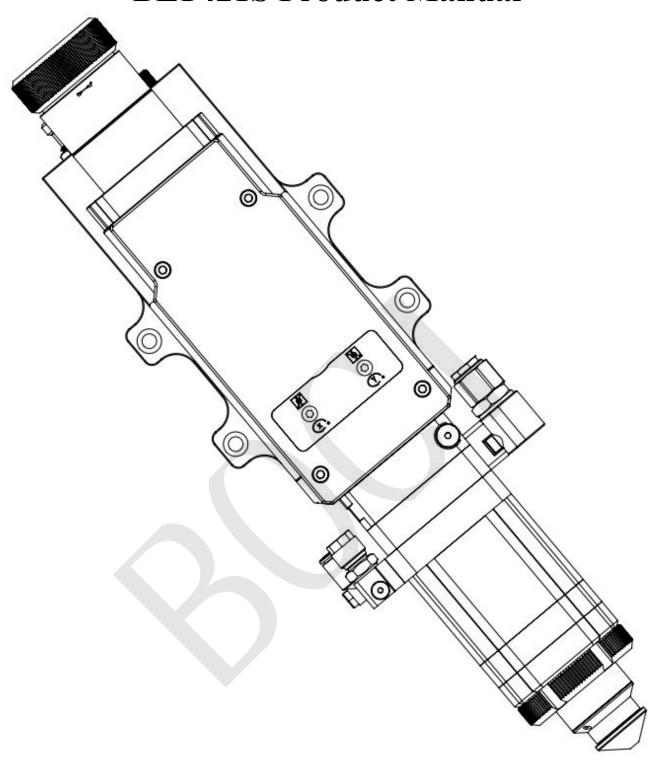
BLT421S Product Manual



Laser Cutting Head
BLT 421S- QBH/EQC



Brilliant Optical Cutting Instrument

Document History

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Notice:



Thank you for choosing the BLT intelligent cutting head. This manual provides you with important information such as product parameters, installation, and maintenance, so please read this manual carefully before using the product. At the same time, in order to ensure the safety of operation and the operation of the product in the best condition, please strictly follow the precautions in the manual.

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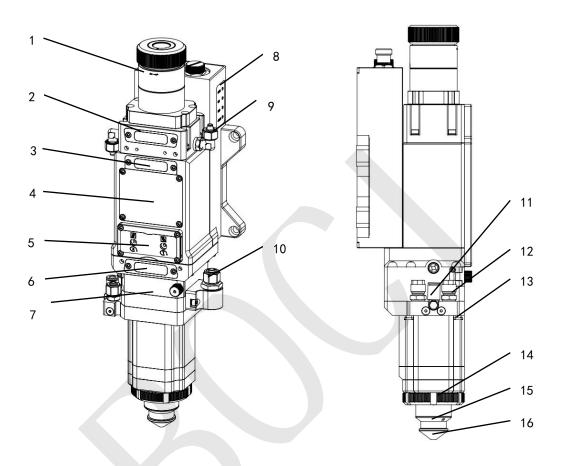
Unauthorized disassembly of the product is strictly prohibited without the authorization of BOCI Technology, otherwise the warranty will be invalid!

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1.Product Description

1.1 Product View



Product View (Structure and Interface Description)

- 1. Optical fiber interface;
- 2. 1st Upper protective window;
- 3. 2nd Upper protective window;
- 4. Collimation unit;
- 5. Focusing unit;
- 6. 2nd Lower protective window;
- 7. 1st Lower protective window;
- 8. Working indicator;

- 9. Cooling water outlet;
- 10. Cutting gas interface;
- 11. Nozzle cooling gas inlet;
- 12. Cooling water inlet;
- 13. Anti-collision screw;
- 14. Ceramic body lock ring;
- 15. Ceramic Part;
- 16. Nozzle

