





# PIXIS-XB: 400BR

The PIXIS-XB: 400BR is a fully integrated camera that utilizes a back illuminated, deep depletion CCD for direct detection of X-rays between < 3keV and 20 keV. This highly sensitive, high resolution camera is designed for very low X-ray flux imaging. With 20  $\mu$ m x 20  $\mu$ m pixels and 100% fill factor, this system provides high spatial resolution. A thin beryllium window in front vacuum seals the unit for deep cooling, protects the CCD, and reduces background by filtering low-energy X-rays. The thermoelectrically cooled option delivers maintenance-free operation. The software-selectable gains, output amplifiers, and readout speeds offer users highly flexible configuration capabilities to optimize system performance.

FEATURE	BENEFITS	
Back-illuminated, deep depletion CCD	Provides very low X-ray flux imaging with high sensitivity and high resolution (MTF) for X-ray energy ranging from < 3 keV to 20 keV	
All-metal, hermetic vacuum seals	No out-gassing (as in epoxy seals) which can compromise vacuum performance	
Thermoelectric cooling  Air Cooling  Water cooling	Allows maintenance free operation Allows vibration free operation with room temperature, coolant circulation for temperature fluctuation sensitive applications (CoolCUBE II required)	
1340 x 400 imaging array, 20 μm x 20 μm pixels	High spatial resolution	
Scientific grade CCD	Low noise, few defects, linear response	
Low noise electronics	Best performance with high dynamic range	
Dual digitizers	Dual-speed digitization allows complete freedom to select between "slow operation" for low noise and highest SNR or "fast operation" for rapid image acquisition	
Software selectable system gains	Flexibility to optimize signal-to-noise ratio and dynamic range	
Kinetics readout mode	Custom readout mode offers microsecond resolution	
USB2.0 data interface, Optional fiber optic interface	Plug-n-play operation; Use it with laptop; Fiber optic interface is ideal for remote operation	
WinView/Spec (for Windows XP/7; 32-bit) or LightField™ (for Windows 7; 64-bit)	Powerful, yet easy-to-use software packages for acquisition, display and analysis; LightField offers cutting edge interface, direct to hard drive streaming, time stamping & more	
PVCAM/PICAM software interface	Universal programming interface for easy custom programming; PVCAM for Windows XP/7 (32-bit) and Linux; PICAM for Windows 7 (64-bit)	
LabView® Scientific Imaging ToolKit (SITK <sup>TM</sup> )	Predefined vis for easy integration of camera controls into large experiment	

### **Applications:**



## **SPECIFICATIONS**

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Features		Back-illuminated, deep depletion CCD. High sensitivity in X-ray range from < 3 keV to 20 keV.	
CCD Image Sensor		Princeton Instruments' proprietary CCD, back-illuminated, deep depletion, grade 1, NIMO	
Dark current @ -75° C (e-/p/sec)		0.03 (typical) 0.065 (max)	
CCD format		1340 x 400 imaging pixels; 20 μm x 20 μm pixels; 100% fill factor	
Imaging area		26.8 x 8 mm (optically centered)	
Deepest cooling temperature		-90 $^{\circ}$ C typical; -75 $^{\circ}$ C guaranteed, specified at ambient temperature of +20 $^{\circ}$ C	
Thermostating precision		±0.05° C	
Cooling method		Thermoelectric air or liquid cooling (CoolCUBE II liquid circulator available)	
Full well:	Single pixel Output node	250 ke- (typical), 200 ke- (min) 1 Me- (typical), 750 ke- (min) (high capacity mode)	
ADC speed/bits		100kHz/16-bit and 2MHz/16-bit	
System read noise	@ 100 kHz @ 2 MHz	3.0 e- rms (typical), 5 e- rms (max) 11 e- rms (typical), 16 e- rms (max)	
Vertical shift speed		< 15 μsec/row (programmable)	
Non-linearity		<1% @ 100 kHz	
Software selectable gains		1, 2, 4 e- (high sensitivity); 4, 18, 16 e- (high capacity); available at all speeds	
Operating systems supported		Windows XP/7 (32-bit), Windows 7 (64-bit) and Linux	
Data interface		USB2.0 (5m interface cable provided); Optional Fiberoptic interface is available for remote operation	
I/O signals		Two MCX connectors for programmable frame readout, shutter, trigger in	
Operating environme	ent	+5 to +30° C non-condensing	
Certification		CE	
Dimensions / Weight	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	16.59 cm (6.53") x 11.81 cm (4.65") x 11.38 cm (4.48") (L x W x H) / 2.27 kg (5 lbs)	

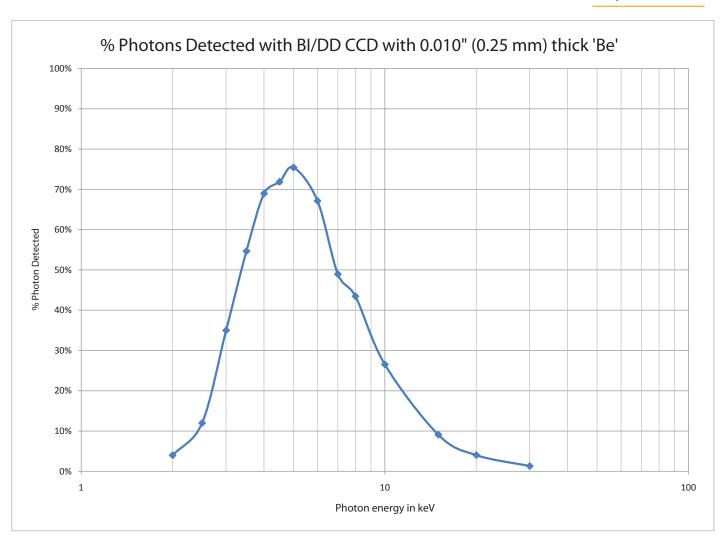
NOTE: All specifications subject to change

## **SPECTRAL RATE**

@ 100 kHz FVB	60 fps
@ 2 MHz FVB	315 fps
@ 2 MHz (0.2 mm high)	1300 fps



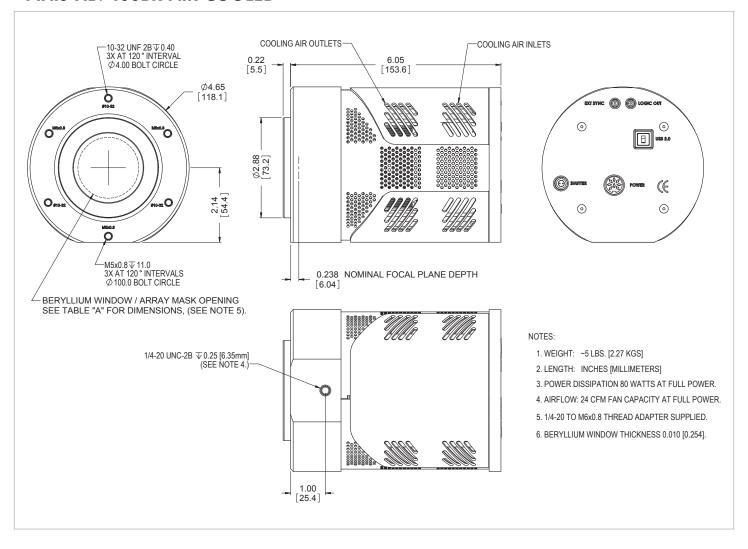
### **QE DATA**





#### **OUTLINE DRAWING**

#### PIXIS-XB: 400BR AIR COOLED





#### **OUTLINE DRAWING**

#### PIXIS-XB: 400BR LIQUID COOLED

