DIFFERENCES BETWEEN STM AND AFM

	AFM	STM
	It can be used for insulators as well as conductive samples. Conductivity is not necessary.	 Requires conductive samples.Samples must be conductor or semiconductor. A very sharp metal tip(conductive) is used
	Like STM it uses atomically sharp tip is used(This time tip is connected to a cantilever.) When the tip is brought very close to the sample chemical attraction or repulsion (Van der waals) occurs and the tip moves up and down. This movement is	for scanning the surface. When a voltage is applied betwen the tip and the sample a tunneling current occurs. This tunneling current is measured.
A	recorded. Tips mostly Si and Si_3N_4 .	Conductive tips such as Pt/Ir wire or etched W metal.
	Physically contact the specimen. (except non-contact mode)	Does not contact the sample.
	Measures small force between tip and sample.	Measures tunneling current
•	Modes: • Contact mode • Non-contact mode	 Modes Constant current mode Constant height mode
✓	Tapping mode Uses feedback-loop	✓ Uses feedback loop
✓ ✓	Resolution limited by size of tip (2-3nm) Resolution of imaging 5nm lateral and 0.1nm vertical	 ✓ Good resolution is considered to be 0.1 nm lateral resolution and 0.01 nm depth resolution. With this resolution, individual atoms within materials are routinely imaged and manipulated
V	wagnification max is 10°	 ✓ Better resolution than AFM. Magnification max is 10⁹



Not: <u>http://virtual.itg.uiuc.edu/training/AFM_tutorial/</u> Bu sayfada da hem stm hem afm 'i anlatan animasyonlar var.