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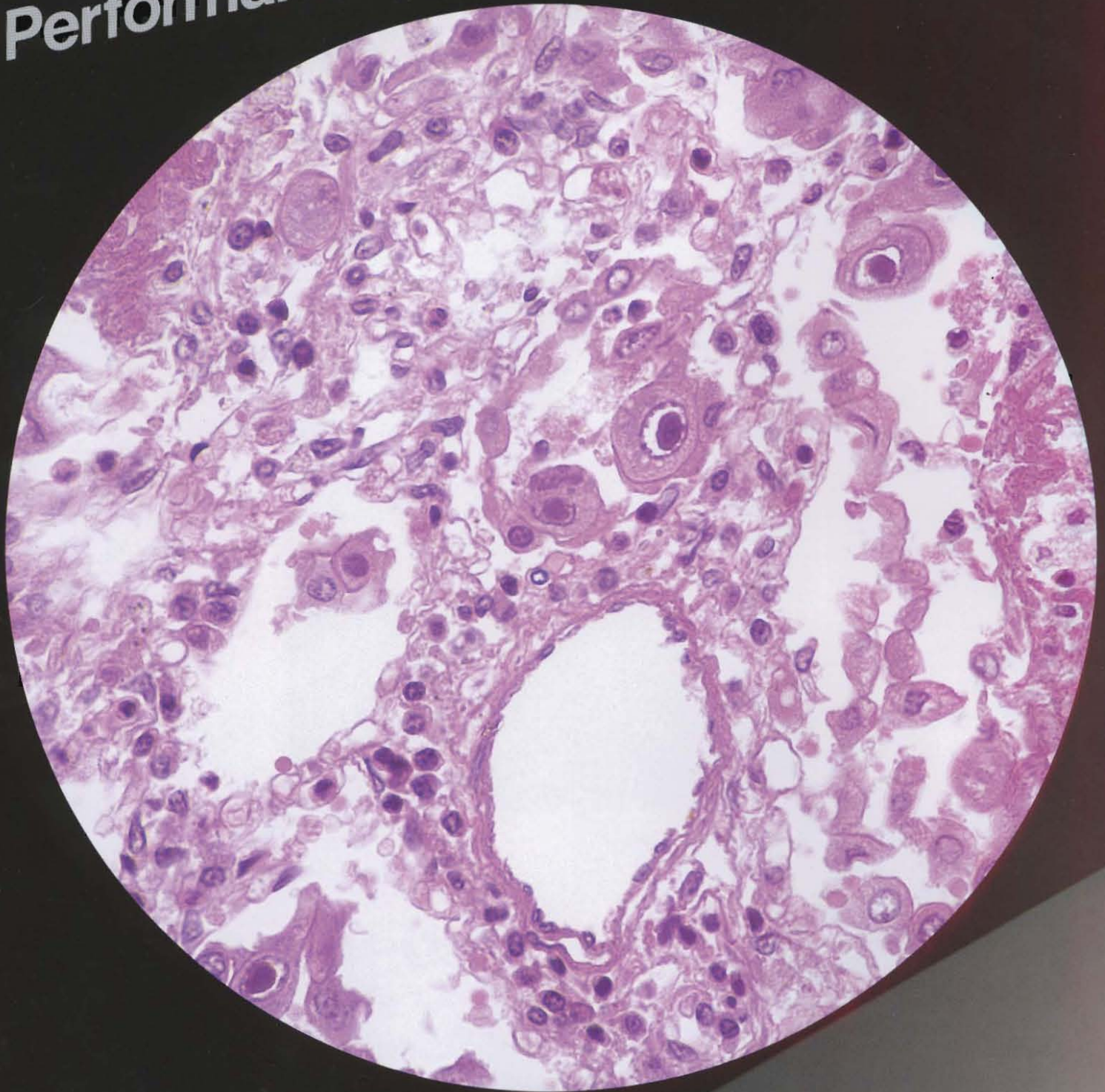
# OLYMPUS<sup>®</sup>

## CH2 SERIES

System Microscopes



**The Olympus CH2 Series  
Extends the Capabilities for Education  
and Routine Research Work through the  
Performance of our LB Optics.**



# Unrivaled

## A Powerful Second Generation Microscope Based on the Proven Design Philosophy of the Best-Selling CH Series.

When Olympus unveiled the CH Series Microscopes, it changed the way classroom students and research scientists viewed the microcosm, broadening their vision with a marriage of outstanding optics, precision focusing and a highly economical design.

