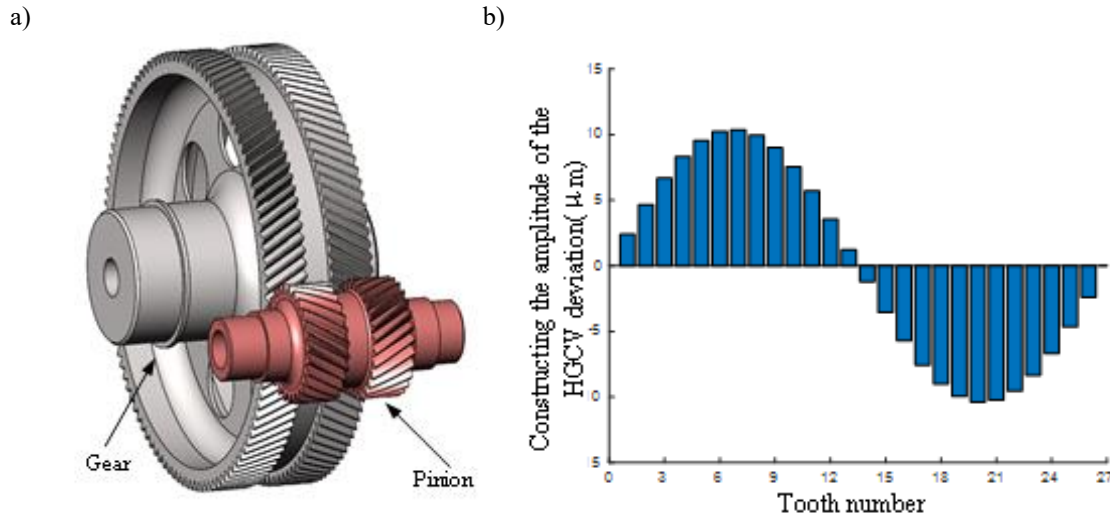


Fig. 3. Herringbone gear pair 3D model: a) 3D model, b) constructed HGCV deviations.

From Fig. 4, it can be seen that the axial movement of the herringbone gear pair shows a significant quasi-periodic fluctuation pattern during the meshing phase turnover. Simulation results show that the presence of different P-point deviations in the herringbone gear will directly affect the axial movement of the gear train after loading. Therefore, it is necessary to improve the machining accuracy of the herringbone gear to reduce this error.

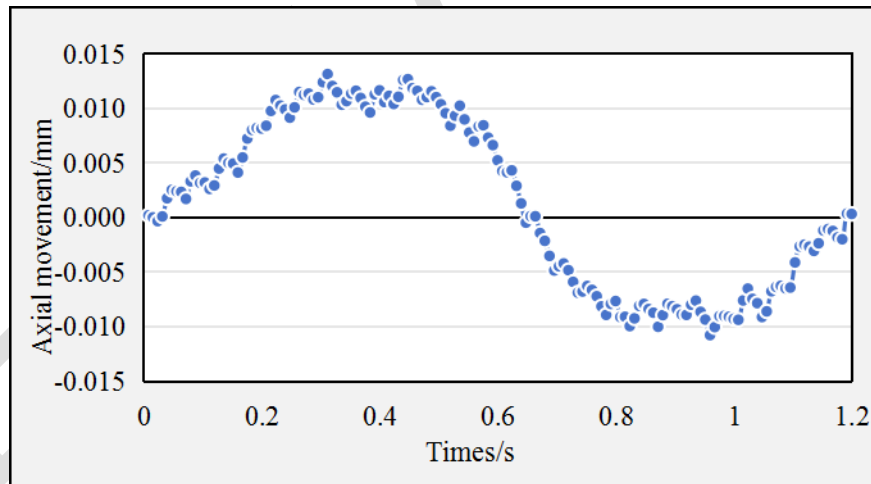


Fig. 4. Axial movement at *P*-point deviation for finite element analysis simulation.

