

Profile Tolerance Calculation

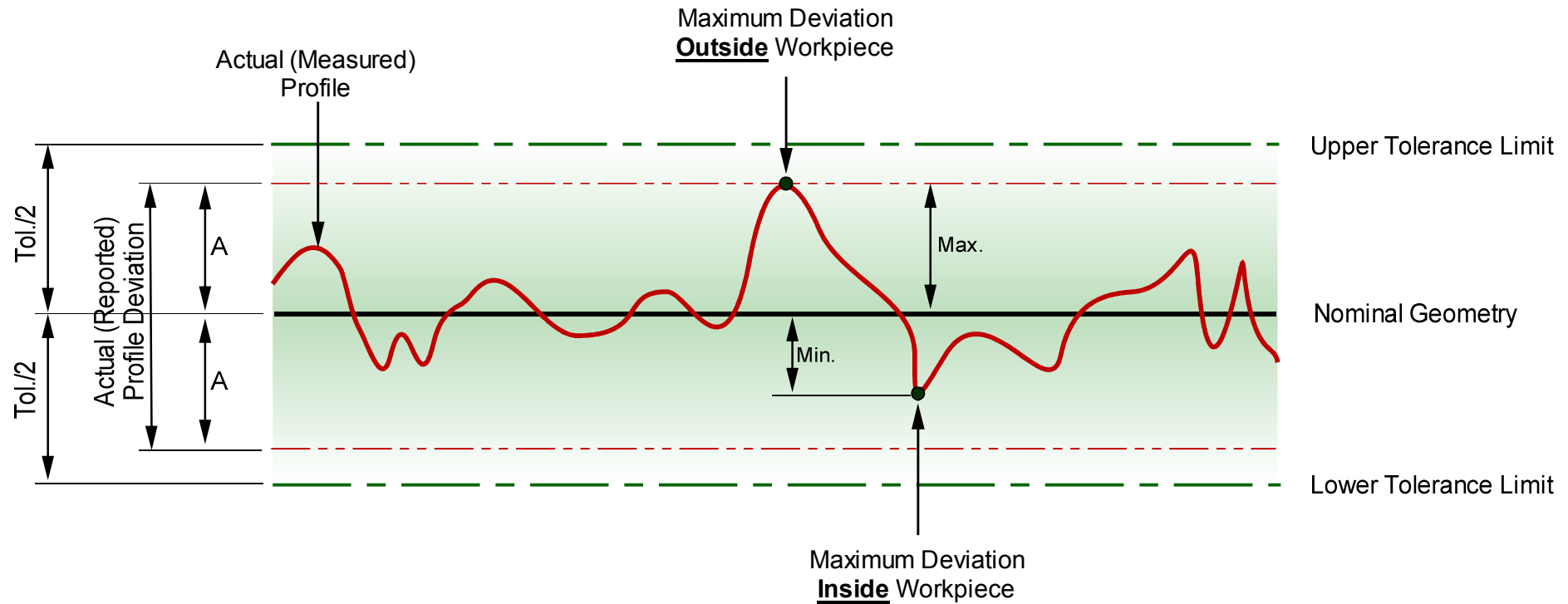
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Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Equally-Distributed)**



1. Find the largest deviation **OUTSIDE** workpiece (Max).
2. Find the largest deviation **INSIDE** workpiece (Min).
3. **A** = Largest **ABSOLUTE** value of either Max, or Min.
4. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **2xA**

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Equally-Distributed)**

Sigma	Form	Points
0.0031	0.0641	486
Min	Point no	Point no
0.0185	185	251
		Max
		0.0456

