Infrared Camera and Image Processing

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Near-Infrared Photography





Near-Infrared Photography Applications









Near-Infrared and Aerochrome



Project Design

Code Start:

1. Camera

- a. Auto Focus
- b. Flash
- c. Shutter

2. Board

- a. Load Photo
- b. Process Multiple Ways
- c. Export and Display

Code End



Project Specifications

Camera Type	Modified Canon EOS 1200D
Camera Output	RAW (.CR2), 5,184 × 3,456 Resolution
IR Filter Wavelength	760 nm to 1,200 nm
PYNQ Output	.PNG, 5,184 × 3,456
Flash Wavelength	850 nm



Camera Full-Spectrum Conversion



UV/IR Cut Filter





Auto White Balance

Most important processing step for IR photos

```
## AUTO WB ##
def auto_WB(RGB):
    wbalanced = np.zeros_like(RGB)
    colors = ("r", "g", "b")
    for i in range(3):
        hist, bins = np.histogram(RGB[..., i].ravel(), 256, (0, 256))
        bmin = np.min(np.where(hist>(hist.sum()*0.0005)))
        bmax = np.max(np.where(hist>(hist.sum()*0.0005)))
        wbalanced[...,i] = np.clip(RGB[...,i], bmin, bmax)
        wbalanced[...,i] = (wbalanced[...,i]-bmin) / (bmax - bmin) * 255
        hist, bins = np.histogram(wbalanced[..., i].ravel(), 256, (0, 256))
    return wbalanced
```

Discard 0.05% of histogram on each side and "stretch" remaining colors





Auto White Balance

Original

White Balanced



Further Processing

Red-Blue Channel Swap



High-Contrast Black and White



Further Processing

Pseudo-Thermal

Night Vision (Inverted)



Schedule and Future

	December 3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
RAW File Support								
Camera/Flash Control								
Take More Photos								
Aerochrome Processing								
Temperature Calibration								

Core Coding: Essentially Done

Camera/Flash Control: In Progress

Further Application Photos: To-Do

Aerochrome Processing: To-Do

Temperature Calibration: Time Permitting

Questions?