3. Principles for evaluating HGCV deviations

3.1. Coordinate conversion

The herringbone gear tooth flank characteristic line is defined by extremely complex three-dimensional parametric equations, a characteristic that reveals significant limitations when carrying out evaluation work for herringbone gears. In view of this, this paper proposes a strategy to transform the tooth surface in three-dimensional space to a two-dimensional plane

by applying the basic principle of involute helix formation. The specific implementation process is to unfold the cylindrical surface of the tooth in the three-dimensional coordinate system, so that it is presented in the two-dimensional plane, and then through the precise coordinate transformation operation, the characteristics of the tooth surface are realized in the two-dimensional coordinate plane of the intuitive expression. The transformation formula is as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_p \\ Y_p \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r\gamma \\ z_0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad (4)$$

3.2. Calculation of HGCV-P coordinates by the four-section tooth pitch method

As shown in Fig. 5, four sections were selected in the axial direction of the herringbone gear to measure the pitch, among which the I and II sections were on one gear, and the III and IV sections were on the other gear. To minimize the impact of tooth profile modification on the measurement deviation of HGCV-P, the distance b between two cross-sections on one side of the herringbone gear teeth, as shown in Fig. 3, is determined by the tooth profile modification amount and is typically selected as $b = 0.2B - 0.8B$. To ensure measurement stability and reduce the influence of tooth profile modification, this paper first selects $b = 0.6B$. Four sets of data could be measured on the corresponding flanks $A_{1j}(x_{A1j}, y_{A1j})$, $B_{1j}(x_{B1j}, y_{B1j})$, $A_{2j}(x_{A2j}, y_{A2j})$, $B_{2j}(x_{B2j}, y_{B2j})$, j represented the tooth number, x was the arc length coordinate at the reference circle, and y was the axial coordinate of the corresponding section. Equation (5) can be obtained from point $A_{1j}(x_{A1j}, y_{A1j})$ and point $B_{1j}(x_{B1j}, y_{B1j})$. Equation (6) can be obtained from the same reason point $A_{2j}(x_{A2j}, y_{A2j})$ and point $B_{2j}(x_{B2j}, y_{B2j})$:

$$(y_{B1j} - y_{A1j})X_j - (x_{B1j} - x_{A1j})Y_j - (x_{A1j}y_{B1j} - x_{B1j}y_{A1j}) = 0, \quad (5)$$

$$(y_{B2j} - y_{A2j})X_j - (x_{B2j} - x_{A2j})Y_j - (x_{A2j}y_{B2j} - x_{B2j}y_{A2j}) = 0. \quad (6)$$

Similarly, by solving (5) and (6), the HGCV-P $P_j(X_j, Y_j)$ of tooth j was obtained, as in (7).

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_j \\ Y_j \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{(x_{B1j} - x_{A1j})(x_{A2j}y_{B2j} - x_{B2j}y_{A2j}) - (x_{B2j} - x_{A2j})(x_{A1j}y_{B1j} - x_{B1j}y_{A1j})}{-(y_{B1j} - y_{A1j})(x_{B2j} - x_{A2j}) + (y_{B2j} - y_{A2j})(x_{B1j} - x_{A1j})} \\ \frac{-(y_{B2j} - y_{A2j})(x_{A1j}y_{B1j} - x_{B1j}y_{A1j}) + (y_{B1j} - y_{A1j})(x_{A2j}y_{B2j} - x_{B2j}y_{A2j})}{-(y_{B1j} - y_{A1j})(x_{B2j} - x_{A2j}) + (y_{B2j} - y_{A2j})(x_{B1j} - x_{A1j})} \end{bmatrix}. \quad (7)$$

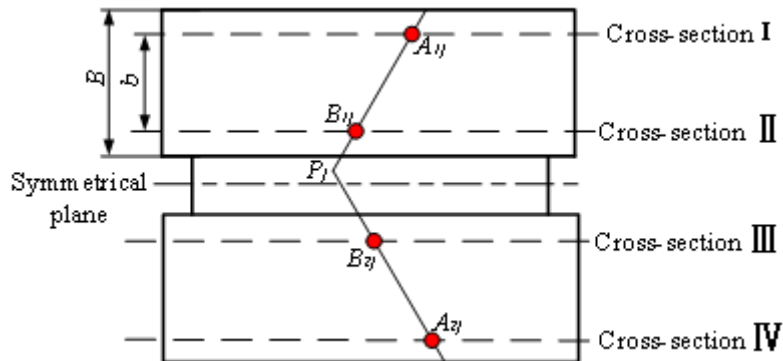


Fig. 5. Four-section position.