1.2 Technical Parameters

Cutting Head	BLT421S
Laser Wavelength:	1030-1090nm
Laser Power:	≤8kW
Fiber Interface:	QBH, EOC
Spot Magnification:	M=1.5/2.0 (100:150/100:200)
Max Focus Adjustment Range:	±50mm
NA:	Max.0.13 at Fc100
Centering Adjustment Range:	± 1.5 mm
Focus Acceleration:	$7.5 \mathrm{m/s^2}$
Cutting Gas Interface:	ø10, maximum 25bar (2.5Mpa)
Nozzle Cooling Gas Connection:	ø6, maximum 5bar (0.5Mpa)
Water Cooling Interface:	ø8, maximum 5bar (0.5Mpa), minimum flow 2.0l/min
Operating Temperature:	5~55℃
Storage Temperature:	-25∼+55 °C
Size:	404x125.5 (QBH Version)
Weight:	About 5.1kg (QBH Version)



Notice:

To avoid damage to the cutting head during storage and transportation, pay attention to the following:

The cutting head should be stored within the allowable temperature and humidity range.

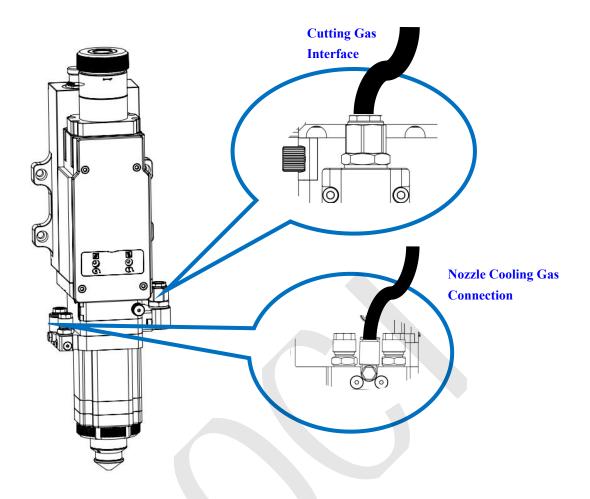
Avoid storage in and near magnetic fields such as permanent magnets or strong alternating fields.

Avoid collision of the cutting head.

1.3 Meaning of LED indicator

Icon	State	Meaning					
POWER	green	Power is normal.					
-OWER	red	Under-voltage alarm: insufficient electrical power.					
ш	not bright	No power supply: There is no power supply, the connection cable is broken, and the interface is loose.					
Icon	State	Meaning					
	green	The system is operating normally.					
RUN	red	Abnormal motor: The current consumption of the motor is too large, and the mechanic components cannot run smoothly.					
П	not bright	The cable is broken, and the interface is loose.					
Icon	State	Meaning					
	green	System communication is normal.					
LINK	red	System communication is abnormal.					
!!	not bright	The cable is broken, and the interface is loose.					
Icon	State	Meaning					
	green	The readings of each sensor are normal.					
ENSOR	red	There is an abnormal sensor reading.					
11	not bright	The cable is broken, and the interface is loose.					

2.Gas interface



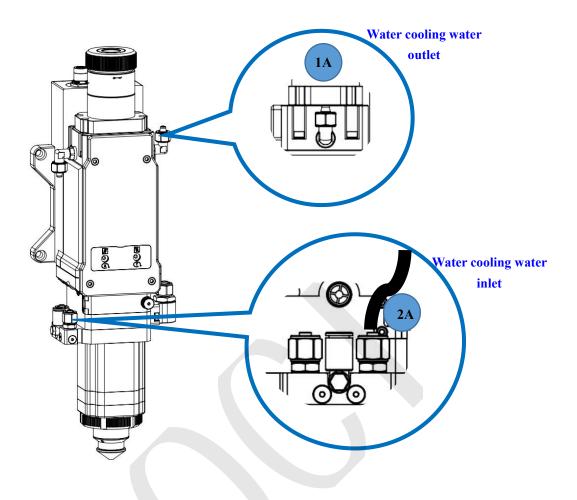


Installation Connection: Cutting gas 1, Nozzle cooling gas 2

Notice:

- The maximum pressure of cutting gas is 25bar (2.5Mpa).
- The cutting gas quality shall meet the requirements of gas quality in accordance with ISO 8573-1:2010: solid particles class 2, water class 4, oil class 3. The purer the cutting gas, the longer the life of the protective window.
- The cutting gas pipe diameter (outer diameter) is 10mm, and the nozzle cooling gas pipe diameter (outer diameter) is 6mm.

