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On the camera front, resolutions are moving to the multi-megapixel, high-definition range. Having many such cameras churning out mountains of largely routine video could overburden network, storage and analysis systems.



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Toshiba Imaging's New UltraHD 4K - World's Smallest 3-Chip Video Camera

Toshiba Imaging Systems Division, announces the IK-4K, UltraHD 4K, the world's smallest 3-chip video camera with an unprecedented 8-megapixel, 3840 x 2160 pixel output.



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Understanding Our Universe: The Future of Photonics Is Written in the Stars

Two cameras on board NASA's New Horizons mission are helping scientists explore Pluto. One camera features seven charge-coupled devices and an infrared array detector, all of which provide color and black-and-white maps of the planet's surface. The other is an ultraviolet imaging spectrometer designed to image ultraviolet emissions and provide spectral images in the extreme- and far-ultraviolet passbands.











Metasurface Encodes IR

Images

Irregular metasurfaces can be made to encode multiple images at IR frequencies in much the same way as the pixels in a television screen can form a visible-light image. This was demonstrated with an array of subwavelength metal-insulatormetal (MIM) resonators that revealed different letters and even a famous painting when heated and imaged at different wavelengths and polarizations.

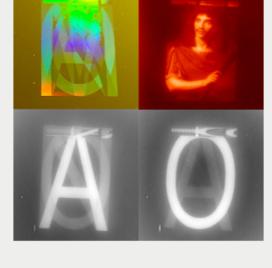












Application Note: NIR Spectroscopy Aids Diagnosis of Neonatal Brain Injury

A near-infrared (NIR) spectroscopy system has been used to measure cerebral changes and oxygen utilization in vivo, offering a noninvasive diagnostic technique for neonatal brain injury. The system simultaneously measured cerebral changes in tissue oxygenation and hemodynamics by estimating the changes in hemoglobin concentration.







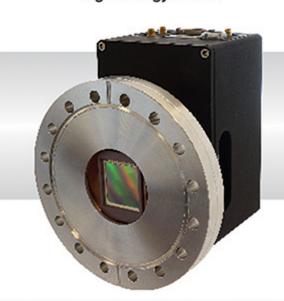














Worm Brain Imaging Illustrates Neurons' Role in Movement

A fluorescence microscopy technique has yielded 3D footage of brain activity in unrestrained worms, offering insight into how populations of neurons generate animal behavior. The setup included a suite of three cameras to monitor neuronal fluorescence, as well as the worm's position and orientation.

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