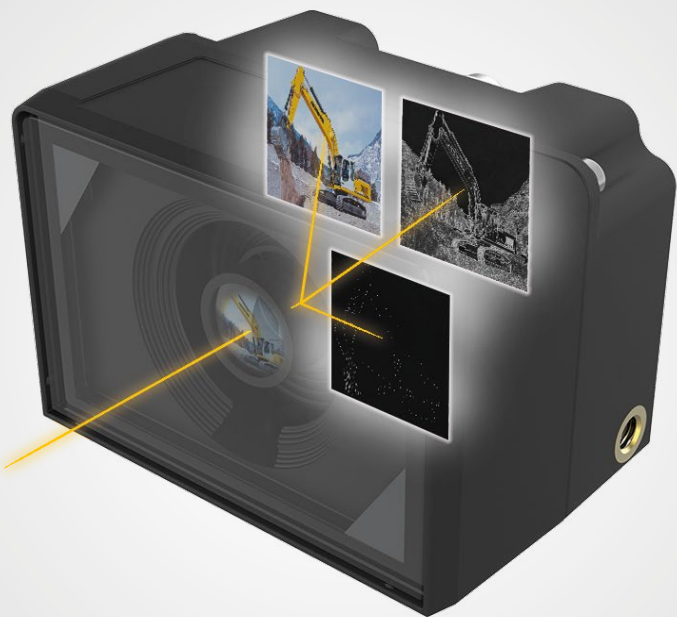


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The new MDC3 opens up far more perspectives than traditional digital cameras: aside from its image acquisition and transmission functions, what really sets it apart are its additional sensor functions. An integrated Ethernet switch on the camera enables the direct daisy-chaining of several cameras.

The MDC3 is already the third generation of our mobile digital camera. We guarantee long-term product availability, and in this way protect your investment. Thanks to its robustness, the camera perfectly qualifies for the challenging environmental conditions of mobile machinery – from agricultural machines, through construction machinery, to material handlers.

Clear vision under extreme conditions

Anti-ice and anti-fog function: the MDC3 is equipped with an integrated glass heater. As a result, the camera provides clear images even at extreme temperatures.

Comprehensive sensor functions



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The MDC3 is equipped with comprehensive sensor functions. The camera recognises movements in the field of view and can determine movement vectors. Based on this optical flow, it is possible to predict the direction in which objects are moving and their speed. Additionally the digital camera allows for edge detection.

These sensor functions make the MDC3 ideally suited as a reliable image sensor in environment recognition systems, thus enhancing the operational safety of mobile machinery.

Special features



Several cameras in series

Thanks to the integrated Ethernet switch, the camera has an additional Ethernet connection. This allows any number of cameras to be linked up in series (daisy chain) and to be linked by just one connection to the machine's control system. This saves on wiring outlay and all the costs that go with it.

Every detail

The MDC3 provides high-resolution images up to 1,280 x 960 pixels. Thanks to its design as a High Dynamic Range (HDR) camera, the MDC3 has far greater dynamic and colour dimensions than traditional cameras. This enables high-contrast images without overexposure or underexposure, and the representation of important image details.

Rapid image preparation

The MDC3 has a very short latency time. Within no more than 75 milliseconds it transmits the acquired image to the interface. This enables the implementation of a safe Camera-Monitor-System as per ISO 16001.

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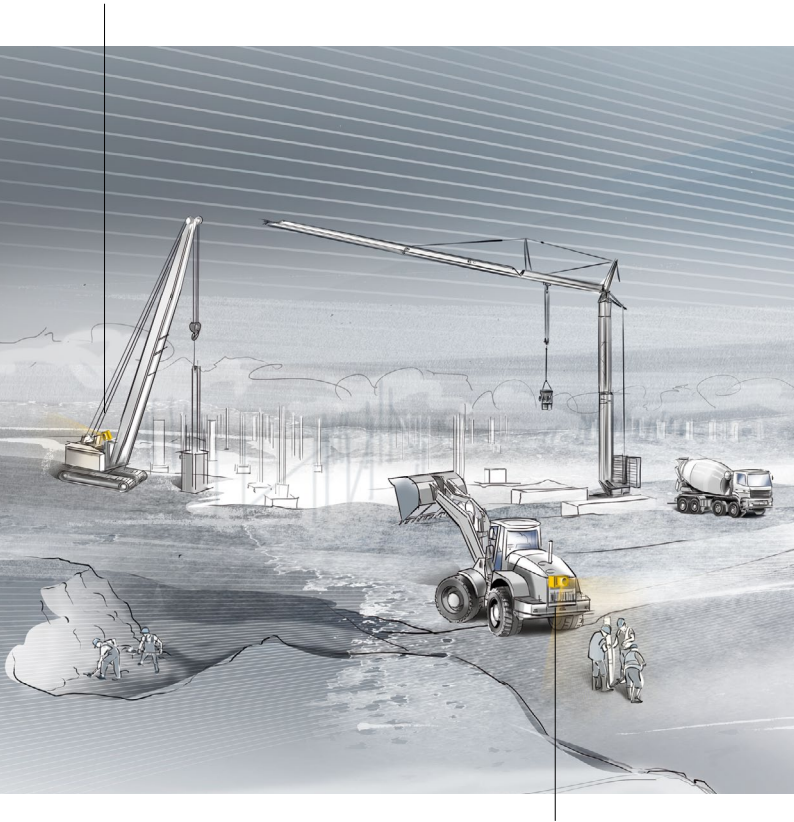
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| Image resolution | 320 x 176 to max. 1,280 x 960 |
| Colour resolution | 24-bit HDR |
| Field of view | HFOV: 30°, 60°, 90°, 120° ¹⁾ |
| Latency | ≤ 75 ms (picture to interface) |
| Frame rate | Max. 40 fps |
| Video format | MJPEG/H.264 |
| Ethernet | 2 x 100BASE-TX in accordance with IEEE 802.3 |
| Operating voltage | 9 V to 32 V |
| Power rating | 6 W to 24 W |
| Dimensions (W/H/D) | 77 x 55 x 60 mm |
| Weight | Approx. 160 g |
| Housing | Polyurethane (095GF) |
| Connector type | 2 x M12-8A (male/female, incl. 4 pins PWR) |
| Operating temperature | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| IP rating | IP6K7, IP6K9K in accordance with ISO 20653 |

¹⁾ Further horizontal field of view angles upon request

Application examples

Winch camera

On a crane, serious damage can be caused by the incorrect winding of a rope. The MDC3 can provide an optimum view of the winch in real time. Through monitoring of the winch, costly damage to the rope can be avoided and downtimes reduced.



Obstacle recognition

Obstacles in the work environment can lead to workplace accidents if not spotted in good time. The MDC3 makes prompt image acquisition possible thanks to edge image and optical flow technology. The reliable detection of the edges and movement vectors of an object constitute optimum preconditions for implementing environment recognition systems. This enhances both safety and work efficiency.

Monitoring the work environment

When the driver moves a machine backwards or sideways, a reliable depiction of the work environment is all the more important. Thanks to the horizontal and vertical mirror function of the MDC3, the camera is suitable for virtually any kind of position. Thus, the driver can operate the machine safely and comfortably.



Worksite monitoring

The digital camera is perfectly suited to the monitoring of critical areas. Thanks to the digital image acquisition, a digital image logger can be easily implemented. The comprehensive sensor functions of the MDC3 open up many more additional application possibilities.

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