3. Water Cooling Interface



Caution: Installation connection: water-cooled inlet port 2A, water-cooled outlet port 1A

- Pure water or drinking water shall be used for coolant.
- In order to prevent the water in the cooler from growing molds which can cause blockage of the pipeline, it is recommended to add ethanol(CH3CH2OH) when filling pure water, and the amount of ethanol (CH3CH2OH) added is 10% of the pure water.
- When the ambient temperature around the equipment is -10C~0C, glycol solution with a volume ratio of 30% must be used and replaced every two months.
- When the ambient temperature around the equipment is lower than -10C, a water cooler with dual system function must be used and the cooling system must be guaranteed to run uninterruptedly.
- Recommended cooling water setting values: cooling water pressure ≤ 5bar (0.5Mpa), water flow rate ≥ 2.01/min
- Please refer to the dew point table for the cooling water temperature setting to prevent condensation on the optical components.

Dew point temperature at different temperature and humidity

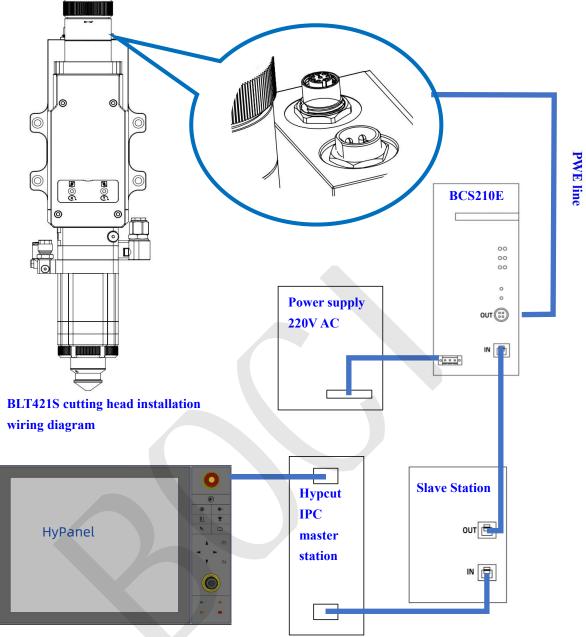
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4. Electrical Interface

PWE and aviation plug interface waterproof precautions:

- PWE interface and air plug interface are equipped with dust plugs from the factory. If the
 dust plug does not fall off, the protection level of IP64 can be achieved; at the same time,
 when the PWE cable and the air plug cable are well connected, IP64 can also be achieved;
- After the dust plug is removed, the protection level of IP64 cannot be achieved. If it
 encounters spraying or flushing at this time, it will cause water to enter the product and affect
 the function;
- 3. Ensure that the water circuit is connected well, and the water pipe interface is tightened before removing the dust plug to prevent the water pipe from accidentally loosening and water rushing to the interface, causing the product to enter the water;
- 4. When adjusting the wiring, remove the dust plug for wiring. It is recommended to keep the removed dust plug of the PWE interface. Install the dust-proof plug as soon as possible after the stitches are removed to prevent accidental water ingress in the transfer, water connection and other links.

4.1 Bus system

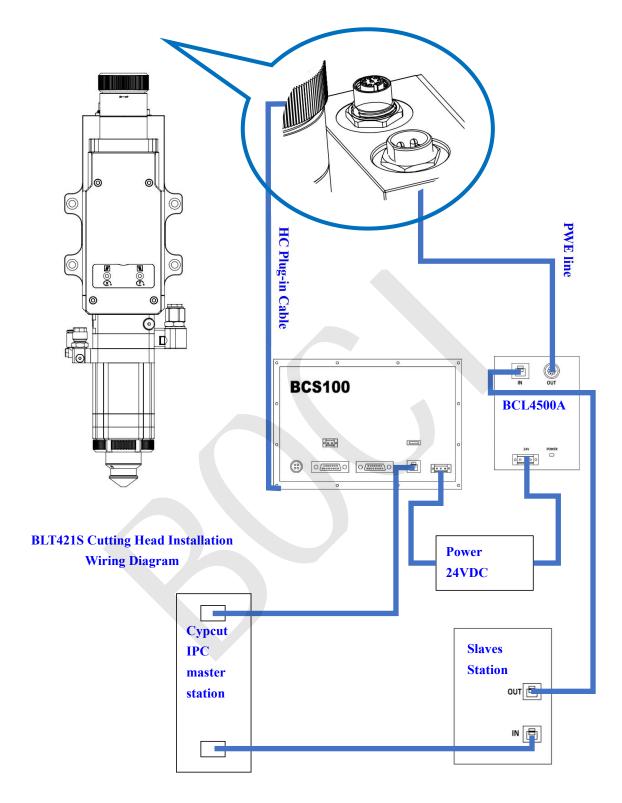




Notice:

