360° Advanced Situational Awareness Day & Night for Army Applications

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The electronics and sensors are housed in a modular body which is protection class IP68K. The system is extremely robust, reliable, proven, and well protected against harsh environmental conditions like gun fire shocks, vibrations, high and low temperatures, water, sand and dust. A special modular software for the image processing with low latency was developed. The software has various capabilities like image fusion, image stitching, on screen data display, zoom & pan mode. The SW can be expanded with further modules and functions.

Key features
- Modular system
- Lowest latency from glass to glass
- 360° HFOV & up to 270° VFOV
- Day & Night vision
- Advanced sensor offering
- Image fusion
- Image stitching algorithm
- Tracking capability
- High reliability
- Customized configurations
- 20 years support
Single LWIR camera housing
- IP68K with CBNR protection
- Operating temp: -40 to +85°C
- 640 x 480 Resolution

Wide FOV dual channel camera housing
- IP68K with CBNR protection
- Operating temp: -40 to +85°C
- Extreme low latency image fusion of LWIR & CMOS sensors
- Image stitching algorithm for wide HFOV
- Various sensor configurations available
- Optional rotatable and tilt unit

Dual camera housing
- IP68K with CBNR protection
- Operating temp: -40 to +85°C
- LWIR & CMOS or CCD cameras
- Various sensor configurations available

Single & dual camera driver day & night periscope version with EPU
- Fast push-pull installation and disassembly
- IP68K with CBNR protection
- Detachable and adjustable monitor
- Operating temp: -40 to +71°C
- Passive system
- Digital image processing with low latency
- Various sensor configurations available

Embedded Processing Unit (EPU)
- Operating temp: -40 to +71°C
- 2x single or 2x dual Framegrabber
- 4x Output interfaces (monitor)
- Recording function
- 8x Output’s for external control
- Fast & robust SLC SSD memory
- Linux operating system
- Low latency image processing
- Passive cooling

Monitor with key panel & joystick
- Ratio: 4:3 or 16:9 version
- Dimension: 7” / 8,4” / 9”
- Res.: XGA, WXGA, FHD
- Operating: -40°C to +71°C
- Housing: IP65
- Illuminated keys, dimmable
- Detachable and adjustable