The third generation SPOT RT3™ Monochrome camera delivers high quality images with market-leading 14-bit digital output. Electronic circuitry refinements and deep cooling provide clean, uniform backgrounds when light is limited. The camera's 1" format sensor eliminates the need for expensive de-magnifying optics, and its large pixel wells enhance dynamic range. The RT3 Monochrome is optimal for fluorescence microscopy, FISH, GFP imaging, immunofluorescence and 3 D deconvolution.

The SPOT RT3 includes SPOT Basic software (Windows® and Mac® OS) which features real time image previewing, scale bar addition, report generation, time lapse, and measuring capabilities, and drivers are available for third party imaging software applications. A Software Development Kit (SDK) is available at no charge for integration with custom applications. IEEE 1394 Firewire™ connectivity enables effortless installation on computers and laptop portability. SPOT RT3 cameras come with a 2-year warranty and are supported by an experienced team of imaging specialists.





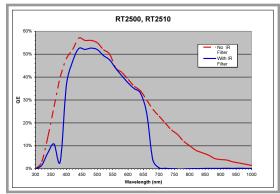
| Features | Benefits |
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| CCD cooled to -43.3°C below ambient | Reduces dark noise for long exposure image capture |
| 1600 x 1200 (1.92 Mp) image capture | Resolves fine detail |
| Programmable gain (1-16x) | Facilitates live mode previews of low light specimens |
| 14-bit x 20 MHz capture | Extra bit depth is ideal for image enhancement |
| 40 MHz live mode (dual channel 20 MHz) | High-speed imaging for real time viewing |
| Interline progressive scan CCD | Electronic shuttering eliminates mechanical shutter shortcomings related to speed, wear, and vibration |
| FireWire® interface | Allows for effortless installation, hot-swapping, and laptop connectivity for greater ease of use |



| Sensor | | |
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| Resolution | 1.92 Mp | |
| Sensor Type | Kodak KAI-2020-M with cover glass | |
| Active Pixels | 1600 x 1200 | |
| Pixel Size | 7.4 µm square pixels | |
| Optical Format | 1" | |
| Active Imager Size | 11.8 mm x 8.9 mm active area 14.8 mm diagonal | |
| Exposure Time | 0.5 ms to 286 minutes; captured and live mode automatic exposure; captured and live mode manual exposure | |
| Binning | 1x1, 2x2, 3x3, 4x4, 8x8 | |
| Region of Interest | User selectable, 50 x 50 to full resolution | |
| Cooling | -43.3°C differential from ambient via thermoelectric cooler with fan cooled heat sink (-23.3°C from an ambient of 20°C) | |
| Read Noise | 16 e⁻ rms | |
| Dark Current | 0.003 e/p/s (typical) | |
| Full Well Depth | 31,500 e⁻ (Gain=1) | |
| Non-linearity | <1% | |
| Bit Depth | 8, 12, 14 or 16-bit BW | |
| Sensor Readout Frequency | 20MHz | |

| Camera | | |
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| Lens Mount | C-mount | |
| Computer Interface | FireWire (IEEE 1394a) | |
| Triggers | Camera ready (TTL) External trigger input (TTL) Exposure sync output (TTL) | |
| Tripod Mount | 1/4"-20 UNC | |
| Weight | 2.4 lbs. (1.09 kg) | |
| Size | 5.77" W x 4.02" D x 3.15" H (147 mm x 102 mm x 80 mm) | |
| Power Requirements | 100-240 VAC, 1.5A | |
| Operating Environment | 0 to 30°C ambient, 0-80% relative humidity noncondensing | |
| Storage Temperature | -20 to 60°C | |
| Certifications | CE, FCC Class A, EN60950 RoHS compliant | |

Quantum Efficiency



Captured Frame Rates Captured Frames per Second *

| Binning level | Region of interest | | | | |
|---------------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| | 1600 x 1200 | 1024 x 1024 | 512 x 512 | 256 x 256 | 50 x 50 |
| 1 x 1 | 7.6 | 8.9 | 16.0 | 26.7 | 58.2 |
| 2 x 2 | 13.8 | 15.8 | 26.2 | 38.6 | 63.4 |
| 3 x 3 | 18.7 | 20.9 | 32.2 | 44.5 | 64.6 |
| 4 x 4 | 22.1 | 24.5 | 35.9 | 46.2 | 60.6 |
| 8 x 8 | 27.9 | 29.6 | 37.0 | 41.4 | 40.9 |

 $^{*}0.5~\text{ms}$ exposure with post-processing deferred, taken with 1.67 GHz AMD XP2000 processor running Windows XP. Other platforms may provide different results.

| SPOT Software | |
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| SPOT Basic Software Features | Color Live mode viewing window with controls |
| | Image capture window |
| | Image capture setups are user defined, named and saved |
| | Auto or manual exposure for Live and captured images |
| | Zoom control on Live and captured images |
| | Auto white balance |
| | Spot or average metering |
| | Correct Color Technology™ using ICC/ColorSync corrections |
| | Flatfield correction |
| | Annotation |
| | Calibration mark |
| | Measurement tools |
| | Image enhancement tools |
| | Sequential image capture and playback |
| | Report generator |
| | Interactive print dialog |
| | Help menu |
| | Drivers: Twain for Windows®, 3rd Party Interface for Mac® |
| Computer Operating System Compatibility | Mac®: OS X Windows®: XP, Vista®, 7 (32 bit versions only) |
| Minimum Computer Requirements | Mac®: 400MHz Power PC, 512MB RAM, FireWire® IEEE 1394a port |
| | PC: 1GHz Pentium, 512MB RAM, FireWire® IEEE 1394a port |
| | Mac® and PC video: 24-bit color @ 1024 x 768 resolution |
| SPOT Advanced Software | Available (includes macro feature, floating taskbars and image archiving database) |
| SPOT Advanced Plus Software Modules (Optional) | Available (adds image display intensity scaling, peripheral device control and extended depth of focus) |
| Software Development Kit | Available for Mac® and Windows® |
| Native Drivers for 3rd Party Software | Available (call or visit our website) |
| Items Included | |
| Camera Head | With lens cap |
| FireWire® Cable | Data cable (6-pin) |
| Power Supply | With power cord, 2.29" (58mm) x 5.20" (132mm) x 1.18" (30mm), 0.70 lbs. (0.32kg) |
| Quick Start Installation Guide | Instructions on how to get up and running quickly |
| | Includes SPOT Basic software and |

| items included | |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Camera Head | With lens cap |
| FireWire® Cable | Data cable (6-pin) |
| Power Supply | With power cord, 2.29" (58mm) x 5.20" (132mm) x 1.18" (30mm), 0.70 lbs. (0.32kg) |
| Quick Start Installation Guide | Instructions on how to get up and running quickly |
| Software CD | Includes SPOT Basic software and User Guide |
| Warranty | 2 years from date of purchase |
| | |

| Catalog Number | C-Mount | F-Mount |
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| RT3 2.0 Mono No IR filter | RT2500 | N/A |
| RT3 2.0 Mono With IR filter | RT2510 | N/A |

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