KINARM insight in motion

interactive robotics for basic and clinical research on sensory, motor and cognitive function Kinarm.com

Kinarm experiments

For basic researchers, a Kinarm Lab provides the most flexible robotic platform for undertaking sensory, motor and cognitive research to study:

- Goal-directed motor actions
- Motor learning and feedback processing through the application of mechanical loads or manipulation of the visual environment
- Proprioceptive and cognitive processes
- Two interactive robotic platforms that can grow with your research program
- ✓ 2-dimensional paradigm balancing complexity and simplicity
- ✓ Integrated VR for natural visual and proprioceptive coupling
- ✓ Optional integrated gaze-tracking
- As a MathWorks Partnered product, rapidly implement your protocol with minimal programming experience

Create your behavioural paradigm flexibly and safely





Kinarm End-Point Lab™



Kinarm Exoskeleton Lab™

By permission: Nature Review Neurosci (Scott, 2004 Jul;5(7):532-46)



Kinarm measures

For clinical researchers, Kinarm Standard Tests[™] provides a precise, quantitative profile of the underlying neurological impairments associated with any disease or injury.

- Broad-based brain function assessment in under an hour
- Sensory, motor and cognitive functions – all on one platform
- Instant analysis backed by large normative datasets
- Measure of meaningful change
- Continuous scales offering high resolution, and no floor and ceiling effects
- Supports patient impairment phenotyping to improve subject selection
- Ability to measure and discriminate subtle, but statistically significant changes in performance

The sensitivity you need to evaluate new therapies for brain injury and disease.



Kinarm Standard Tests™				
Behavioural Task	Brain Function	Time		
Arm Position Matching	Somatosensory processing for perception	2 min/ arm		
	Position-sense			
Elbow Stretch Test	 Assess presence of spasticity and high tone 	5 min/ arm		
Visually Guided Reaching	Motor coordination	2 min/ arm		
	Visuomotor skills			
	Postural control of arm			
Ball on Bar	Bi-manual coordination	3 min		
	Visuomotor skills			
Object Hit	Rapid visuomotor skills	2.5 min		
	Bi-manual motor planning			
	Spatial attention			
Object Hit & Avoid	Rapid motor decisions	2.5 min		
	Bi-manual motor planning			
	Spatial attention			
	 Executive function: attention and inhibitory control 			
Reverse Visually Guided Reaching	Visuomotor skills	3 min/ arm		
	Cognitive ability to override automatic motor responses			
Spatial Span	Visuospatial working memory	4 min		
Trails A&B	Executive function: task switching 4 min			

Kinarm collaborates

Kinarm labs are already being used by clinical researchers in over two dozen indications. Kinarm provides tools to assist with multi-site, multi-protocol, multi-user collaboration and clinical trials.



Kinarm trains

Training tasks, targeted at sensory motor deficits identified by Kinarm, are in development by University of Calgary & Queen's University.

	Kinarm Platforms				
	End-Point	Exoskeleton	NHP Exoskeleton		
Subject Type	Human or NHP	Human	NHP		
Robot Type	Hand-held/ End-effector	Exoskeleton	Exoskeleton		
Uni/ Bimanual	Uni or Bimanual	Uni or Bimanual	Uni or Bimanual		
Peak Torque/ Force	58 N	16.5 Nm (5.5 Nm cont.)	4 Nm at shoulder 3 Nm at elbow		
Position Resolution	0.0006 deg (~3 microns)	0.0006 deg (~4 microns at hand)	0.0006 deg (~3 microns)		
Planar Stiffness	~40,000 N/m	16,400 N/m end-point in-plane mechanical	19,500 N/m		
End-Point Force/ Torque Sensor	Optional	Not Available	Not Available		
Control System	Dexterit-E w optional KST	Dexterit-E w optional KST	Dexterit-E		
Display Type	Vertical Display or Fixed or Variable Height Virtual Reality	Fixed Height Virtual Reality	Fixed Height Virtual Reality		
Gaze- Tracking	Optional	Optional	Not Available		

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