- The above wiring operations should only be performed by trained and professional personnel.
- When the cutting head is connected to the BCS210E, the BCS210E must be powered off.

4.2 Non-bus systems





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- The above wiring operations should only be performed by trained and professional personnel.
- When the cutting head is connected to the BCL4500A, the BCL4500A must be powered off.

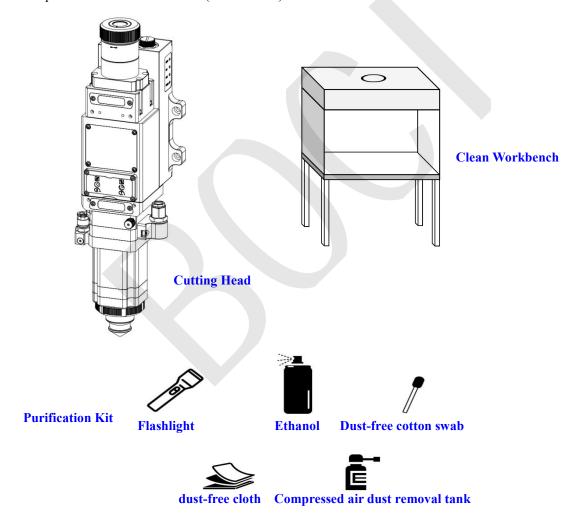
5. Cutting head installation

During the installation of the cutting head, dust or dirt may accidentally enter the cutting head, contaminate the optical window, and affect its normal functions. To prevent dust or dirt from entering the cutting head, please refer to the following methods for the installation of the cutting head:

5.1 Preparation before operation

The following objects are required before operation:

- Cutting head;
- Clean workbench (clean workbench type: vertical purification; cleanliness level: ISO 5, 100; average wind speed
 ≥ 0.4m/s);
- Cleaning kit: strong light flashlight, absolute ethanol (or IPA), dust-free purification cotton swab, dust-free cloth, compressed air dust removal tank (or air blower).







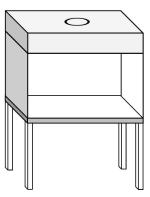
- The above operations can only be carried out by personnel who have received appropriate training and have professional knowledge.
- In order to ensure the normal operation of the laser device and the safety of operators, please be sure to follow the relevant operating instructions.

5.2 Specific operation process

5.2.1 Preparation of clean bench

Prepare the clean bench, start it up and ensure its functionality:

Clean table type: vertical purification; cleanliness class: ISO 5, 100; average wind speed ≥ 0.4m/s



- 1. Check that the equipment is clean and qualified (checks the cleanliness of the dust particle counter), and confirm that the FFU purification unit is within the validity period (measure the average wind speed in the working area, when the wind speed cannot reach 0.3m/s, the FFU purification unit must be replaced);
- 2. Check whether each switch is running normally, and check whether the fan is running normally;
- 3. It is strictly forbidden to install unnecessary items in the clean working area to ensure that the clean air flow is not disturbed;
- 4. For clean workbenches that are newly installed or have not been used for a long time, please use a clean cloth and anhydrous ethanol to wipe them clean before use;

During operation:

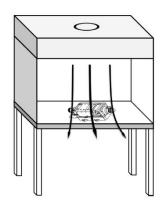
- 1. Turn on the power, and pull the glass sliding door of the clean workbench to the lowest position (leaving a gap of about 10cm);
- 2. Start the fan, it is recommended to purify the clean table for about 30 minutes in advance;
- 3. Turn on the light source of the clean workbench.

5.2.2 The cutting head is placed in the clean workbench

Put the cutting head horizontally inside the clean workbench.