Actual: 0.0912



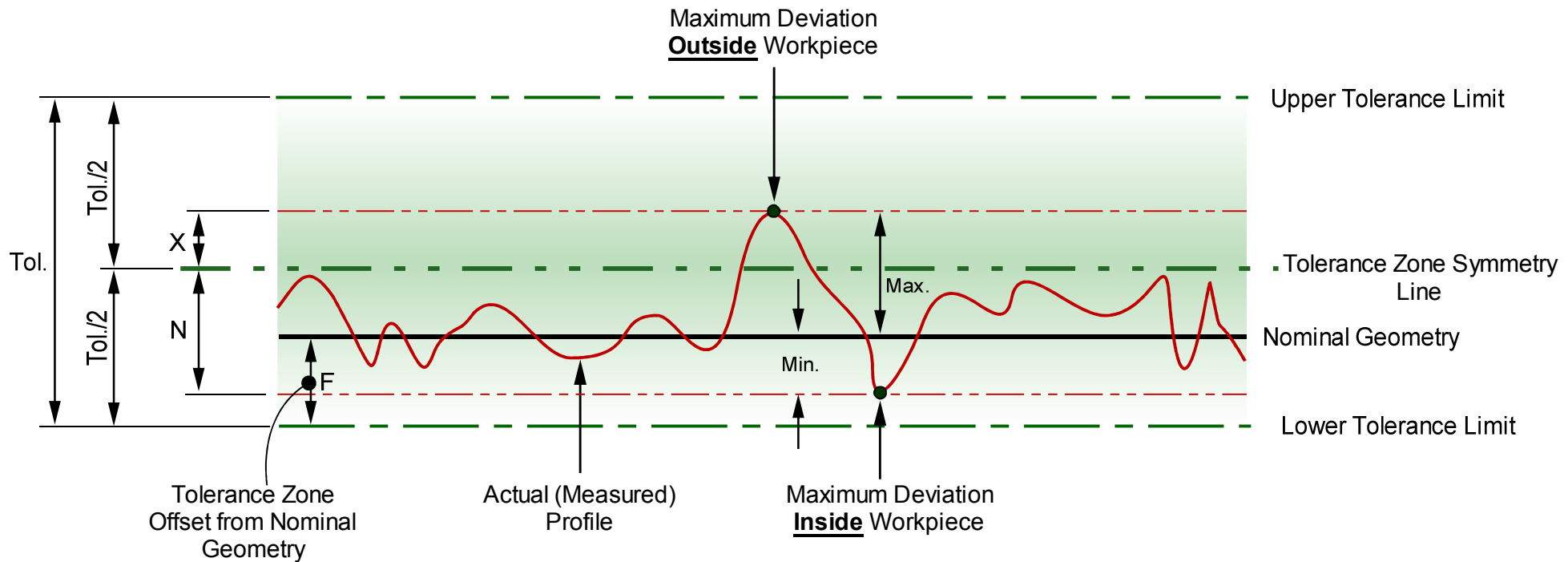
Max = 0.0456
Min = -0.0185

A = 0.0456
Actual. Profile Deviation = $2 \times A = 0.0912$

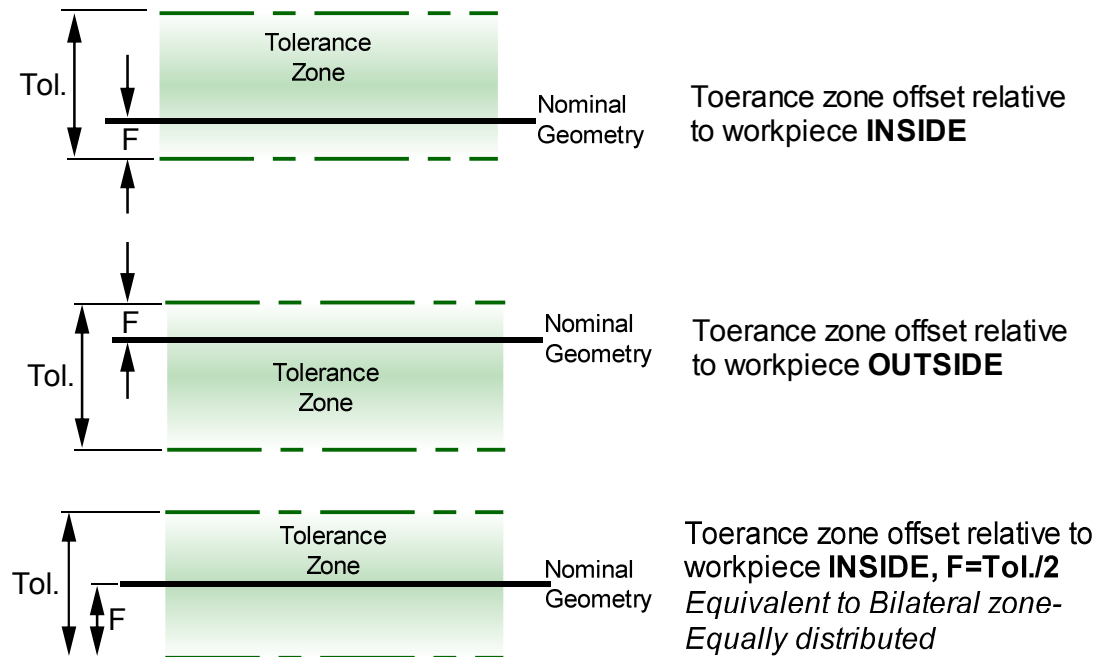
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3. **A** = Largest **ABSOLUTE** value of either Max, or Min.
4. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = $2 \times A$

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Unequally-Distributed)**

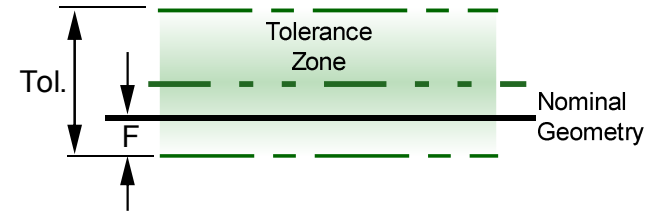
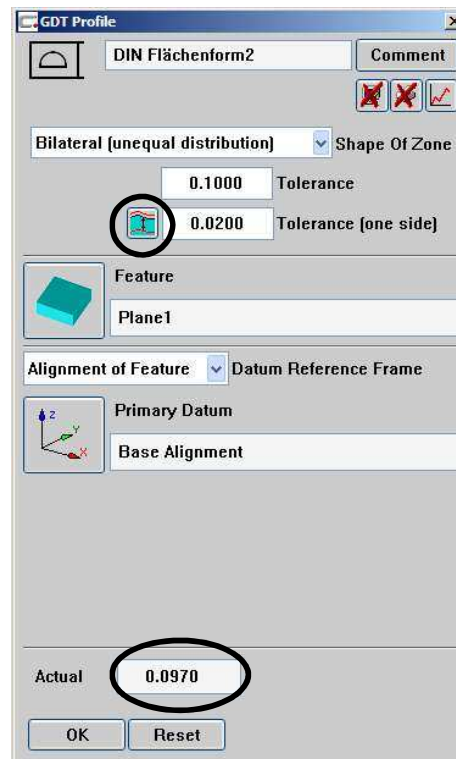
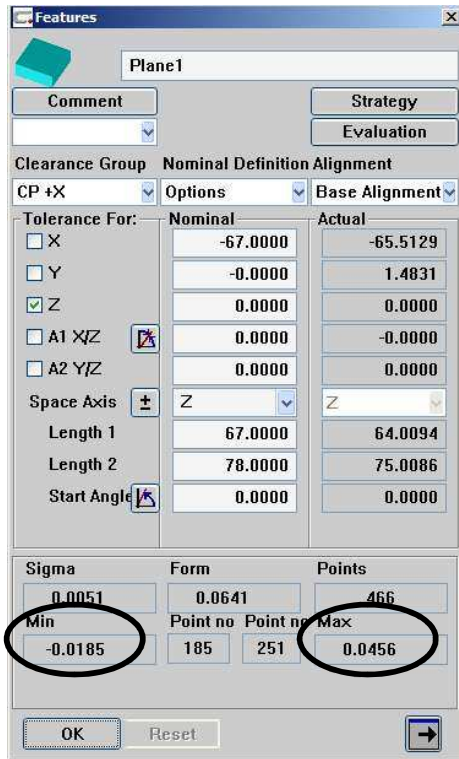