Now Olympus raises these standards even higher with our CH2 Series Microscopes. As a powerful design enhancement of the popular durable CH Series, this versatile series combines the unprecedented performance of the advanced Olympus LB Series Objectives with an optional field iris diaphragm and a brighter light source. No other system meets a wider range of applications from classroom training to laboratory and hospital work.



**CHS System Microscope,** closing the gap to perfection in the classroom and in routine research work. Our built-in 6V 20W halogen light source ensures brighter, sharper image observation. The emphasis on superior optics is particularly evident in darkfield, simple polarizing, and phase-contrast microscopy.



**CHT System Microscope,** a powerful educational and routine research tool streamlined for universal application. This enduring standard microscope combines a 30W tungsten light source with a high-performance reflector to satisfy an even broader range of educational and research requirements than before.



**CHD System Microscope,** setting the performance standard in the field of education. With a mirror illuminating the image, this precise yet simple, economical microscope is designed to meet or surpass the most demanding educational applications.

# Olympus LB Series Objectives. Outstanding Brightness and Superb Resolution Expand Your Powers of Observation to the Periphery of the Viewing Field.

*The true value of a microscope is inherently dependent on the quality of its optics. The CH2 Series features the renowned performance of the Olympus LB Series objectives, which are widely acclaimed for superior resolution and image contrast throughout the viewing field. Extended working distances optimize ease of operation and a brighter light source assures unimpeded observation.*



**Model CHS-213E**  
with field iris diaphragm  
model CH2-FS (optional)

ED Achromat



D Achromat



D Plan Achromat



Performance of Objectives

		Numerical Aperture	Working Distance
ED Achromat	4 x	0.10	29.00mm
	10 x	0.25	6.30
	40 x (spring)	0.65	0.53
	100 x oil (spring)	1.25	0.20
D Achromat (optional)	4 x	0.10	18.23
	10 x	0.25	7.18
	40 x (spring)	0.65	0.63
	100 x oil (spring)	1.30	0.20
D Plan Achromat (optional)	4 x	0.10	7.03
	10 x	0.25	7.40
	20 x (spring)	0.40	0.83
	40 x (spring)	0.65	0.47
	50 x oil (spring, iris diaphragm)	0.90	0.23
	100 x oil (spring)	1.25	0.17

## A wide variety of LB Series Objectives include the ED Ach for performance plus economy.

The ED Ach objectives, specially developed for the CH2 Series microscopes, feature superior performance, yet are designed with economy in mind. The CH2 Series is also available with D Ach and D Plan Objectives, objectives for uncovered specimens, and others to suit many applications.

## Newly-equipped LB Series Objectives bring the latest advances in optical technology clearly into view.

### 1. Higher Resolution

Resolving power, the reciprocal of resolution, refers to the minimum distance at which two small particles under the lens can be distinguished from each other. This distance is shorter using LB Series objectives than for most available lenses. The result is a much sharper image with more clearly defined specimen details.

### 2. Sharper Contrast

High resolution alone doesn't necessarily guarantee a clear image; contrast must also be high in order for the image to be crisp. The LB Series objectives optimize contrast by eliminating flare and other factors that can effect clarity, giving you a consistently superior image.

### 3. Improved Field Flatness

With some microscopes, aberrations in field curvature can adversely influence the quality of the image. But the LB Series objectives, including the Achromatic, compensate for curvature and ensure a maximally clear image.

### 4. Brighter Viewing Field

To make the most of the LB Series potential, both the collector and the condenser use highly efficient aspherical lenses. This ensures uniformly bright illumination to the perimeter of the viewing field.