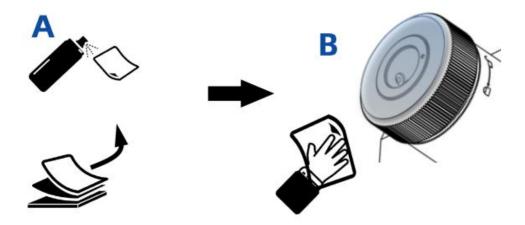
Notice:

To prevent dust from contaminating the core area of the cutting head, please ensure the integrity of the special protective film/cap for the optical fiber interface before plugging and unplugging the optical fiber.



5.2.3 Clean and wipe the fiber interface of the cutting head

Wipe the fiber interface of the cutting head with a clean cloth and anhydrous ethanol.



5.2.4 Check the laser fiber end face

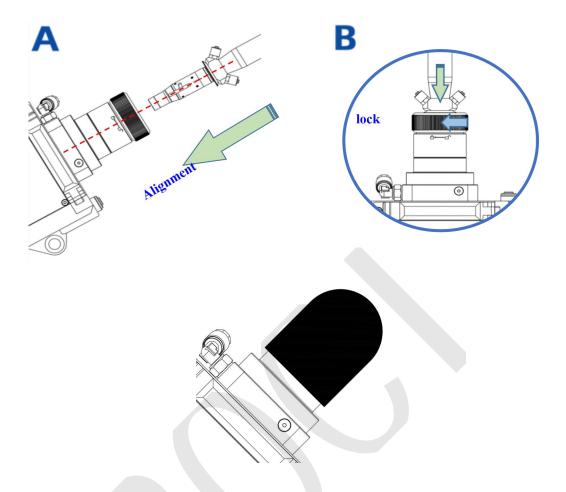
Remove the protective cap of the laser fiber, and irradiate the end face of the fiber with a strong flashlight to observe whether there is any pollution; if it is clean, you can directly insert the fiber;



Compatible interfaces: Trumpf LLK-Q, IPG HLC-8/LC-8

5.2.5 Tear off the protective film/remove the protective cap

Remove the special protective cap/protective plug for the optical fiber interface on the cutting head.

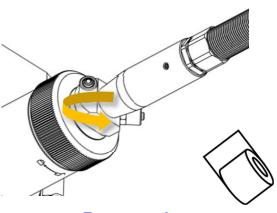


5.2.6 Insert the laser fiber interface into the cutting head

Align the fiber optic plug with the red dot, insert it into the unlocked fiber optic port, and ensure that it is inserted as far as it will go. Rotate the lock cap until it tightly locked.

5.2.7 Wrap and seal

After inserting the optical fiber, wrap and seal the interface between the optical fiber and the cutting head with tape.

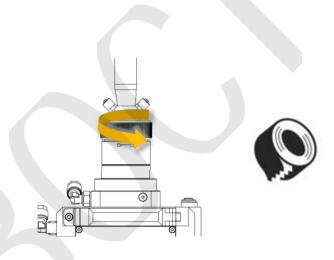


Tape wrap seal



Notice:

To achieve affective sealing, it is recommended to wrap the tape at least three times for sealing.



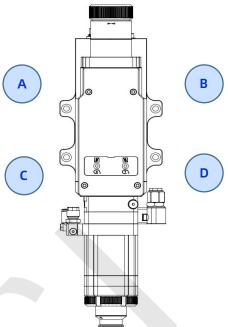
5.2.8 Mount the cutting head on the backplane

The cutting head can be installed on the Z-axis backplane of the machine tool through four screws A, B, C, and D. When fixing the cutting head on the machine, it must be ensured that the cutting head is locked and there is no obvious movement.







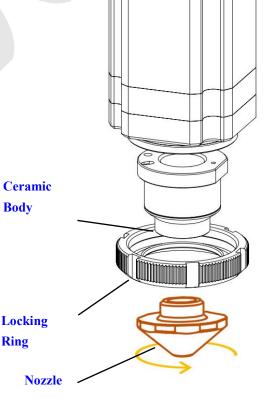


5.2.9 Installing the ceramic body and nozzle

Install the ceramic body and secure with the locking ring, then install the nozzle.