1. Construct the **symmetry line** for the tolerance zone.
2. Find the largest deviation **OUTSIDE** workpiece (Max).
3. Find the largest deviation **INSIDE** workpiece (Min).
4. **X** = Distance between **Max** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
5. **N** = Distance between **Min** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
6. **A** = Largest value of either **X**, or **N**.
7. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **2xA**



Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Unequally-Distributed)**



Max = 0.0456
 Min = -0.0185
 Tol = 0.1
 F = 0.02 to workpiece **INSIDE**

$$\text{Tol. Zone Symmetry Line Location} = \text{Tol./2} - F = 0.05 - 0.02 = 0.03$$

$$X = 0.0456 - 0.0300 = 0.0156$$

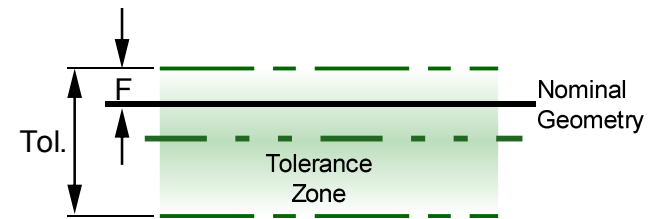
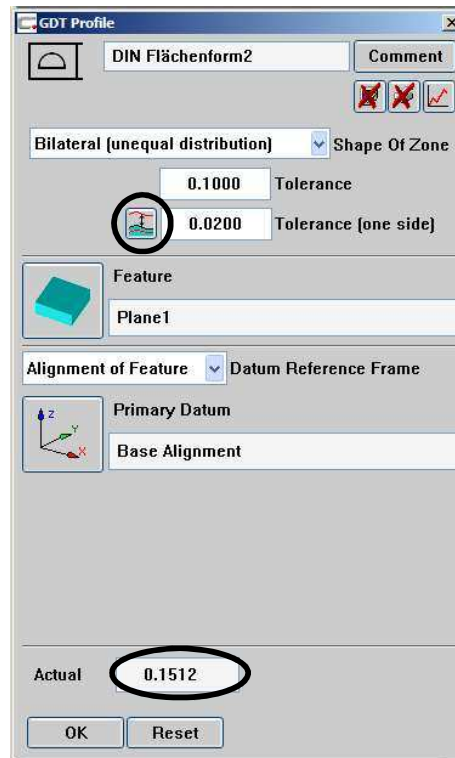
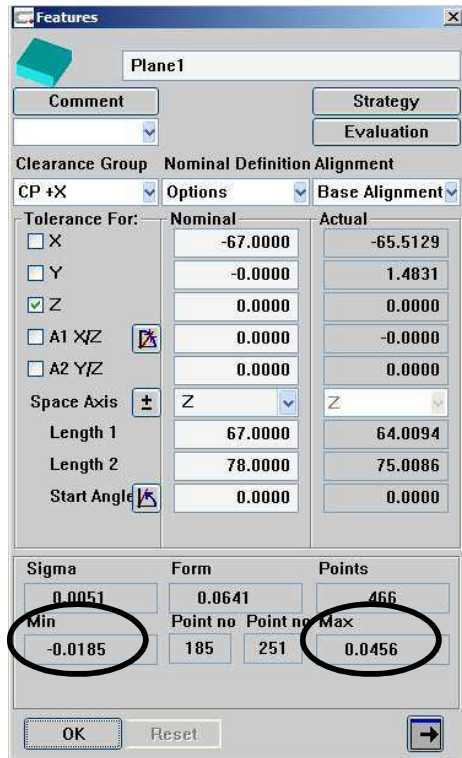
$$N = 0.0185 + 0.0300 = \underline{\underline{0.0485}}$$

