

SUCCESS STORY

Mechanical Refurbishment of Herkules Roll Grinder and Naxos Roll Grinder – Posco Thainox - Thailand

Machine Details

OEM: 2 Herkules grinder for work rolls (ZRG3 + ZRG3)

Year of Installation: 1996

Model: WS 180

Control System: Original OEM

Bed length: 3500 mm Max. Roll length: 3000 mm Max. Roll diameter: 200 mm Max. Roll weight: 5 to.

OEM: 1 Herkules grinder for backup rolls (SRG1)

Year of Installation: 1998

Model: WS 450

Control System: Original OEM

Bed length: 1200 mm Max. Roll length: 10000 mm Max. Roll diameter: 1000 mm Max. Roll weight: 60 to.

Description of Project 60480:

Posco Thainox planned to refurbish 2 small Herkules table roll grinders and a big roll grinder for grinding the backup rolls. The original OEM grinder control system was still running but the mechanical condition especially the machine bed alignment was insufficient.

Condition before job:



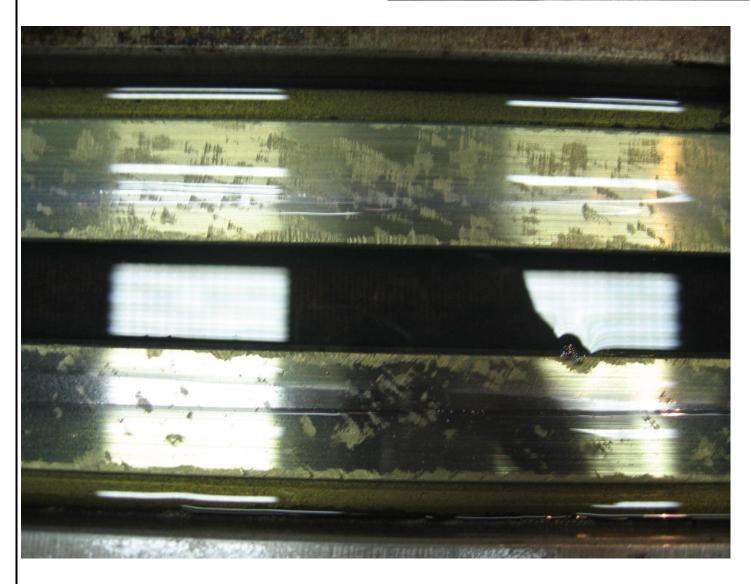




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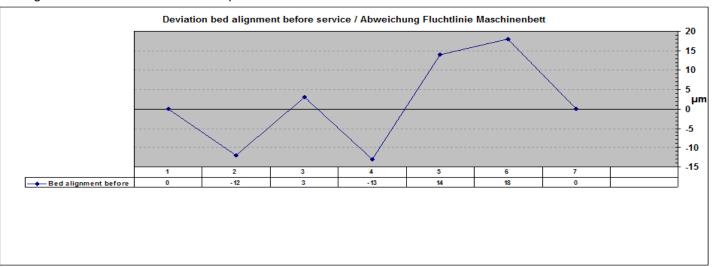
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Machine bed measuring report before service:

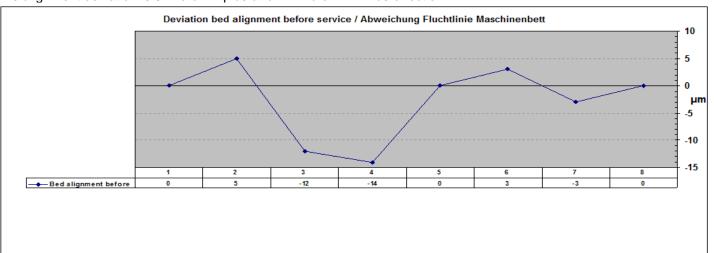
ZRG3:

The alignment deviation is 10 micron in plus and 13 micron in minus direction.



