



Megapicture technology is a system developed by ISG for exclusive use in our firefighting thermal imaging cameras. Megapicture technology reduces random noise or "snow" in the image, as well as minimizes "fixed pattern noise." These special noise reduction systems are the foundation of the Megapicture system. These systems ensure crystal clear image quality, but noise reduction is only the beginning. Megapicture's main focus is to enhance headroom, thereby enhancing firefighter safety.

High Resolution Sensor

The Megapicture system drives a high resolution vanadium oxide 37.5um pitch sensor that is available only in the ISG ELITE. The sensor offers non-uniformity correction on-chip as well as delivers raw sensitivity unparalleled by other systems. Think of Megapicture's sensor in the same way you think of sensors in digital camcorders. The more the pixels, the better the image quality. The better the image quality, the more you see. The more you see, the safer you can be.

Lightning Fast Update Rates

Megapicture technology scans the fire scene for heat changes in the environment, analyzes them, and turns them into digital pictures. The number of scene elements you can analyze is a result of the number of scene sensing pixels and the speed at which the system can scan. Megapicture technology scans 4,608,000 scene elements each second. Typical competitive cameras only can scan up to 576,000 scene elements per second. The result is a much clearer image that helps firefighters see all resolvable detail in the scene - to help firefighters make better, safer, decisions.

Thousand Plus Mode

All of the latest thermal imagers use microbolometer sensors. And all microbolometer based cameras have two modes - high sense and low sense. High sense mode is used when the camera is in ambient environments. Low sense mode is used in hot firefighting environments. A typical competitive camera in low sense mode can see up to around 1000°F. That amount of headroom is adequate in almost all conditions. But, to offer added headroom, and added safety, Megapicture technology added a third mode - Thousand Plus Mode - to enable clear imaging in scenes to levels over 2000°F. That feature is extremely important when faced with an extreme condition like flashover - just when firefighters need to find the exit real fast. It's nice to know you have the capability of seeing through those extreme temperatures - just in case. Think of Thousand Plus Mode as equivalent to a 5 speed transmission in your car versus a 4 speed. Very few of us still buy cars with only 4 speeds.

Oversized Lens

Just like any other camera, the physics of optics also apply to thermal imagers. The bigger the lens, the more scene elements the camera can focus on. The Megapicture system uses the biggest and fastest possible lens. The Megapicture lens lets the sensor focus on 77% more data than lenses found in competitive cameras. And, in combination with its uniquely fast update rates, the result is spectacular image clarity.

By now you've probably noticed that we are very technical people at ISG. This is because we only manufacture thermal imagers - nothing else. We are specialists in the design of firefighting cameras. We've been doing this for over fifteen years. In fact, because of our superior technology, ISG cameras have been the exclusive choice of Navy firefighters worldwide, including the US Navy. ISG cameras are used by more Navies than all other camera brands combined. We are proud to help protect our forces, and the forces of countries that help us fight terrorism.

EXCLUSIVE SAFETY FEATURES

MORE HEADROOM

In Case of FLASHOVER See the Exit... Get Out FAST

SAFER CONDITIONS

Three Sense Modes - High Sense - Low Sense Thousand-Plus Mode

Images in Over 2.000°F

> See Clearly in Extreme Conditions

Uses the Biggest, Fastest Lens

High Resolution 320 x 240 Sensor See 77% More Scene Elements in ALL Conditions

For Crystal Clear Details in ALL Conditions

IMAGE COMPARISONS

















Extreme Equipment 4 Extreme Conditions

OPTIONS & ACCESSORIES

Fast Attack

The Fast Attack Truck Mount System is a rugged and secure powder coated aluminum mount that enables storage in an apparatus or command vehicle. With a quick-release mechanism and automatic charging capability, the system is designed to ensure that the imager will be totally operational when the apparatus arrives at the scene.

The design of the Fast Attack enables the imager's battery charger to be attached. This feature provides the ability to charge and maintain the imager's spare battery as well.

Extended

BATTERIES

ISG gives you the choice of a longer operating time for your camera with only three more ounces of weight. The Extended SuperCell allows the K1000 ELITE to operate for up to 5 hours.

Tac-Grip

Removable multi-use grip that lets you use your hands for other tasks without letting go of the camera.

Universal-T

TRANSMITTER

If you already have a transmitter set-up based on another brand of TIC, you need not change anything. Universal-T transmits to your existing command vehicle receiver equipment.

- Works with Other Brands of TICs
- Super High Power
- Long Range
- 2 Channels
- Internally Mounted Antenna
- · High Gain Receiver
- Works with Standard TV/VCR
- · Available as a Low Cost Upgrade
- FCC Part 90 Compliant

Break-Away

The K1000 ELITE's lanyard system offers a firefighter-induced breakaway capability to prevent firefighters from being trapped if the camera gets caught on an object.

Retractable

In the hectic and dangerous conditions of firefighting, your tools may fall from your grasp. With the ISG retractable lanyard, your safest tool is always at reach.

CAMERA SPECIFICATIONS

Electronics

Sensor Type Resolution Spectral Response NEDT Dynamic Range Mode Switch Time Noise Reduction Update Rate External Video Optics Material Field of View Optics F Stop Nominal Start-up Vanadium Oxide Microbolometer 320 X 240 8-14 microns 50 mK nominal Over 2000°F in Thousand Plus Mode 0.08 seconds Megapicture System 4,608,000 scene elements per second NTSC Germanium 59° F:/0.8 Under 5 seconds

Temperature Measurement

Measurement Measurement Range Resolution Repeatability Emissivity FPA Center Pixel Area Up to 2100°F +/- 1°F +/- 1°F .95 Preset

Colorization

Availability Type Standard on all K1000 ELITE cameras Yellow, red, temperature dependent see-through color.

Physical

Weight Housing Rubber Parts Display Cover Waterproofing Drop Test Under 3 pounds Radel-R High Heat Thermoplastic Neoprene Polycarbonate IP67 - immersion up to 3 feet 6 Feet

Battery

Operating Time Low Battery Warning Recharge Time

Warranty

Base Warranty Extended Warranty 3 Hours Displayed on-screen 2.5 Hours

One Year Up to 2 additional years