

Brigham Young University AUVSI Capstone Team (Team 45)

Vision Subsystem Concept Selection Matrices

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1 Introduction

The concept selection matrices are used to aid us in our decision about which camera we should use in our imaging system. We compared 4 different cameras and weighed them against 7 requirements. Shown below are the matrices; one shows the rating we gave, and the other shows the corresponding values where the ratings come from.

2 Camera Concept Selection

Table 1: Concept Selection Matrix for the camera.

Requirement	Weight	Basler Ace	Basler Ace Increased Focal	PtGrey Chameleon	Sony a6000
Resolution	3	2	2	1	5
Weight	1	3	3	5	2
Ease of System Integration	3	5	5	5	3
Clarity @ 150ft	5	1	4	4	5
Stability @ 150ft	5	1	1	2	5
Cost	2	5	1	4	3
Capture Rate	2	3	3	5	2
TOTAL		50	57	71	86



3 Measured Camera Values

Table 2: Comparison of relevant camera parameters for different camera candidates.

	Basler Ace	Basler Ace Increased Focal	PtGrey Chameleon 3	Sony a6000
Description	Baseline. The camera from last year with a 12.5mm focal length lens	Last years Basler with a 35mm focal length lens. This decreases field of view, but increases	Camera from two years ago. Powerful lens, but low Resolu- tion	Camera most commonly used by other AU- VSI teams. Low cost, and high resolution
Resolution	5MP	pixels/inch. 5MP	1.3MP	24MP
Weight	217g	250g	55g	410g
Ease of System Integration	Integrated	Integrated	Previously Integrated	Feasible
Clarity	Blurry, readable	Likely blurry, readable	Readable	Readable
Stability	Target unread- able	Target likely unreadable	Target unread- able	Target readable
Cost	\$0	\$600	\$310	\$550
Capture Rate	5Hz	5Hz	30Hz	1Hz

4 Conclusion

The results of the concept selection matrix show that we should use the Sony a6000 for our imaging system. It takes pictures with the highest resolution and takes clear pictures while it is unstable. We will need to put extra effort into integrating it into our system, but it will be well worth it.