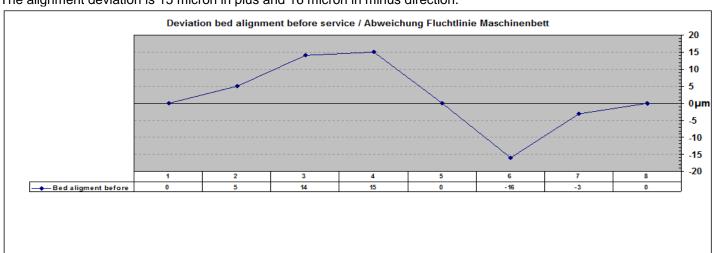
ZRG4:

The alignment deviation is 5 micron in plus and 14 micron in minus direction.



SRG1:

The alignment deviation is 15 micron in plus and 16 micron in minus direction.







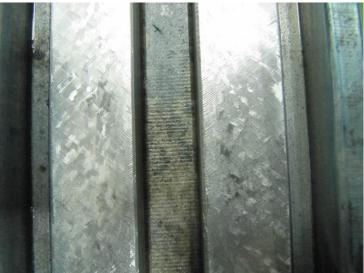
Scope of Supply:

- Leveling and alignment of Z-axis guide-ways.
- Renovation of Z and X-axis guide-ways by scraping.
- Mechanical inspection and preventive maintenance of all major components.
- Checking and repair the head stock to remove the vibration if it is necessary and the time is sufficient.

Condition after finished job:









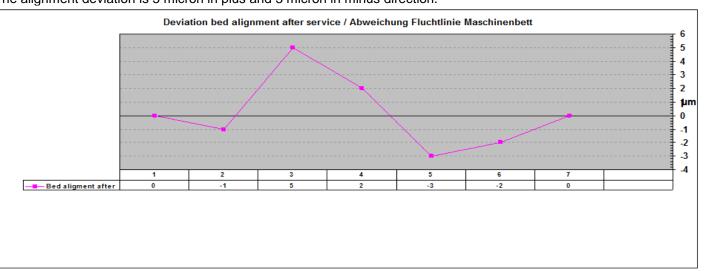




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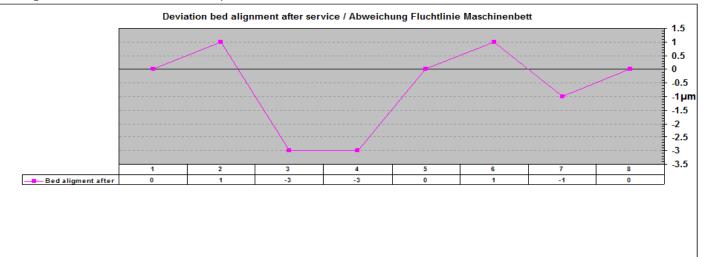
ZRG3:

The alignment deviation is 5 micron in plus and 3 micron in minus direction.



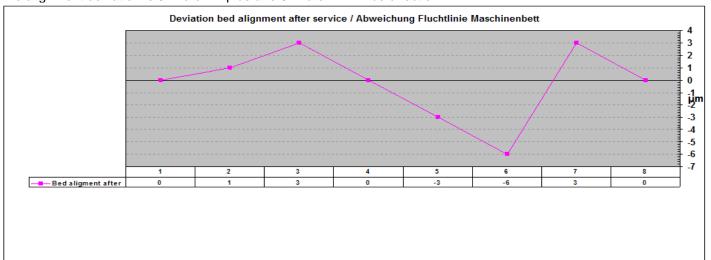
ZRG4:

The alignment deviation is 1 micron in plus and 3 micron in minus direction.

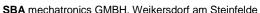


SRG1:

The alignment deviation is 3 micron in plus and 6 micron in minus direction.









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Conclusions:
Posco Thainox was very satisfied with the result. In year 2012 the customer ordered again 4 refurbishment services (60327) for the others 3 Herkules grinders (ZRG1, ZRG2, SRG2) and 1 Naxos Union grinder (SRG3). All mechanical grinding
machines service was done successfully.