

Predator TRAVELER™

ROUTERS & ELECTRONIC WORK INSTRUCTIONS

Relational Database Power

Can Predator Traveler handle growth? Predator Traveler is designed to utilize a powerful, open architecture, relational database. The Predator MES suite supports Microsoft Access®, Microsoft SQL Server®, and Oracle®, allowing you to start small and expand to accommodate greater performance and storage needs.

Easy to Use Wizards

Is the software easy to use? Many of the procedures for both data entry and day to day use are wizard driven to help streamline the process. Wizards are used to assist users in creating, revising, releasing, copying, rollback, and viewing travelers. The wizards also help with the next logical step. For example, when completing the wizard for creating a new tool or gage number the user has the option to directly launch additional wizards to specify more information about the gage such as the vendor, reference dimensions, or calibration specifications.



Automate and Streamline Processes

How can Predator Traveler Help? Predator Traveler will automate ECN and revision control. Save time by using *Search and Replace* wizards along with *Where Used* wizards for tools, gages, machines, etc. Predator Traveler will also help reduce or eliminate paper, manual entry, and setup sheets, along with tracking first article setups.

Electronic Attachments

Can existing documents and drawings be used? Predator Traveler allows the user to attach and view an unlimited amount of native AutoCAD® drawings, Microsoft Word®, Excel®, PowerPoint®, Adobe PDF®, HTML, JPG, GIF, video clips, and many other file formats. Also, the attachments can be associated with a gage, a tool, an insert, a machine, an operation, or a traveler, along with many other items and processes.

Reports and Charts

How can I view the data? Predator Traveler contains over 100 standard reports. Additional reports and charts will continually be added in future versions. Many reports contain filters and drill downs to focus on the appropriate data. All reports can be exported to Excel® or HTML. In addition, optional Web based and custom reports are available or you can create your own reports with any third party reporting tool.

Parametric Part Manufacturing

Can Predator Traveler reduce the number of programs I have to maintain? PPM for a family of parts integrates Travelers with Predator

DNC. The PPM features allow the updating of CNC programs with part number specifics as they are downloaded to the CNC machine. The specifics are stored in Travelers and the programs are updated in real-time with Predator DNC which enables having only one CNC program per part family.

On-Line Help

Need help but not too sure where to look? Context sensitive help provides instant access to the questions you are currently faced with. Not too sure what the wizard is asking for? Simply click on the help button or press the F1 key and HTML help appears for the screen you are currently viewing. Full, up to date documentation is provided in the HTML help files.

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User and Group Security

Can the creation or revision of travelers be limited to only a few people? Every process and every menu pick can be controlled by Predator security. Define your own users and user groups and assign the appropriate permissions to each. With over 200 options, all controlled by checkboxes, the entire application can be secured with the ease of a few mouse clicks. Need to grant additional permissions? Simply make the user a member of the appropriate group.

Shop Floor Interaction

How are travelers used on the shop floor? Predator Traveler provides electronic traveler viewing, a Setup and an Operator view of the same traveler, along with first article feedback from the shop floor with reporting for Engineers and Supervisors

Application Integration

Can I leverage existing data from other application? Predator Traveler is fully integrated into the Predator MES Suite which includes Predator MDC, Predator DNC, Predator Desktop, Predator Tool Crib, Predator Gage Crib, Predator Editor, and Predator Virtual CNC. Many components are shared between applications including an unlimited amount of tools, gages, machines, operations, material, media, blueprints, and much more.



Planned vs. Actual

Can Travelers help me plan for the future?

Travelers define all aspects of how a part should be made, while MDC records all aspects how a part was made. Integrating the two applications allows you to report the planned vs. the actual so you can adjust future job to help maximize profitability.



Scytec is focused on providing quality products and services to automate and streamline manufacturing, factory, and repetitive process environments. Our primary goal is to implement proven technology standards and software to help businesses succeed in today's market. Scytec focuses on the following:

- Installation, implementation, and consulting on the Predator MES Suite
- Custom report generations and Web based reports
- Database implementation and integration

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