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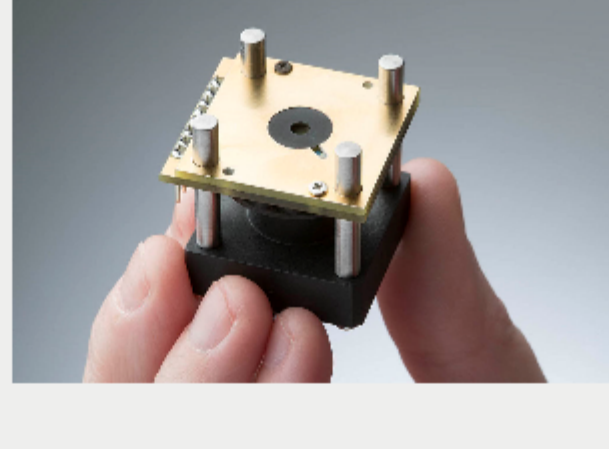
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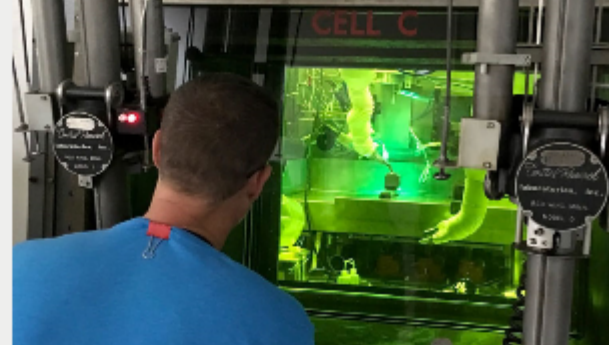
A cost-efficient hyperspectral imaging (HSI) technology has been developed that could enable new artificial intelligence (AI) applications to be introduced into mobile devices, allowing for potential use in smart home systems. The camera uses very-near-infrared (VNIR) wavelengths to detect and label materials and properties of different objects within an environment. AI is used to interpret the environmental spectral data within the VNIR range.



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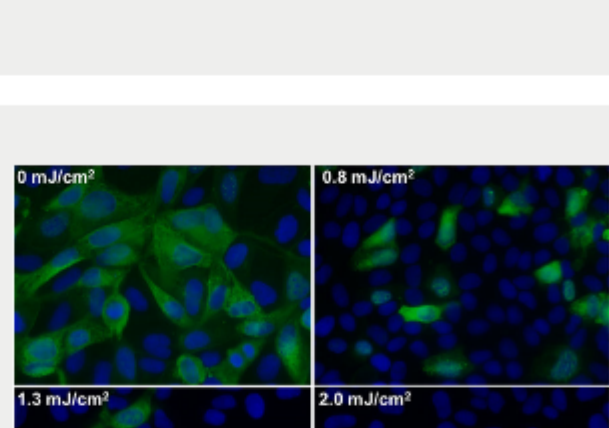
A system for welding highly irradiated metal alloys has been developed by researchers at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL) in partnership with the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI). The system, designed and installed in a hot cell at ORNL's Radiochemical Engineering Development Center, safely encloses equipment for laser and friction-stir welding.



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Far-UVC Light Could Safely Limit Spread of Flu, Other Airborne Viruses

Continuous low doses of far-UVC light have been shown to kill airborne flu viruses without harming human tissue. The far-UVC light inactivated the flu viruses with about the same efficiency as conventional germicidal UV light. Far-UVC light could offer a safe, low-cost solution to controlling airborne microbial diseases in indoor public spaces.



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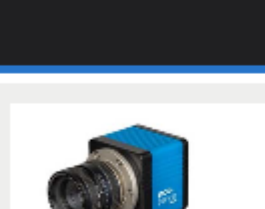


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U.S. manufacturing companies are expected to face a shortage of two million skilled workers by the year 2020, according to reports. As a result, manufacturers and educators are looking for real, actionable ideas to train workers, reduce the shortfall and realize the potential of the new age of manufacturing.

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Multi-Channel Controller

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The new 7000 Series MultiSource Multi-Channel Controller is designed for applications requiring a high channel count in a cost-effective and compact solution. With laser driver and temperature controller options, the MultiSource is an excellent building block for system applications.