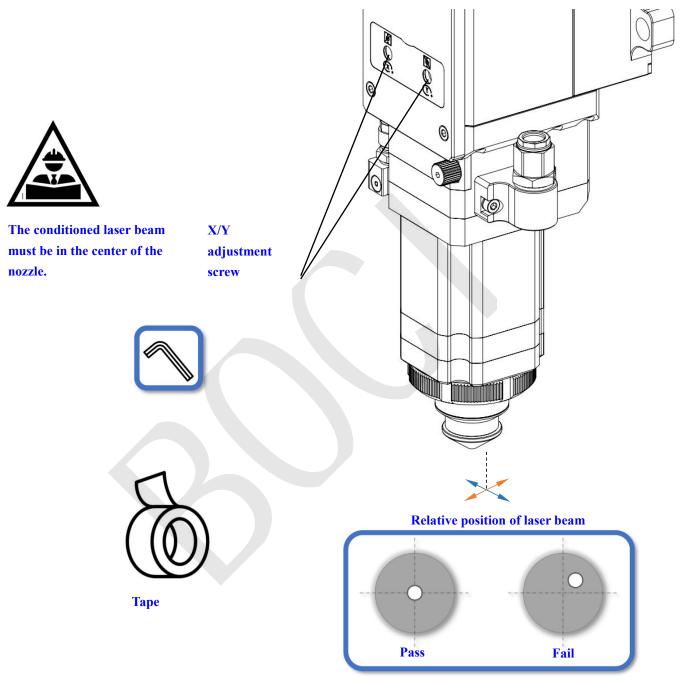


Tighten the nozzle on the ceramic body by hand,

Use a wrench to tighten the ceramic locking ring.

5.2.10 Beam centering

Adjust the XY centering knob to make the focal point in the center of the nozzle by low-power dotting.



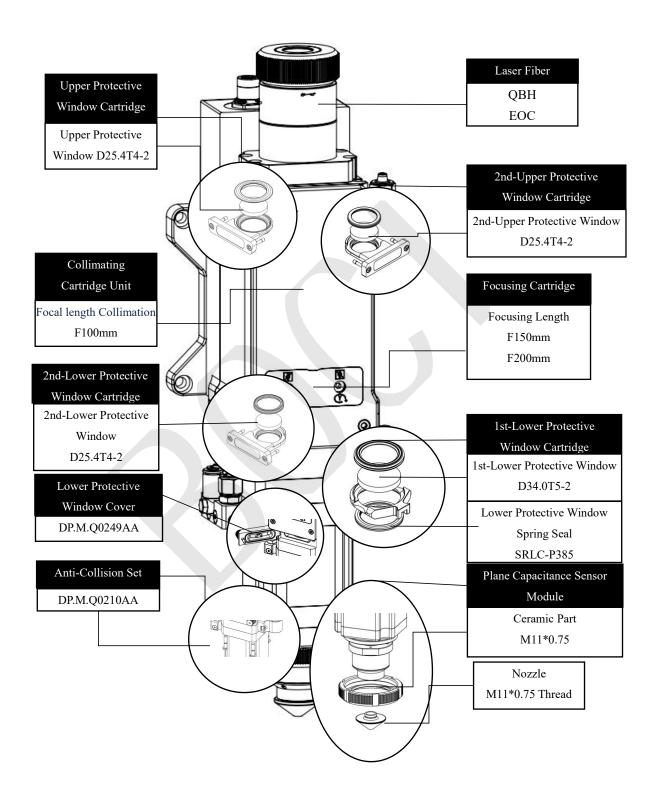


Manual alignment operation:

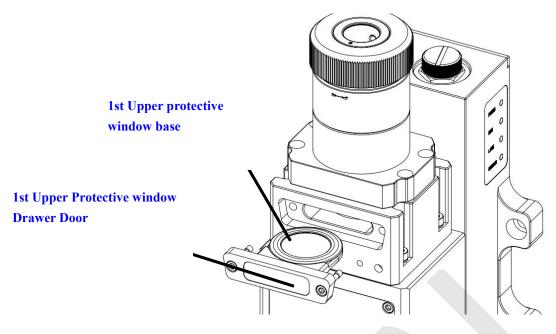
- 1. Make sure the laser beam is turned off.
- 2. Place scotch tape under the nozzle.
- 3. Click to trigger a low-power laser pulse and assess the position of the laser beam relative to the nozzle through the penetration of the tape.
- 4. Adjust the X/Y centering screws to center the laser beam on the nozzle.

