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QSI RS 2.0

QSI RS 2.0 2.0MP COOLED CCD CAMERA

Breakthrough QSI image quality for high speed applications!

The QSI RS 2.0 model camera employs a 2.0mp Kodak interline transfer CCD image sensor with microlens technology. The high quantum efficiency, wide dynamic range, dual read rates, low noise performance and internal 5 or 8-position color filter wheels make the QSI RS 2.0 ideally suited to a broad range of demanding scientific, life science, astronomical, and industrial imaging applications.

The *RS* 2.0 can be configured for applications from the visual band into the NIR from 350nm up to 1100nm. Electronic input and output triggers with latency as low as 5μ sec allow precise exposure timing and triggering of external events such as strobes. The RS 2.0 also supports Particle Image Velocimetry (PIV) exposure mode for flow visualization with two exposures as close together as 100μ sec.

Cooling on the RS Series is achieved with a custom 2-stage TEC supporting regulated cooling to >45C below ambient, or greater than 50C with the optional Liquid Heat Exchanger.

The RS 2.0 camera system is supported by industry leading image acquisition software plus a full camera control API is available for creating custom Windows or Linux applications.

See all camera specifications (https://gsimaging.com/specification-tables/)

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Choose an option

High Performance CCD Image Sensor

Leading Edge Technical Performance

Refined Design

Efficient, Low Power CCD Sensor Cooling

Two Shutters and a Filter Wheel

Connectivity and Notification

Extensive Software Support

2 Megapixel CCD Image Sensor

The QSI RS 2.0 employs a Kodak KAI-2020M 2.0 megapixel interline transfer CCD image sensor with microlens technology. The KAI-2020M sensor has a photoactive array of 1600W x 1200H pixels. It has excellent quantum efficiency between 350nm and 1000nm with significant enhancement at the blue end of the spectrum. Low dark current and high pixel charge capacity result in a dynamic range exceeding 74db. The sensor employs a vertical overflow drain that provides both antiblooming protection and a fast electronic shutter. Micro lenses cover the surface of the CCD to focus the light into each pixel to increase optical response. See the Specifications tab below for additional details.

With the fast electronic shutter and 8MHz High Speed read mode, the QSI RS 2.0 can produce frame rates of up to 20 frames per second (fps) when reading a Region of Interest (ROI), or 9 fps for low resolution full-frame 16-bit images.

With the fast electronic shutter and 8MHz High Speed read mode, the QSI RS 2.0 can produce frame rates of up to 15 frames per second (fps) when reading a Region of Interest (ROI), or 6 fps for low resolution full-frame 16-bit images.

Model RS 2.0 CCD Image Sensor Specifications

| Feature | Standard |
|--------------------------|--|
| CCD Manufacturer & Model | Kodak KAI-2020M |
| CCD Architecture | Interline Transfer |
| Microlens | Yes |
| Anti-blooming | Yes – 100x suppression |
| Imager Size: (WxH) | 11.84mm x 8.88mm |
| Pixel Array (WxH): | 1640×1214 total pixels, 1600×1200 active (visible) |
| Pixel Size: | 7.4μm x 7.4μm |
| | Typical Values |
| Pixel Full Well Depth | 40,000 electrons |
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| Absolute Quantum Efficiency | Peak: 55% at 500nm | | |
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| Pixel Dark Current | <0.1 electron per second at 0°C | | |
| Intrinsic Read Noise | <8 electrons RMS | | |
| Dynamic Range | 74db | | |
| Charge Transfer Efficiency | >0.99999 | | |
| (http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html) | Manufacturer's CCD Imager Specifications | | |
| | KAI-2020M/CM (PDF) (https://qsimaging.com/docs/KAI-2020LongSpec.pdf) | | |