### 5. Wider View Field

The Olympus CWHK10X eyepieces considerably widen the viewing field, to an impressive field number of 18, increasing observation efficiency. And by using the optional WHK10X eyepieces, the viewing field can be further extended to a field number 20.



Performance of Eyepieces

	Field Number
CWHK10 x	18
WHK10 x (optional)	20

The H5 x LB (F.N.19), the P10 x LB (F.N.13), and the P15 x LB (F.N.10) eyepieces are optionally available for use with monocular observation tubes.

# Down to the Most Minute Details, Olympus Pays Special Attention to User Needs, for Unparalleled Ease of Operation.

Keeping in mind various types of microscope methodology and user convenience, Olympus designers planned the CH2 Series to be both simpler and safer to use, so that even beginners can make optimum use of its multiple advantages.



## CH-BI45-W Binocular Observation Tube

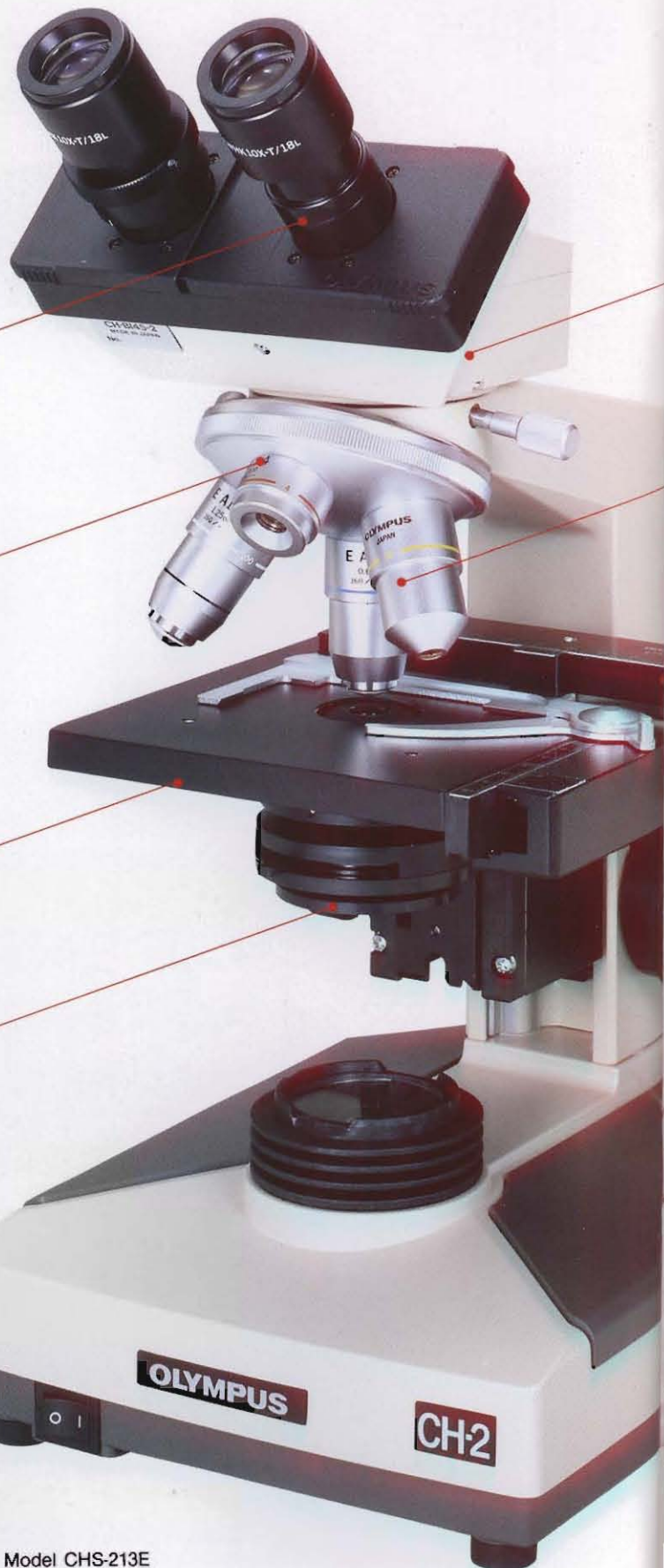
This tube has a diopter ring on one side to facilitate compensation for eye acuity. Graduated interpupillary-distance adjustment from 53 to 72mm. This feature is particularly convenient during group observation for educational purposes, since each user can memorize his individual optimum distance for more rapid interpupillary-distance setting. Moreover, a special Olympus coating process reduces light loss, delivering clear, bright images. The CH2 Series is also available with a monocular observation tube model CH-MO45-W.