$$A = 0.0485$$

$$\text{Actual. Profile Deviation} = 2xA = 0.0970$$

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Unequally-Distributed)**



$$\text{Max} = 0.0456$$

$$\text{Min} = -0.0185$$

$$\text{Tol} = 0.1$$

$$F = 0.02 \text{ to workpiece } \mathbf{OUTSIDE}$$

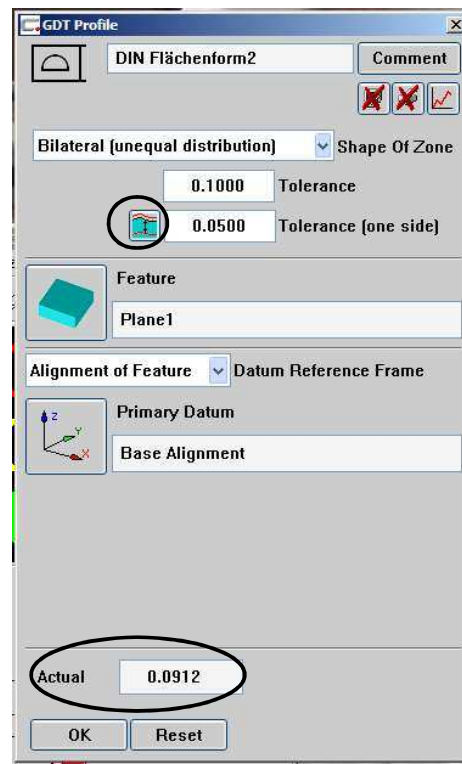
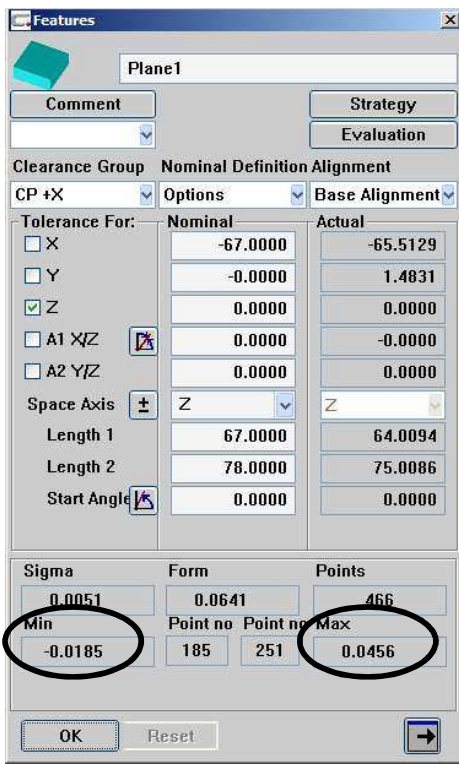
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tol. Zone Symmetry Line Location} &= F - \text{Tol./2} \\ &= 0.02 - 0.05 = -0.03 \end{aligned}$$

$$X = 0.0456 + 0.0300 = \mathbf{0.0756}$$

$$N = 0.0300 - 0.0185 = 0.0215$$

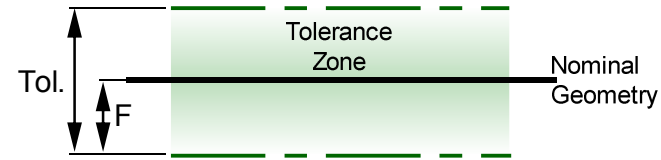
$$A = 0.0756$$

$$\text{Actual. Profile Deviation} = 2xA = 0.1512$$



Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: **Bilateral (Unequally-Distributed)**



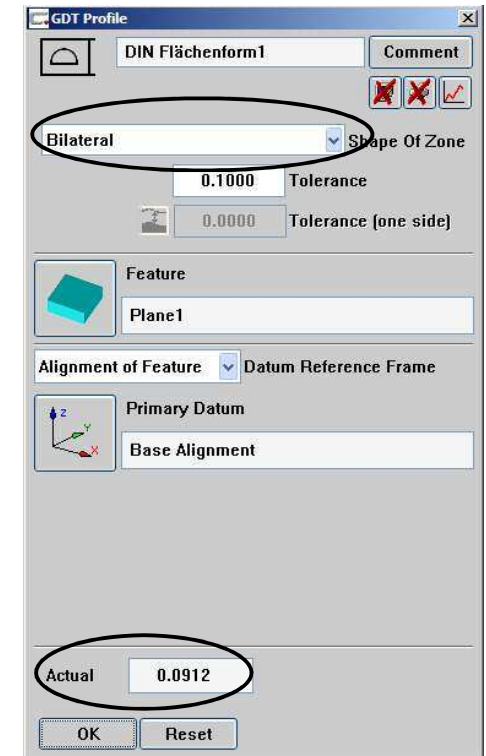
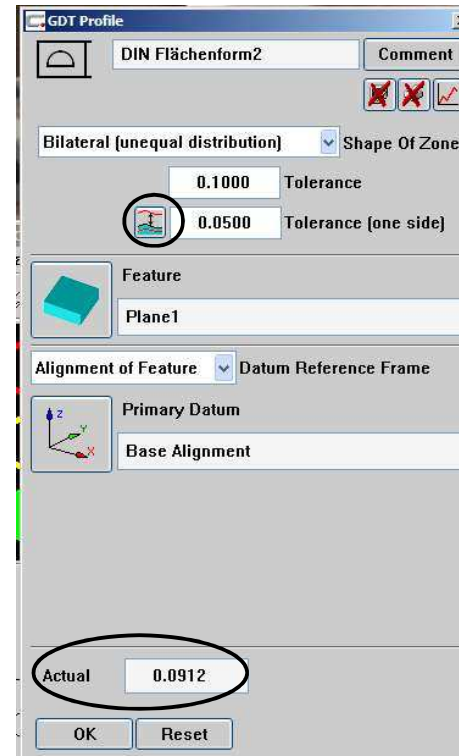
Max = 0.0456
 Min = -0.0185
 Tol = 0.1
 F = 0.05

When $F = Tol/2$, the symmetry line for the tolerance zone coincides with the nominal geometry. The tolerance zone becomes **bilateral**, and **equally distributed** around the nominal geometry. The material side from which to offset the tolerance zone becomes irrelevant, and the same result is obtained from all three cases (bilateral-equally distributed, INSIDE/OUTSIDE).