3.3. HGCV-P deviation assessment

(1) Individual HGCV-P centering deviation f_{pj} - denotes the perpendicular distance of the p -point with respect to the plane of symmetry, and the sign is specified as positive when the p -point is close to the left-handed tooth, and negative when the opposite is true, as in Fig. 6.

(2) Difference between neighboring P points:

$$f_{pu} = \max |f_{pj+1} - f_{pj}|. \quad (8)$$

(3) HGCV-P total centering deviation F_p - maximum minus the minimum of the single HGCV-P centering deviation:

$$F_p = \max f_{pj} - \min f_{pj}. \quad (9)$$

(4) Mean deviation of HGCV-P F_{pS} :

$$F_{pS} = \frac{f_{pj} + f_{pj+1} + f_{pj+2} + \dots + f_{pZ_0}}{Z_0}. \quad (10)$$

4. Measuring of HGCV-P deviations

4.1. Measuring instruments and environment

The analysis in Section 1 reveals that there is a significant time-varying correlation between the morphological characteristics of the HGCV-P deviation and the service performance of the system, according to which it is necessary to establish the mapping control criterion between the manufacturing accuracy and the service performance. For the multi-dimensional evaluation model of HGCV deviation constructed in Section 3, this section adopts the GMC650 gear measurement center platform, as shown in Fig. 7, to carry out experimental validation on the herringbone gear in Table 1.

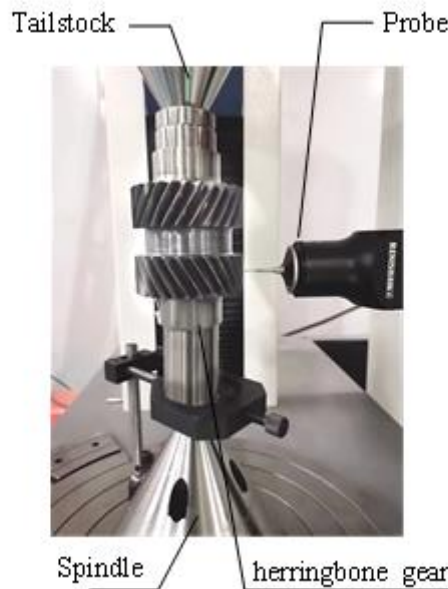


Fig. 7. GMC650 and pinion gear under test.

GMC650 gear measurement center deployed in a constant temperature ultra-clean experimental environment, its precision measurement system consists of five core modules: 1)

measurement system integrates a high-precision rotary table and aerostatic guideway, the use of high-precision encoder grating encoder to form a closed-loop feedback system, to achieve the four-axis (X/Y/Z and the spindle) linkage of coordinate measurements; 2) probe system configurations Renishaw SP600Q three-dimensional scanning probe; 3) control system equipped with self-developed SoC motion controller, integrated all-digital servo drive unit; 4) computer system to build a distributed data acquisition architecture; 5) software system by the 3.2 algorithm based on the VC++ development environment for the development of software systems developed independently. The overall design structure of the software has the following: human-computer interaction interface (input of basic parameters of herringbone gears), determination of measurement benchmarks, measurement methods (four-section tooth pitch method: including measurement parameters, measurement motion control, sampling and data processing, *etc.*). The experimental environment implements precise environmental control: the temperature fluctuation is controlled at $20 \pm 1^\circ\text{C}$, and the vibration suppression system meets the vibration isolation requirements of isolation frequency $\leq 10\text{Hz}$ and amplitude $\leq 2\mu\text{m}$. The geometric accuracy guarantee system of the equipment includes: the coaxiality error of the top center $\delta \leq 3\mu\text{m}$, and the radial runout tolerance of the bottom center $\pm 2\mu\text{m}$. The module of the gear being tested is: $0.5 \sim 25$; The maximum outer diameter of the gear being tested is $\Phi 650\text{ mm}$; The vertical measuring range of the probe is $0\text{--}800\text{ mm}$; The resolution of the probe is $0.1\text{ }\mu\text{m}$; The maximum weight of the workpiece that can be measured is 500 kg .

4.2. Measurement procedure

Measurement flow chart for herringbone gears, as shown in Fig. 8. The detailed steps for measuring herringbone gears are as follows:

1) Zero calibration. This part of the selection of ISO [23] standard mandrel or standard ball for the whole zero calibration.