Appendix A - Care/Maintenance

A.1 Schematic diagram of product structure

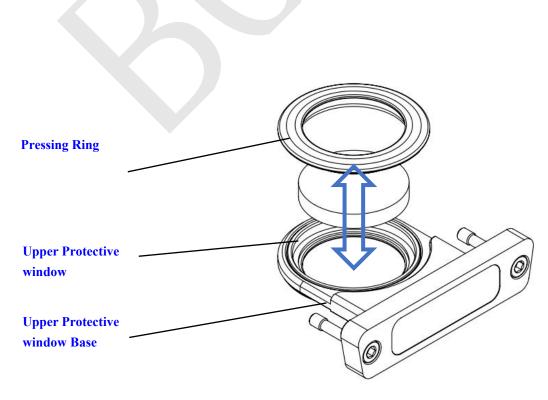


A.2 Replace the upper protective window

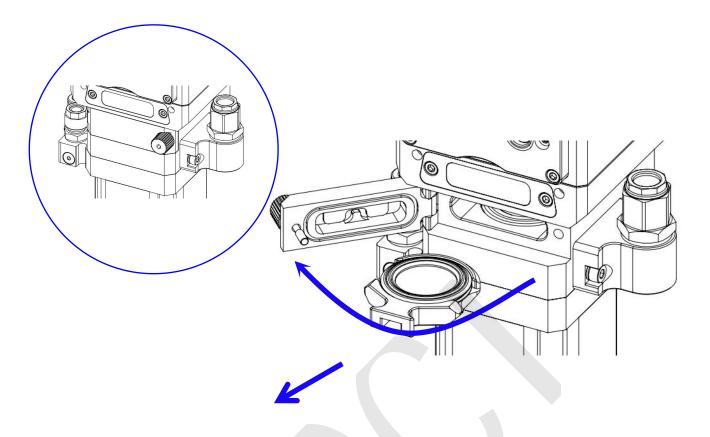




- 1. Loosen the screws;
- 2. Pull out the upper protective mirror drawer;
- 3. Use mask tape to prevent dust from entering;
- 4. Remove the pressure ring on the protective window;
- 5. Replace the protective window;
- 6. Insert the upper protective mirror drawer with window into the cutting head.