*The tube section is dust protected.*



## CH-MVR Attachable Mechanical Stage

The coaxial controls on this stage are positioned low for easy maneuverability. Moreover, it is equipped with ball bearings for smoother operation. Model CH-MVL (left-handed controls) is also available.



## Eyepiece

F.N. 18  
Micrometer reticles  
(model OC-M)  
attachable

## Revolving nosepiece (quadruple)

Like all high-grade Olympus microscopes, the CH2 Series quadruple revolving nosepiece is equipped with ball bearings for higher precision, improved durability, and operational ease.

## Plain Stage

Wide stage size:  
124(W) × 153(L)mm

## Abbe Condenser

N.A. 1.25  
w/Aperture diaphragm

Model CHS-213E

### Binocular Tube

Interpupillary-distance  
adjustment range: 53-72mm  
Eye acuity compensation

### LB Objective

### Mechanical Stage

Coaxial low drive controls  
Stroke: 76(X) x 50(Y)mm

### Coarse Adjustment Knob

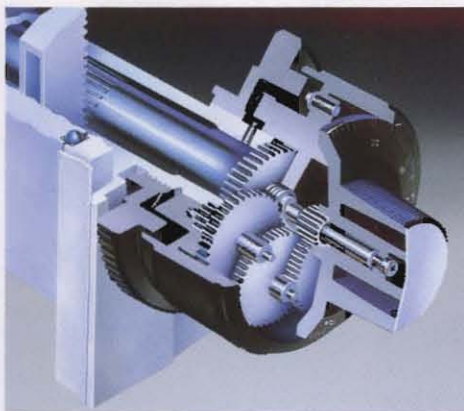
Coarse/line adjustment  
w/focusing limit control

### Power Cord

Detachable power cord for  
extra convenience when  
storing.

### Variable light Control

This rotating control permits  
continual adjustment of  
brightness. The built-in scale  
provides repeatability for  
extra convenience during  
photomicrography.



### Coaxial Focusing Knobs

The coarse-adjustment knob has a built-in control to increase or decrease the tension of the focusing knob simply by rotating the adjustment ring. The fine-adjustment works over the entire coarse-focusing range, allowing quick, accurate focusing at any position.



### Focusing Limit Control

In order to prevent collisions between objective and specimen due to accidental stage movement, the CH2 Series microscopes have a lever that prevents the stage from moving beyond a safe limit once the specimen is focused. Moreover, when replacing specimens, only fine focus adjustments are necessary with the stage at its upper limit.



### CH2-CD Abbe Condenser

The CH2-CD makes efficient use of the existing light to create the best illumination, depending on the objective in use. The result is unfailingly clear, sharp images. The N.A. 1.25 immersion-type condenser with an iris diaphragm takes the filter holder model CH2-FH.



### CH2-FS Field Iris Diaphragm (optional)

This attachment is designed to offer Koehler illumination and consists of a diaphragm frame and an auxiliary lens. The CH2-FS reduces superfluous light to deliver images with sharper contrast.



### CH2-FH Filter Holder

The CH2-FH accepts a 32.5mm diameter filter. Olympus offers a wide variety of filters for different conditions: daylight; color-temperature conversion; heat absorption; color correction; sharp cut-off; light dispersion; and others. Moreover, a 45mm diameter filter can be inserted into the receptacle in the microscope base.

