SKYnyx2-1

High Sensitivity, 1.4 Megapixel CCD USB 2.0 Astrophotography Camera



High Resolution Images

Lumenera's SKYnyx2-1 1.4 megapixel CCD digital camera is specifically designed for lunar, solar and planetary imaging, requiring high sensitivity, low noise and fast frame rates. With 1392 x 1040 resolution and on-board processing, the SKYnyx2-1 delivers outstanding image quality.

No Framegrabber Required

The USB 2.0 digital interface ensures a simple plug-and-play installation – and one standard cable minimizes telescope clutter. No framegrabber required.

Application

The Lumenera Camera Software Developer Kit (SDK) provides a full suite of features and functions that allow you to maximize the performance of your camera within your application. The SDK is compatible with all USB and GigE-based cameras. Microsoft DirectX/DirectShow, Windows API and .NET API interfaces are provided allowing you the choice of application development environments from C/C++ to VB.NET or C#.NET. Full inline IntelliSense autocompletion and documentation is provided with the .NET API interface and is accompanied by a full API manual describing all the camera functions and properties.

Superior Technical Assistance Center

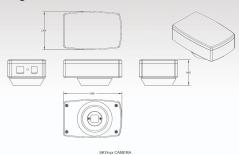
SKYnyx2-1 is supported by an experienced team of technical support and imaging experts. We understand your imaging needs and are here to help you get the most out of your camera. As a Lumenera customer you gain access to the Technical Assistance Center (TAC) group and knowledge base.

Features

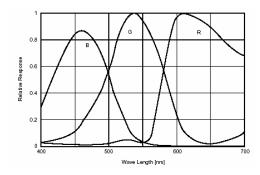
- The excellent sensitivity and low noise characteristics of the SKYnyx2-1 1.4 megapixel CCD image sensor enable users to capture high quality images
- 15 fps at full 1392 x 1040 resolution, with no compression
- Maximum frame rates exceed 30 fps with binning and ROI
- Select 8 and 12-bit pixel data modes
- T-mount for easy installation
- Up to 4096 intensity levels per channel
- The high-speed USB 2.0 interface eliminates a framegrabber and facilitates ease of installation on both laptop and desktop computers
- Both custom design services and Software Developers Kit are available to help with unique design requirements and software integration
- SKYnyx2-1 captures images through our 3rd party software partners
- SKYnyx2-1 cameras are software compatible with Windows XP, Windows Vista and Windows 7, 32 and 64-bit operating systems
- Full one (1) year warranty



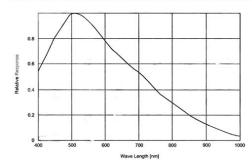
Mechanical Drawing



Color Quantum Efficiency Curve



Monochrome Quantum Efficiency Curve



Ordering Options	
SKYnyx2-1 M	1.4 MP CCD Enclosed Monochrome Camera
SKYnyx2-1C	1.4 MP CCD Enclosed Color Camera
LuCAMSW-DVD	DVD with user application software, camera device drivers and documentation (no charge accessory)
LuSDK	Software Developer's Kit (Web download)
LuSDK-DVD	Software Developer's Kit (DVD)
Included with Shipment	
SKYnyx2-1 digital camera for USB 2.0	
CD-ROM with drivers	
2 m USB 2.0 Cable	

Sensor Specifications	
Image Sensor	Sony ICX205, CCD, color or mono progressive scan
Optical Format	1/2"
Active Area	6.5 x 4.8 mm
Pixel Size	4.65 x 4.65 µm
Resolution	1392 x 1040 pixels
Tiesolution	1002 X 1040 pixels
Frame Rate	15 fps at full resolution, higher with binning & ROI
Bit Depth	8 or 12-bit
Binning Modes	2 x 2, 3 x 3, 4 x 4
Exposure Control	Manual and automatic control
Gain Range	1.0 to 10 x programmable
White Balance	Manual and automatic control
Camera Characteristics	
Dynamic Range	58 dB
Read Noise	12 e- rms
Dark Current Noise	2 e-/s
Mechanical Specifications	
Data Interface	Standard USB 2.0 high-speed interface
Lens Mount	T-Mount
Dimensions (LxWxH)	64 x 97.78 x 42.67 mm (enclosed) 2.52 x 3.85 x 1.68 inches (enclosed)
Mass	320 g (enclosed)
Operating Temperature	0 to 50 °C
Storage Temperature	-30 to 70 °C
Operating Humidity	5 to 95 %, non condensing
Shock / Vibration	50 g shock, 5 g (2 to 200 Hz) vibration
Camera Software	
Operating Systems	Windows XP, Vista, 7, both 32 and 64-bit
Software Interfaces	Windows API, .NET, DirectX
Power and Emissions	
Power Consumption	~2.5 W
Power Requirement	USB bus power, or external 5 V DC - 500 mA
Emissions Compliances	FCC Class BE, CE Certified
Hazardous Materials	RoHS, WEEE Compliant
Warranty	One (1) year
System Requirements	
Recommended PC Specs	 Pentium 4, 1.3 GHz or higher 512 MB RAM 60 MB hard drive free space or more USB 2.0 Port Windows XP, Vista or 7
Minimum PC Specs	600 MHz Processor 256 MB of SDRAM 20 MB hard drive free space USB 2.0 Port Windows XP 32-bit