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Model RS 2.0 Camera Specifications

| Feature | Model RS 2.0i | | Model RS 2 | Model RS 2.0s | | Model RS 2.0ws(-8) | |
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| CCD Image Sensor | KAI-2020M | | | | | | |
| Electronic Shutter | 100µsec to 240 minutes | | 100μsec to 240 minutes | 100µsec to 240 minutes | | 100µsec to 240 minutes | |
| Mechanical Shutter | No | | Yes | Yes | | Yes | |
| Internal Color Filter Wheel | No | | No | | ws - 5-Position CFW ws-8 - 8-position CFW Holds 1.25" or opt. 31mm filters | | |
| Camera Body Configuration | Slim Enclosure | | Medium Enclosure | | Full Enclosure | | |
| Dimensions | W4.45" x H4.45" x D1.68" (add 0.225" for T-Mount) | | W4.45" x H4.45" x D2.00" (add 0.225" for T-Mount) | | 5-pos, W4.45" x H4.45" x D2.50" 8-pos, W5.86" x H5.56" x D2.50" (add 0.225" for T-Mount) | | |
| Weight, without Nosepiece | 26 oz. / 740g | / 740g 34 oz. / 950g | | | 5-pos, 40 oz. / 1130g 8-pos, 51 oz. / 1450g | | |
| Optical Back Focus (w/o Filters in path) | 0.58" w/ T-mount adapter 0.68" w/ C-mount adapter 0.35" w/ no adapter | | 0.90" w/ T-mount adapter 0.68" w/ C-mount adapter 0.68" w/ no adapter | | 1.40" w/ T-mount adapter 1.18" w/ C-mount adapter 1.18" w/ no adapter | | |
| Thermoelectric CCD Cooling | Temperature regulation +/- 0.1°C, @ 0°C to -40°C CCD temperature | | | | | | |
| In free air, Fans @ Full Speed | Typically 45°C below ambient air with 85% cooling power | | | | | | |
| With Opt Liquid Cooling – Fans Off | Typically 52°C below circulating liquid with 85% cooling power (adds 0.75" to camera depth) | | | | | | |

| Cooling Fan Control | Intelligent, user configurable | | | | |
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| Read Rate | User Selectable High Quality mode at 800KHz, High Speed mode at 8MHz | | | | |
| Camera Gain | User Selectable High Gain 0.7 e-/ADU (default), Low Gain 1.5 e-/ADU | | | | |
| Digital Resolution | 16 bits (both High Quality and High Speed mode) | | | | |
| Total System Read Noise | Typically <8 electrons RMS (CCD specification limited) in High Quality mode Typically <16 electrons RMS (CCD specification limited) in High Speed mode | | | | |
| Pixel Dark Current | <0.1 electron per second at 0°C | | | | |
| Full Image Read and Download Time | Typically <4 second (host computer dependent) in High Quality Mode (800KHz) Typically <0.3 second (host computer dependent) in High Speed Mode (8MHz) Image download times will be reduced with binning and/or subframe (ROI) | | | | |
| Binning Modes | Symmetrical and Asymmetrical binning up to 9 pixels horizonally or vertically | | | | |
| Status and Notification | User configurable multi-color LED status indicator and multifunction audible beeper. Over-temperature and high/low voltage alarms. | | | | |
| Power Consumption | 12v, 2A (24 watts) at max cooling, max fans and filter moving (25 AC watts max with included 90-240V AC power supply) | | | | |
| Operating Environment | Temperature: -20°C to 30°C, Humidity: 10% to 90% non-condensing | | | | |
| Computer Connectivity | USB 2.0 High Speed (USB 1.1 compatible) | | | | |
| Other Ports | Optically isolated 4 channel control port with low latency input and output shutter triggers (See API Reference Manual for details) | | | | |
| Lens Attachment | Standard – T-Thread, 42mm x .75mm pitch Supports Canon EOS and Nikon F-mount lenses | | | | |
| C Mounting Adapter (1" x 32TPI) | Optional, C-Mount (Type I) lens focus compatible (17.5mm backfocus) | Optional, C-Mount (Type II) lens focus compatible (17.5mm backfocus) | Optional, for non-lens adapters and accessories (standard C-Mount lens does not reach focus at infinity) | | |
| Nosepiece | Standard, T-Adapter to 2" nosepiece Optional, T-Adapter to 1.25" nosepiece | | | | |



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