Tol. Zone Symmetry Line Location = $F - Tol./2 = 0.0$

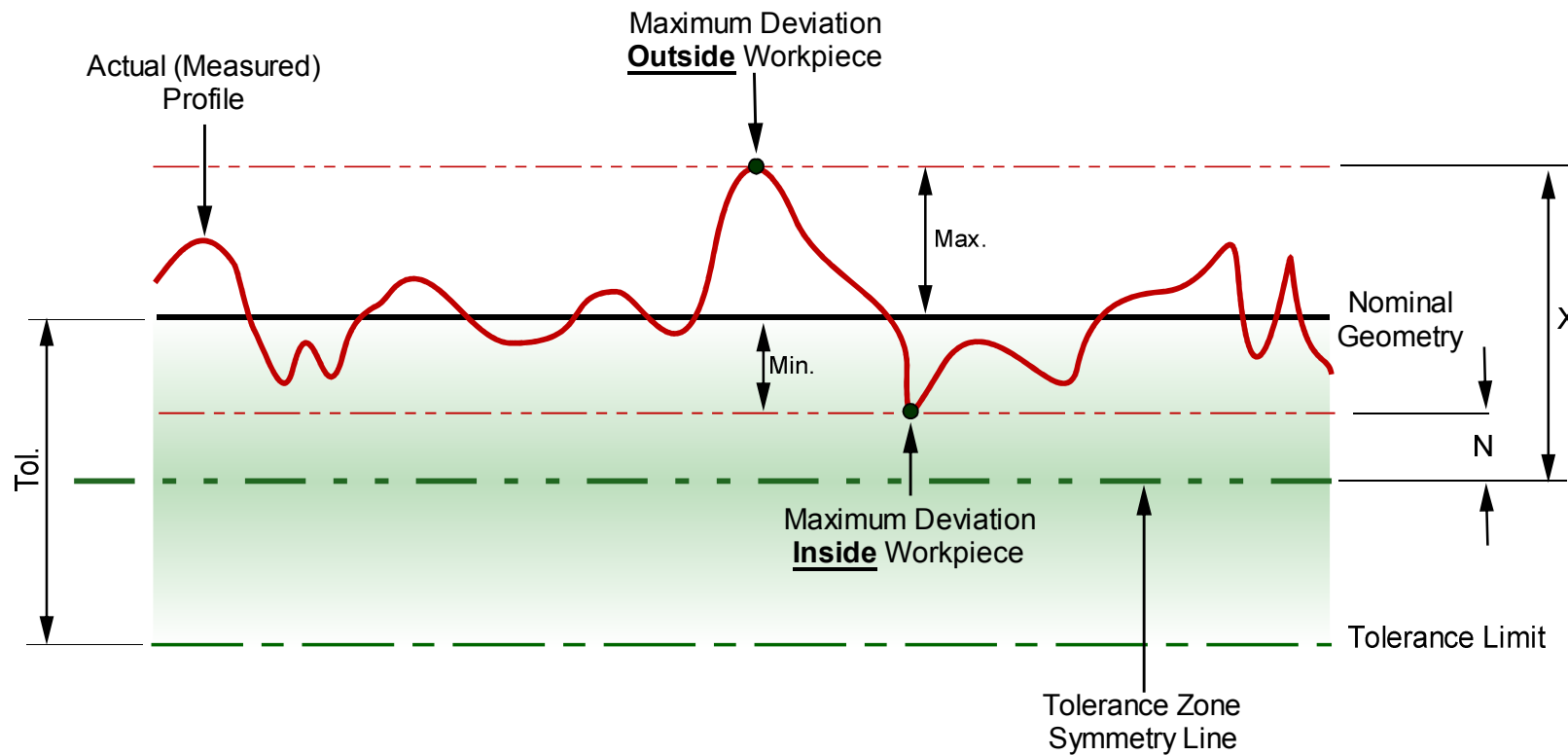
X = 0.0456
 N = 0.0300

A = 0.0456
 Actual. Profile Deviation = $2xA = 0.0912$



Profile Tolerance Calculation

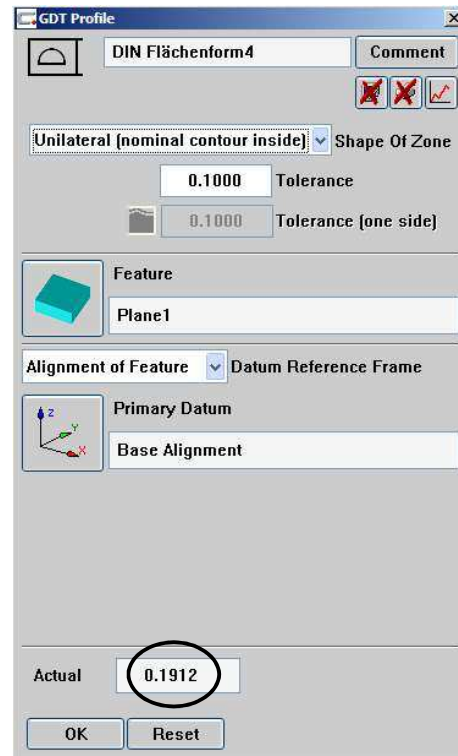
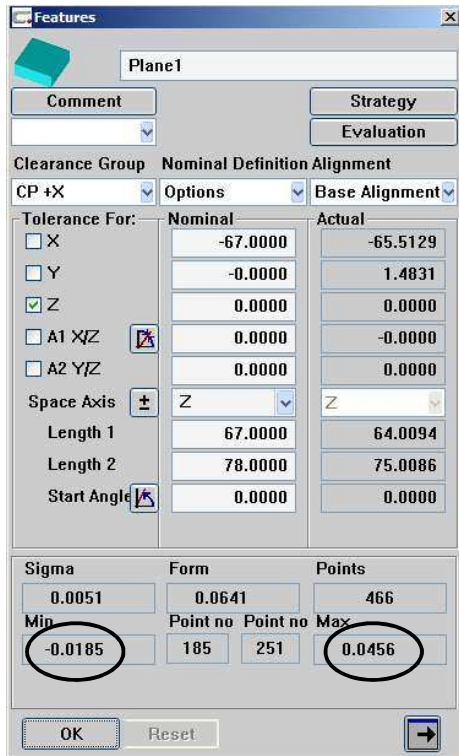
Tolerance zone shape: *Unilateral (Inside)*