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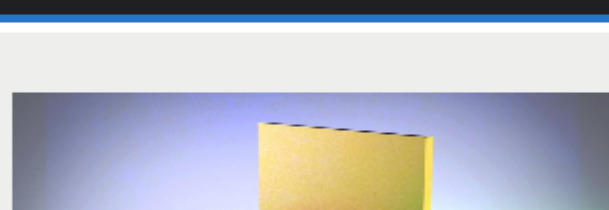
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Magnetic Dipole, Fiber Tailor Radiation in THz

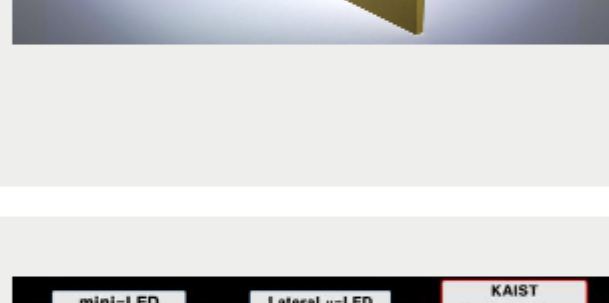
Researchers have demonstrated an enhanced magnetic dipole source in the terahertz frequency range. Developing a terahertz magnetic source is a necessary step to harness the magnetic nature of light for terahertz-driven devices.



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F-VLEDs Could be Used for Next Gen Displays and Biomedical Applications

Flexible vertical micro-LEDs (f-VLEDs) have been developed using anisotropic conductive film (ACF)-based transfer and interconnection technology. Thermal reliability and lifetime were improved by reducing heat generation within the thin film LEDs.



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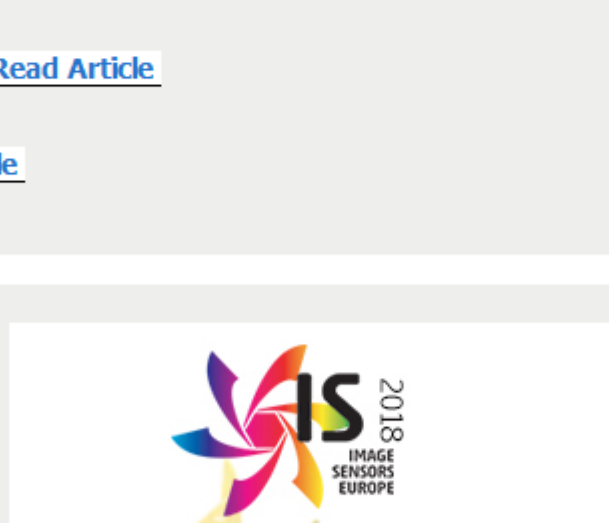
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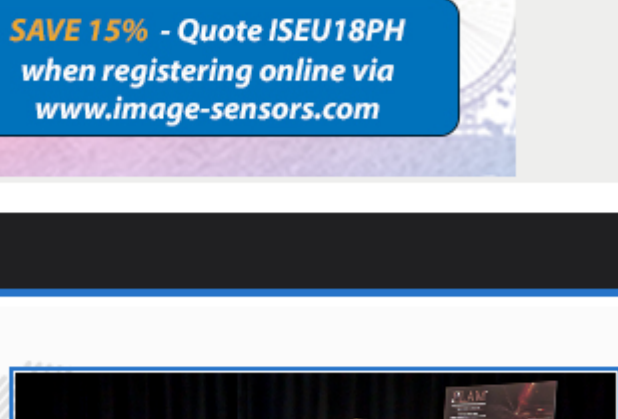


Industry Events

LAM 2018

March 27-28, 2018 - Schaumburg Convention Center - Schaumburg United States

The Laser Additive Manufacturing Conference (LAM) will offer presentations and exhibits on when, where and how to use laser additive manufacturing. Attendees will have the opportunity to learn about all aspects of additive manufacturing, from design, materials, modeling and manufacturing to applications. LAM 2018 will be co-locating with DigiFab Con, which will cover digital fabrication, and with Lasers for Manufacturing Event (LME), a one stop event for companies interested in integrating laser technology into their production.



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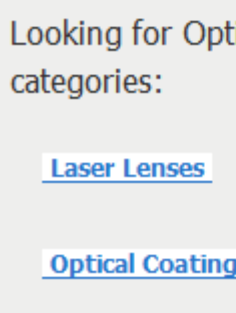
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