2) Installation of the herringbone gear. The measured herringbone gear is precisely mounted between the upper/lower datum centers of the GMC650 rotary table. In order to eliminate the influence of the spindle rotary error, the measurement of the use of the drive shown in Fig. 7 to fix it.

3) Measurement parameter configuration. The basic geometric parameters of the herringbone gear (as shown in Table 1) and the measurement engineering parameters (effective diameter of the probe $\phi 1.5\text{ mm}$, positional range of the measurement point of the four-section method and other key indexes) are set in the human-machine interface of the software.

4) Coordinate zero point. Based on the center of symmetry of the herringbone gear to establish the zero point of the Z-axis, the probe scans the involute tooth profile on both sides of the tooth groove, determines the value of the angle corresponding to the position of the middle of the tooth groove, and establishes this value as the zero point of the main axis.

5) Measurement is performed using the four-section tooth pitch method. According to the installation position of the herringbone gear, and based on the measuring principle of HGCV-P deviation in section 3.2, measure the tooth pitch at section 1, section 2, section 3 and section 4 in turn, and save the measured data after completing the data acquisition of all sections.

6) Expand the three-dimensional measured data points to the two-dimensional plane using 3.1 coordinate transformation, calculate the coordinates of the P -point position according to (7), and utilize the 3.2 method for the calculation of the various deviations of the HGCV-P.

7) Dismantle the measured herringbone gear in accordance with the standard, and place it in a dry and ventilated environment for encapsulation and storage after cleaning and lubrication maintenance.

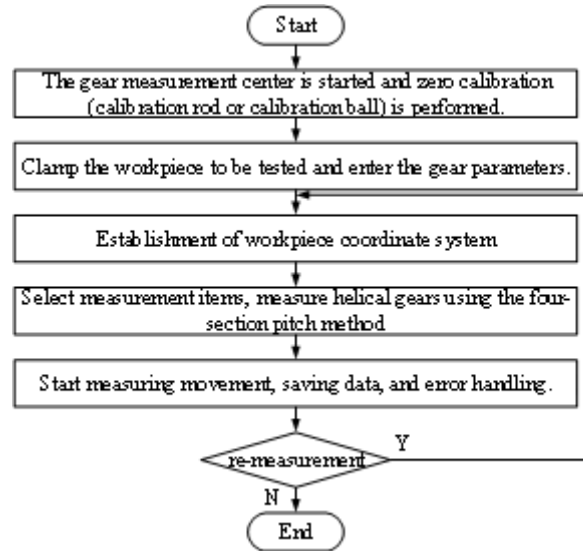


Fig. 8. Measurement flow chart for herringbone gears.

4.3. Four-section pitch method measurement results and analysis

The herringbone gear is measured on GMC650 using the four-section pitch method of this paper, and the results are shown in Fig. 9.

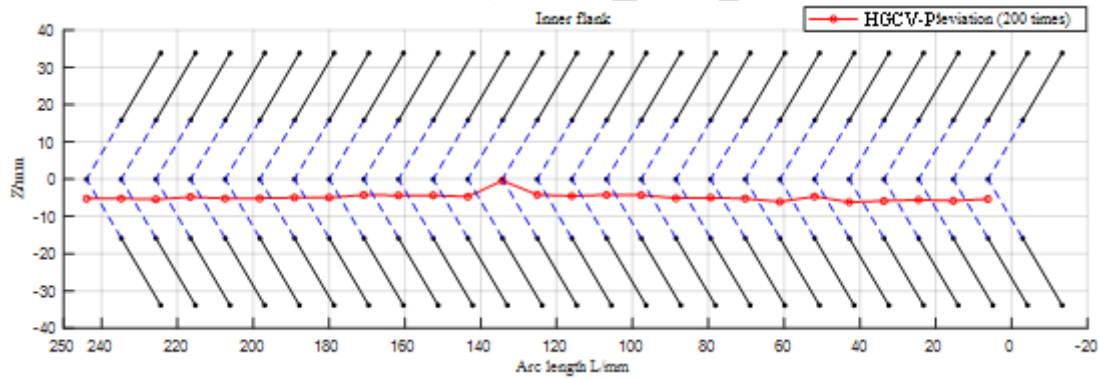


Fig. 9. Measurement results of the four-section tooth pitch method.