1. Construct the symmetry line of the tolerance zone.
2. Find the largest deviation **OUTSIDE** workpiece (Max).
3. Find the largest deviation **INSIDE** workpiece (Min).
4. **X** = Distance between **Max** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
5. **N** = Distance between **Min** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
6. **A** = **Largest** of either **X**, **N**.
7. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **2xA**.

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: *Unilateral (Inside)*



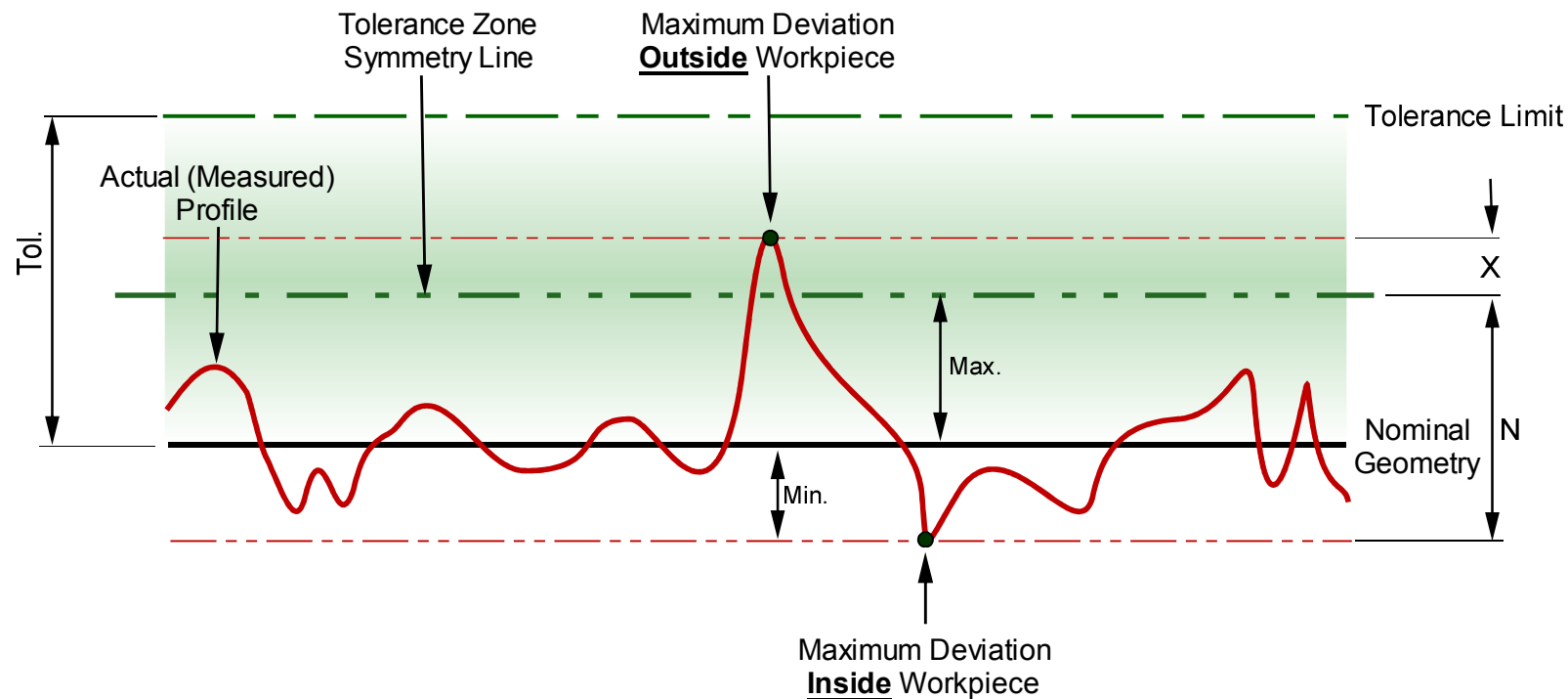
Max = 0.0456
 Min = -0.0185
 Tol = 0.1

Tol. Zone Symmetry line location = -0.05
 $X = 0.0456 + 0.0500 = 0.0956$
 $N = 0.0500 - 0.0185 = 0.0315$