# A Single Universal Condenser Uncovers the Mysteries of Brightfield, Darkfield, and Phase-Contrast Microscopy.

*The CH2 Series system microscopes are designed to satisfy the broadest range of requirements. Olympus's newly developed universal condenser makes brightfield, darkfield, and phase-contrast microscopy possible with a single condenser. A number of other attachments are available including a simple polarizing accessory, extras which can be easily attached to the stand.*



## CH2-PCD Universal Condenser

This useful condenser can be set for three different types of microscopy simply by rotating the turret. Brightfield, darkfield, and phase-contrast microscopy with 10 $\times$  and 40 $\times$  phase objectives are easily accessible, dispensing with the need to replace condensers in order to change modes. For phase-contrast microscopy, Olympus offers the PC D Ach Series of LB objectives.

## CH2-PCD-PL Phase-Contrast/Darkfield Attachment

Combinations

Universal Condenser*	CH2-PCD
Centering Telescope	CT-5
Phase-Contrast Objective	PCD10 $\times$ PL PCD40 $\times$ PL

\*45C-3 cobalt filter, 45G533 green-filter included.

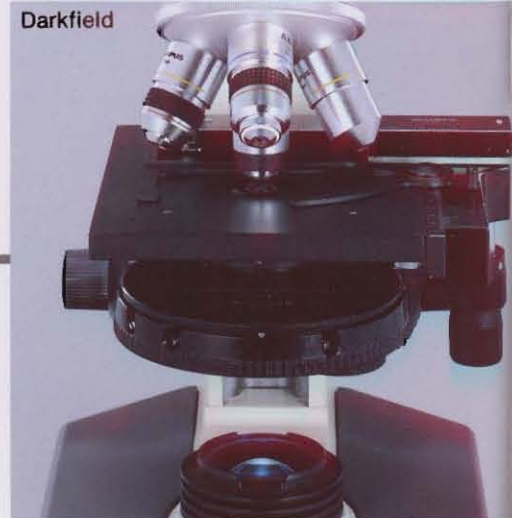
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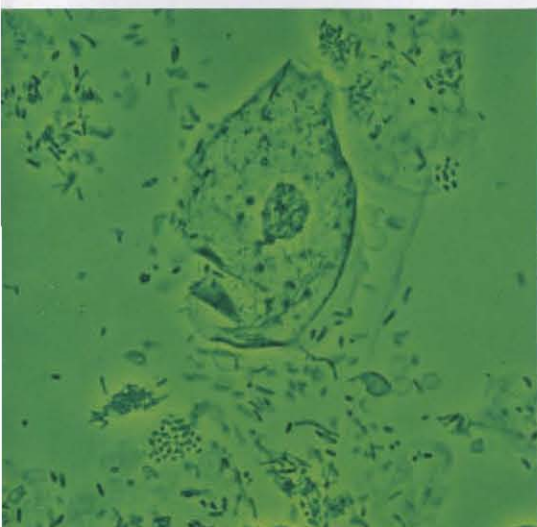
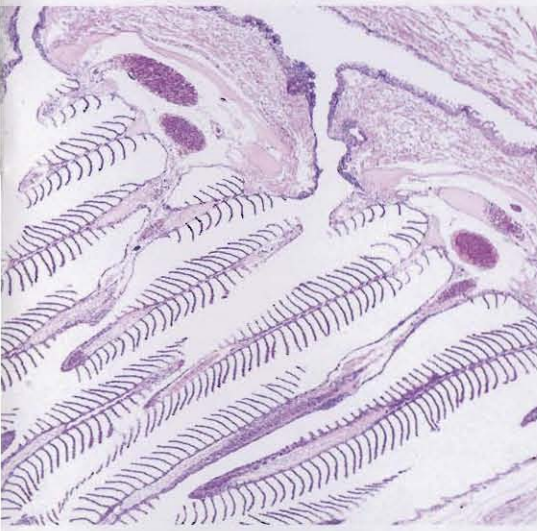
Phase-Contrast



Darkfield

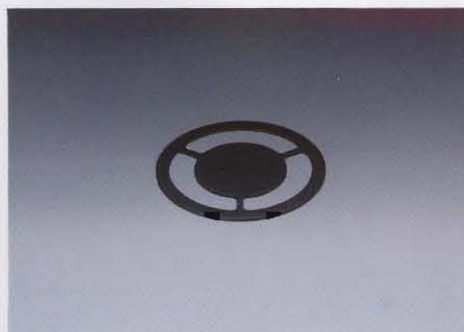






### CH2-PC-PL Simple Phase-Contrast Attachment

Attachment of a phase annular ring (model CH2-RS10/RS40) to the standard Abbe condenser enables easy, economical phase-contrast microscopy. The CH2-PC-PL comes with the phase-contrast objectives (PCD10 $\times$ PL/40 $\times$ PL), CT-5 centering telescope and 45G533 green-filter.



