

High Performance, Uncooled, LWIR OEM Thermal Camera Module

BOSON®+



Made in the USA, and ITAR-free, the Boson+ sets the standard for longwave infrared (LWIR) OEM thermal camera performance and size, weight, and power (SWaP). It features an industry-leading thermal sensitivity of less than or equal to (≤)20 mK and an upgraded automatic gain control (AGC) filter delivering dramatically enhanced scene contrast and sharpness. Lower video latency enhances tracking, seeker performance, and decision support. Radiometry is available on both 640 x 512 and 320 x 256 resolution models.

Boson+ maintains the widely-deployed Boson mechanical, electrical, and optical interfaces enabling a plug-and-play upgrade. New models also include factory-integrated continuous zoom lenses to streamline development and maximize performance. With customer-selectable USB, CMOS, or MIPI video interfaces, it is easier than ever to integrate Boson+ into a wider range of embedded processors from Qualcomm, Ambarella, and more. The user-friendly Boson SDK, GUI, and comprehensive product integration documentation further simplify OEM integration. Enhanced thermal performance and industry-leading reliability provide low-risk development, making Boson+ ideal for unmanned ground vehicles (UGV), unmanned aircraft systems (UAS), wearables, security applications, handhelds, and thermal sights.



MARKET-LEADING THERMAL SENSITIVITY, CONTRAST, AND LATENCY

NEDT of ≤20 mK extends detection, recognition, and identification (DRI) performance

- ≤20 mK thermal sensitivity
- Radiometric models provide absolute temperature
- Improved latency for faster decision support
- Upgraded AGC provides blacker blacks and whiter whites



OPTIMIZED SIZE, WEIGHT, AND POWER (SWAP)

Full-featured LWIR thermal camera module just 7.5 grams and less than 4.9 cm³

- Low power consumption, starting at 500 mW
- Compact, 640x512 or 320x256 resolution, 12 µm pixel pitch LWIR microbolometer
- Rugged construction and operating temperature rating of -40 °C to 80 °C
- Factory-integrated 5x continuous zoom lens available



PLUG-AND-PLAY UPGRADE

Shared mechanical, electrical, and video interface across all Boson models

- Flexible USB, CMOS, and MIPI video output interfaces
- Comprehensive product documentation and easy-to-use GUI
- Highly-qualified Technical Services team
- Manufactured in the USA, dual use, and classified under US Department of Commerce jurisdiction as EAR 6A003.b.4.b



SPECIFICATIONS

THERMAL IMAGER			
Array Format	640 × 512 or 320 × 256		
Pixel Pitch	12 µm		
Thermal Spectral Range	Longwave infrared; 8 µm – 14 µm		
Thermal Sensitivity	Industrial: <20 mK Professional: <30 mK		
Full Frame Rate, Slow Frame Rate	60 Hz baseline; 30 Hz runtime selectable		
Non-uniformity Correction (NUC)	Factory calibrated; updated FFCs with FLIR Silent Shutterless NUC (SSN™)		
Solar Protection	Yes, lens only		
Digital Zoom	1x to 8x zoom		
Symbol Overlay	Re-writable each frame; alpha blending for translucent overlay		
RADIOMETRY			
Temperature Measurement	Available on select models in the fourth quarter of 2023.		
Scene Dynamic Range	320 × 256	640 × 512	
	to 150 °C (high gain) to 350 °C (low gain)	to 140 °C (high gain)	
Temperature Accuracy	±5 °C accuracy or less, depending upon operating conditions		
LENS OPTIONS	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
Array Format	320 × 256	640 × 512	
Horizontal Field of View (HFOV); Effective Focal Length	92°; 2.3 mm	95°; 4.9 mm	
	50°: 4.5 mm	50°: 9.2 mm	
	50°; 4.3 mm	32°; 14 mm	
	34°: 6.3 mm	32°: 13.6 mm	
	24°; 9.1 mm	24°; 18 mm	
	16°; 13.8 mm	18°; 24 mm	
	12°: 18 mm	12°: 36 mm	
	6°: 36 mm	8°; 55 mm	
	4°: 55 mm	6°: 73 mm	
	Available without lens		
PHYSICAL ATTRIBUTES	, wands to wante at tens		
Size	21 × 21 × 11 mm (0.83 × 0.83 × 0.4	3 in) without lens	
Weight	7.5 g (0.26 oz) without lens		
Precision Mounting Holes	Four tapped M16x0.35 (rear cover)		
INTERFACING	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		
Input Voltage	3.3 VDC		
Power Dissipation	Varies by configuration.		
	320+ as low as 500 mW 640+ as low as 1000 mW		
Video Channels	CMOS, MIPI or USB3		
Control Channels	UART, USB or I2C		
Configurable GPIO	Up to 11; user configurable		
ENVIRONMENTAL	1 op to 11, aser configurable		
Operating Temperature Range	-40 °C to 80 °C (-40 °F to 176 °F)		
Non-Operating Temperature Range	-50 °C to 85 °C (-58 °F to 185 °F)		
Shock	1,500 g @ 0.4 msec		
		12 km (max altitude of a commercial airliner or airborne platform)	

Specifications are subject to change without notice. For the most up-to-date specs, go to www.flir.com/bosonplus

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