$A = 0.0956$
 Actual. Profile Deviation = $2xA = 0.1912$

Profile Tolerance Calculation

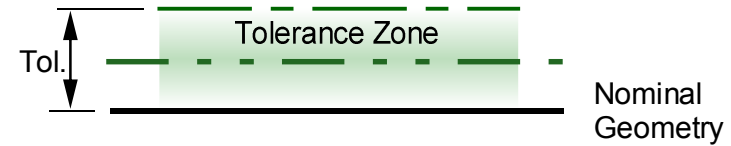
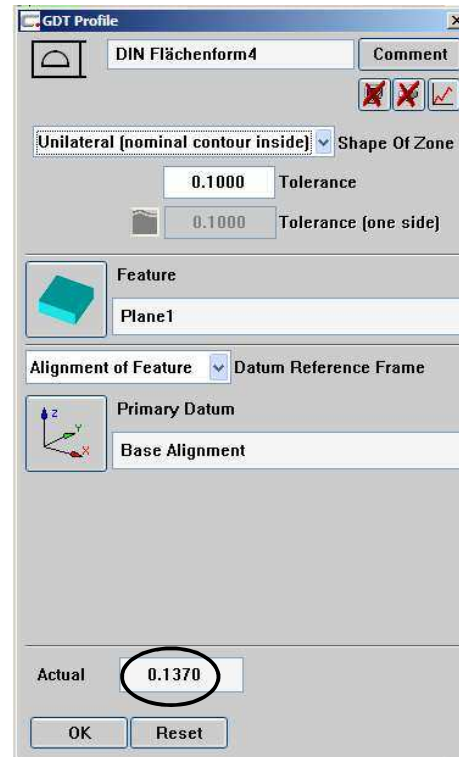
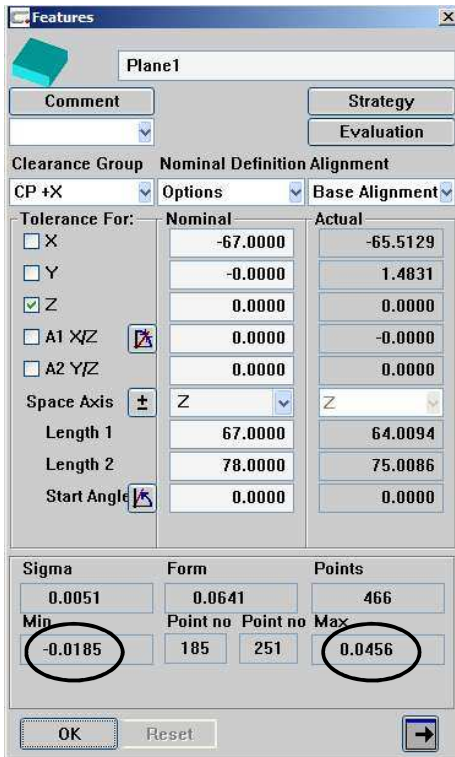
Tolerance zone shape: **Unilateral (Outside)**



1. Construct the symmetry line of the tolerance zone.
2. Find the largest deviation **OUTSIDE** workpiece (Max).
3. Find the largest deviation **INSIDE** workpiece (Min).
4. **X** = Distance between **Max** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
5. **N** = Distance between **Min** and tolerance zone **symmetry line**.
6. **A** = **Largest** of either **X**, **N**.
7. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **2xA**.

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: *Unilateral (Outside)*

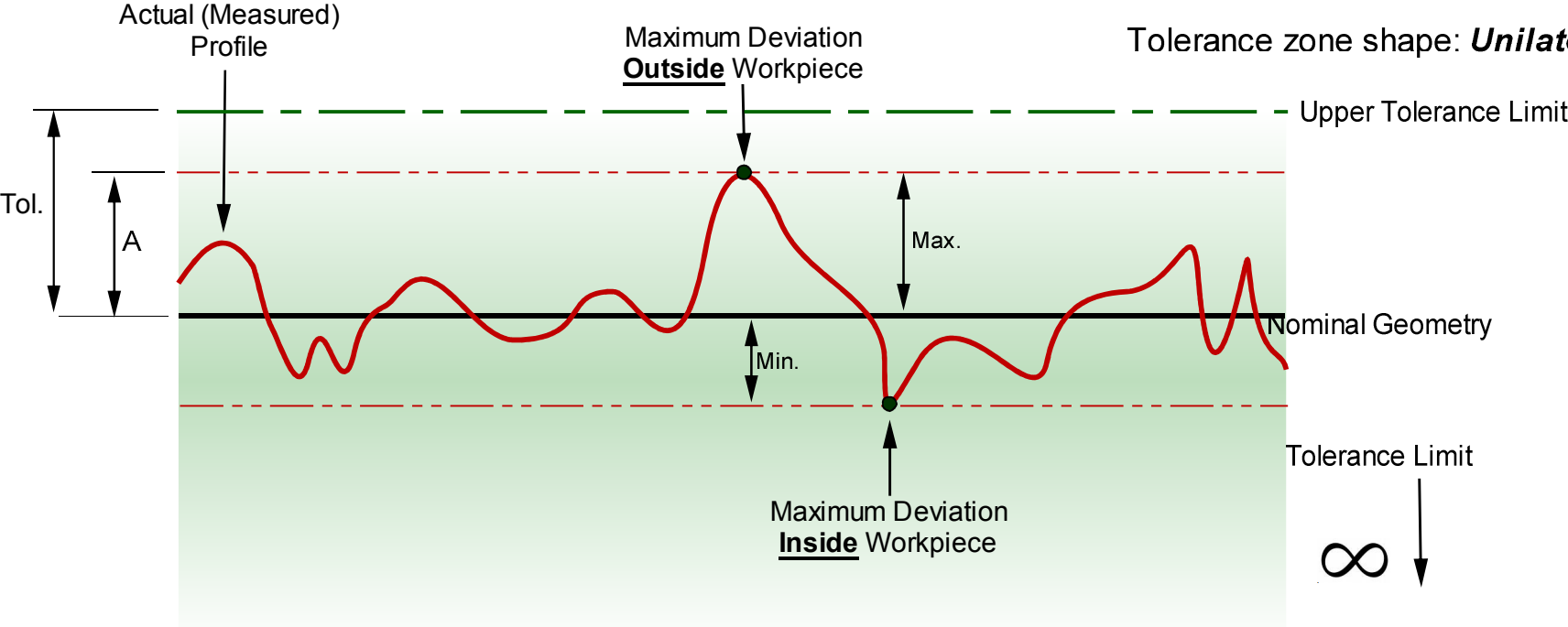


$$\begin{aligned} \text{Max} &= 0.0456 \\ \text{Min} &= -0.0185 \\ \text{Tol} &= 0.1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Tol. Zone Symmetry line location} &= 0.05 \\ \mathbf{X} &= 0.0500 - 0.0456 = 0.0044 \\ \mathbf{N} &= 0.0500 + 0.0185 = 0.0685 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} &= 0.0685 \\ \text{Actual. Profile Deviation} &= 2xA = 0.1370 \end{aligned}$$

Profile Tolerance Calculation



1. Find the largest deviation **OUTSIDE** workpiece (Max).
2. **A** = Max
3. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **A**.