### CH2-DS Darkfield Central Stop

For simple and efficient observation of specimens in darkfield, the CH2-DS is a valuable accessory. It works well with both low and medium-power objectives.



### BH-DCD Dry Darkfield Condenser

The BH-DCD dry condenser delivers clear darkfield images without the need for time-consuming and troublesome immersion in oil. It functions well with objectives 10 $\times$  to 40 $\times$ .



### BH2-PC Phase-Contrast Attachment

The BH2-PC is indispensable for observation of transparent specimens such as living cells and platelets and specimens with of low contrast. It can be used with 10 $\times$  to 100 $\times$  objectives, and there is a choice of four contrasts: PL (positive low), PLL (positive low low), NH (negative high), and NM (negative medium).

#### Combinations

Components	Module	BH2-PC-3	BH2-PC-4	BH2-PC-5	BH2-PC-6
Condenser	Phase-Contrast Turret Condenser, Centering Telescope, Green Filter	○	○	○	○
Phase-Contrast Objectives	PCD10 $\times$ PL/ 20 $\times$ PL/40 $\times$ PL/ 100 $\times$ PL oil	○			
	PCD10 $\times$ PLL/ 20 $\times$ PLL/40 $\times$ PLL/ 100 $\times$ PLL oil		○		
	PCD10 $\times$ NH/ 20 $\times$ NH/40 $\times$ NH/ 100 $\times$ NH oil			○	
	PCD10 $\times$ NM/ 20 $\times$ NM/40 $\times$ NM/ 100 $\times$ NM oil				○



### CH2-POL Simple Polarizing Attachment

The CH2-POL is a simple polarizing attachment and consists of an Abbe condenser and a polarizing filter set.

# Olympus Microscopy Is a World of Expanding Vision. Complete with Accessories that Add Power and Reach.

## BH2-DO Dual Observation Attachment

This attachment helps students and researchers by enabling observation by two people simultaneously at the same direction, level of magnification, and brightness. An illuminated pointer, in either orange or green, can indicate specific sections of the specimen, and the observers can control the brightness of the pointer.

### Combinations

Dual viewing body	BH2-DO-B
Binocular tube	BH-BI45-W
Transformer for Pointer Illumination	T-DO
Eyepieces (2 pcs.)	CWHK10x



## BH2-DA Drawing Attachment

This attachment enables students and researchers to easily and accurately sketch the image under observation, as the tip of the drawing utensil is visible through the observation tube. Magnifications from 6.5x to 1,500x are possible.



## BH2-CA Magnification Changer

This attachment changes the magnification power in three different steps by the rotation of a turret. The turret also carries a Bertrand Lens for accurate alignment of phase annuli.

- Magnifications: 1x, 1.25x, 1.5x
- Equipped with Bertrand Lens



## LSD-W Table Stand Illuminator

This illuminator can be used with the model CHD microscopes. It offers a choice between parallel or convergent luminous flux.

- Comes with a 6V 30W tungsten lamp, an ND filter, and two replacement bulbs.
- This illuminator is used with the transformer TGHM and powercord UYCP.



## LSK-3 Sub-Stage Illuminator

This illuminator is ideal for use with the model CHD microscopes, and is normally used when illumination via the microscope mirror is inadequate.



## BH2-KMA Vertical Illuminator

The vertical illuminator is designed for the observation of metallic and other opaque specimens.

- This illuminator is also used with the LBM objectives, transformer, and a lamp housing.
- BH2-KMA: 6V 15W tungsten lamp or 12V 50W halogen lamp.