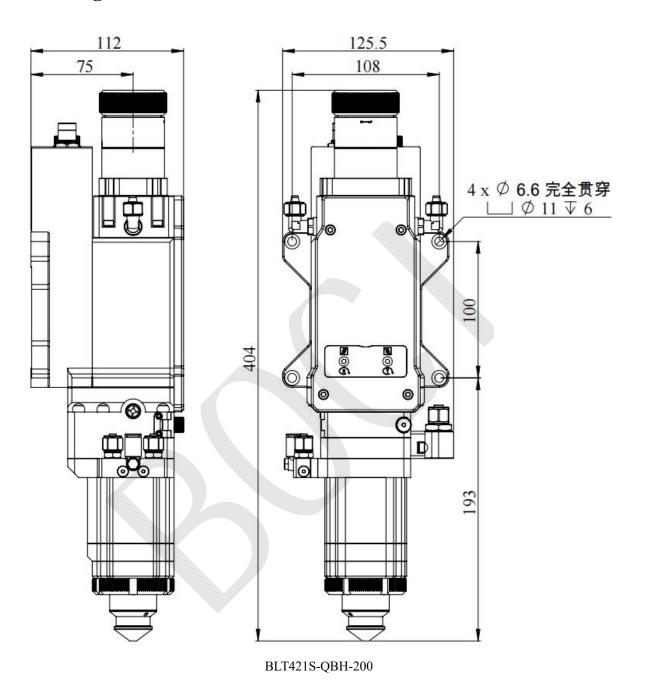
A.3 Replace the lower protective window



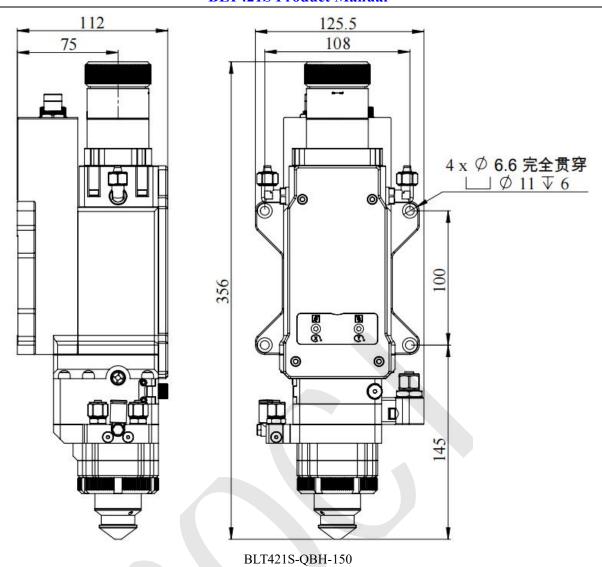
- 1. Loosen the screws of the drawer door;
- 2. Pull out the lower protective mirror drawer;
- 3. Close the protective door of the lower protective mirror drawer to prevent dust from entering;
- 4. Remove the pressure ring on the protective window;
- 5. Replace the lower protective window;
- 6. Open the protective door of the lower protective mirror drawer;
- 7. Insert the lower protective mirror drawer with window into the inside of the cutting head.

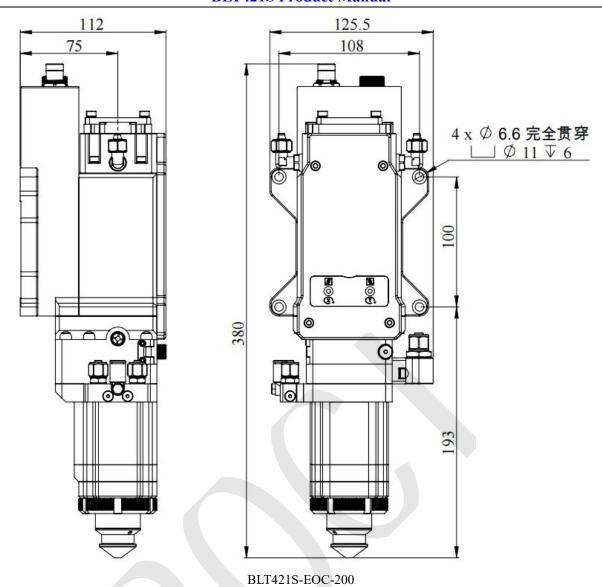
Appendix B - Mechanical Dimensions

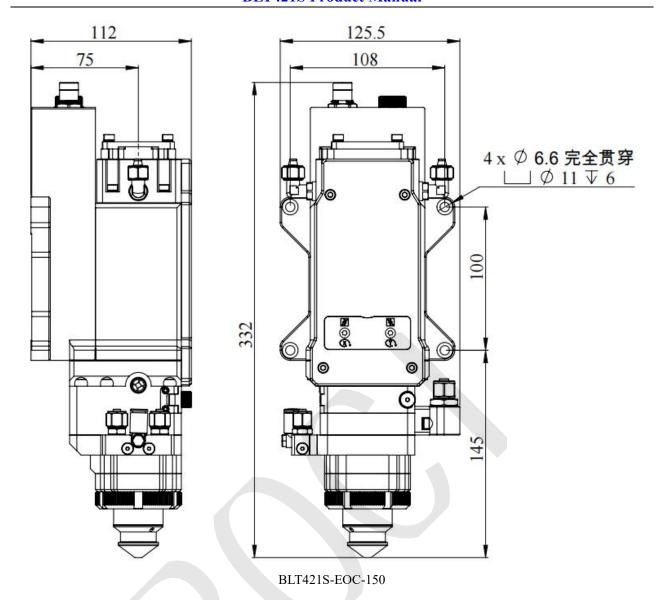
B.1 Cutting head installation size



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B.2 BLT421S Laser Fiber Types

Laser Fiber Types	Picture	Others
QBH	QВН	Trumpf LLK-Q IPG HLC-8/LC-8
EOC		MAX G5