Features

Plane1

Comment Strategy Evaluation

Clearance Group Nominal Definition Alignment

CP +X Options Base Alignment

Tolerance For:	Nominal	Actual
<input type="checkbox"/> X	-67.0000	-65.5129
<input type="checkbox"/> Y	-0.0000	1.4831
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<input type="checkbox"/> A1 X/Z	0.0000	-0.0000
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 Y/Z	0.0000	0.0000

Space Axis Z

Length	Nominal	Actual
Length 1	67.0000	64.0094
Length 2	78.0000	75.0086
Start Angle	0.0000	0.0000

Sigma	Form	Points
0.0001	0.0641	486
Min -0.0185	Point no 185	Point no 251
		Max 0.0456

OK Reset

GDT Profile

DIN Flächenform3 Comment

Inwards into infinity Shape Of Zone

0.1000 Tolerance

0.1000 Tolerance (one side)

Feature Plane1

Alignment of Feature Datum Reference Frame

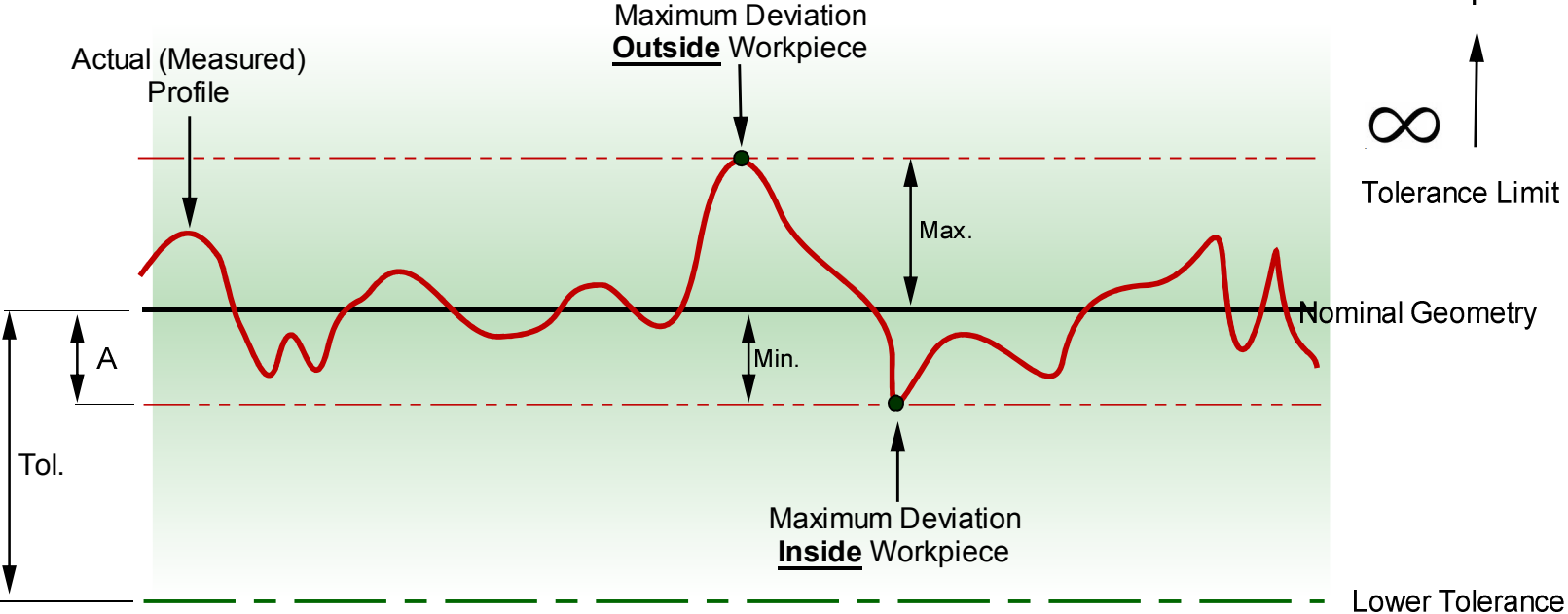
Primary Datum Base Alignment

Actual 0.0456

OK Reset

Profile Tolerance Calculation

Tolerance zone shape: *Unilateral (Outwards into infinity)*



1. Find the largest deviation **INTSIDE** workpiece (Min).
2. **A = ABSOLUTE** value of Min
3. Reported **Actual** profile deviation = **A**.

Features

Plane1

Comment Strategy Evaluation

Clearance Group Nominal Definition Alignment

CP +X Options Base Alignment

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<input type="checkbox"/> X	-67.0000	-65.5129
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Space Axis \pm Z Z

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Length 2 78.0000 75.0086

Start Angle 0.0000 0.0000

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0.0091	0.0641	406
Min -0.0185	Point no 185	Point no 251
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