## BH-TR45-W Trinocular Observation Tube

In order to facilitate full and accurate viewing in combination with a photomicrographic system, Olympus offers the BH-TR45-W, a trinocular tube for binocular viewing and a photo tube for simultaneous use of a camera system.



## PM-10AK3 Semi-automatic Exposure Photomicrographic System

A wide variety of cameras, ranging from 35mm to large-format can be used to record observation findings. Equipped with a convenient mechanism that advances the film automatically, it ensures accurate photomicrographs.



## PM-10M3 Compact Photomicrographic System

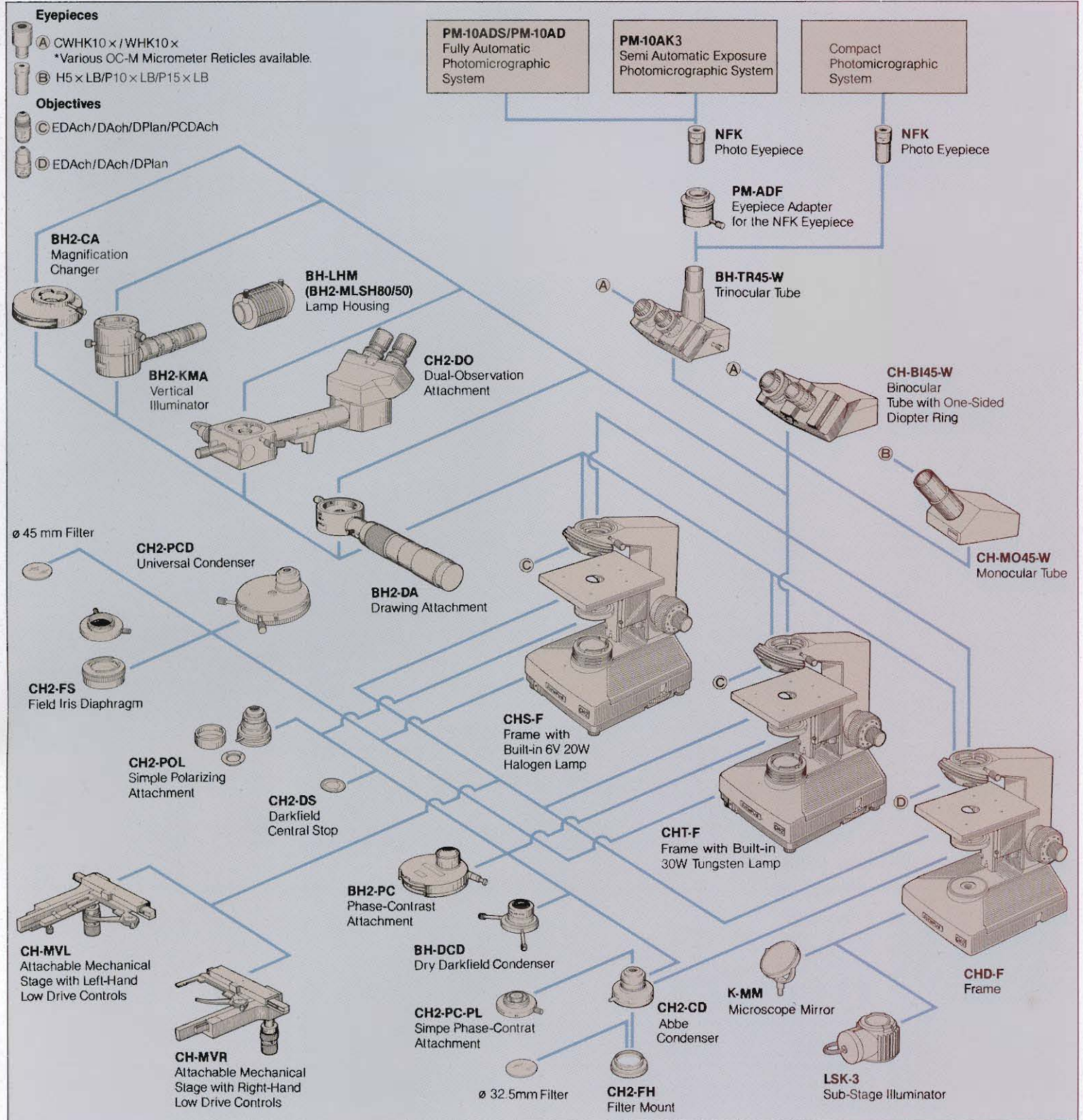
This lightweight, easy-to-handle system, complete with viewfinder, provides a very cost-efficient method of photomicrography, and it is specially designed for a 35mm format.