Using the four-section pitch method described in section 3.2 and taking the axial distance b between the two sections to be 18 mm, the P -point deviation curve for the Herringbone gear was as shown in Fig. 10.

From Fig. 10, the range of the individual HGCv-P centering deviation f_{pj} was -0.0309 to -0.0020 mm, HGCv-P total centering deviation $F_p = 0.0288$ mm and the difference between neighboring P points $f_{pu} = 0.0215$ mm. The mean deviation of HGCv-P : $F_{ps} = -0.0243$ mm. By the full helix measurement method [19], the f_{pj} , F_p and f_{pu} obtained by this method are greater than those by the full helix method. The mean deviation of HGCv-P obtained by both methods are essentially the same.

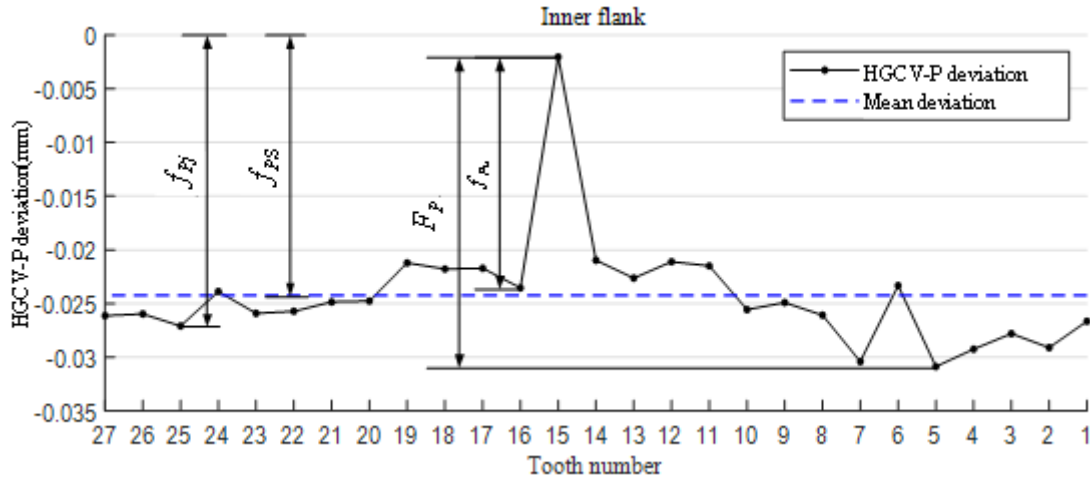


Fig. 10. HGCV-P deviation.

The reason for the different data stability of the two measurement methods was that the straight-line obtained with the full helix method were the least square midlines of the helices, which had the average effect of multi-point data, while the straight-line obtained with the four-section pitch method were connected by two points, for which the measurement error affected the uncertainty of the straight-line equation and then affected the coordinate data of the intersection point. In addition, in the four-section pitch method, the axial distance b between the two sections also affected the data stability of the centering deviation; so, a larger b value had to be used. Although the full helix method is in accord with the definition of centering deviation, it is inefficient to measure all helices tooth by tooth. However, the four-section pitch method is a highly efficient centering deviation measurement scheme suitable for day-to-day production.

5. Conclusions

1) Based on the principle of constructing tooth flanks by helical and involute families, a mathematical model of tooth flanks containing HGCV-P deviation is established. The model provides a theoretical basis for an in-depth study of the measurement and system dynamic characteristics of herringbone gears.

2) An innovative method for the evaluation of HGCV-P deviation, the four-section tooth pitch method, is proposed. This method measures the tooth pitch of the four cross sections of the herringbone gear, maps the spatial three-dimensional measurement points to the two-dimensional parameter plane by utilizing the principle of coordinate transformation, and then deduces the calculation method of HGCV-P deviation.

3) Based on the VC++ platform combined with the evaluation principle of the four-section tooth pitch method, the HGCV deviation measurement system was developed, integrated in the GMC650 measuring machine and carried out measurement experiments. The measured results show that the total centering deviation of HGCV-P $F_p = 0.0288$ and the mean deviation of HGCV-P $F_{ps} = -0.0243$.

This method greatly shortens the single-piece measurement cycle of human gears and provides a new method for batch inspection of high-precision gears.

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