## NFK Photo Eyepieces

Specially designed for use in photomicrography, the NFK eyepieces, when combined with the Olympus trinocular tube, make optimum use of the LB Series objectives in recording specimen data.

Diagram of CH2 Series System Microscopes



Specifications/Standard Outfits

Module	Model	Educational/Laboratory Microscopes		Educational Microscopes			
		CHS	CHT	CHD			
		213E	213E	212E	012E	001E	
Microscope Frame	● Coaxial coarse and fine focusing knobs, coarse adjustment range 25mm with focusing limit control lever and tension adjustment ring. Fine focusing knob graduated in increments of 2.5 microns.	6V 20W halogen light source Built-in transformer variable light control	CHS-F	○			
	● Plain stage 124 × 153mm.	30W tungsten light source variable light control	CHT-F		○		
	● Quadruple revolving nosepiece. ● Including ø32.5mm blue filter, 8cc immersion oil and dust cover.	ø50mm double-sided reflecting mirror (plano-concave lens)	CHD-F			○	○
Observation Tube	Monocular tube (45°)		CH-MO45-W			○	○
	Binocular tube (45°) Interpupillary distance adjustment range: 53 — 72mm Dioptric adjustment ring on the left		CH-BI45-W	○	○	○	
Stage	Attachable mechanical stage with coaxial low drive controls on the right, Traversing area 50mm × 76mm		CH-MVR	○	○	○	○
	Stage clip (1 pair)		CH-SCB1				○
Condenser	Abbe type, N.A. 1.25 with aperture diaphragm		CH2-CD	○	○	○	○
Filter Holder	ø32.5mm filter mountable		CH2-FH	○	○	○	○
Power Cord			UYCP	○	○		
Bulb	6V 20W halogen bulb (2 pcs.)		6V20WHAL	○			
	30W tungsten bulb (2 pcs.)		30WSB		○		
Mirror	Plano-concave mirror		MM			○	○
Objective (long barrel)	ED Achromat 4X			○	○	○	○
	ED Achromat 10X			○	○	○	○
	ED Achromat 40X (spring)			○	○	○	○
	ED Achromat 100X oil (spring)			○	○	○	○
Eyepiece	LB eyepiece 10X, F.N. 18, widefield, high eyepoint		CWHK10X	○ (2 pcs.)	○ (2 pcs.)	○ (2 pcs.)	○

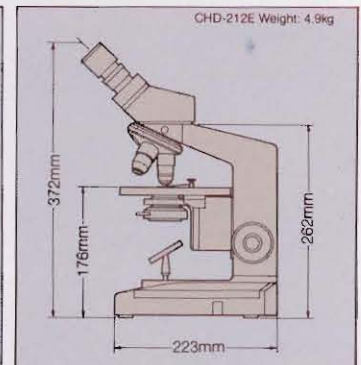
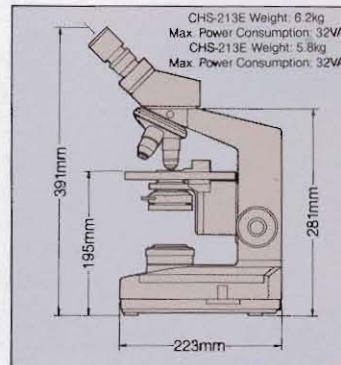
**Wooden case**

(equipped with an easy-to-carry handle)

External dimensions:

264(W) × 305(D) × 449(H)mm + 25mm

(length of rubber legs and handle)



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