

Slimme toepassingen met Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV's)

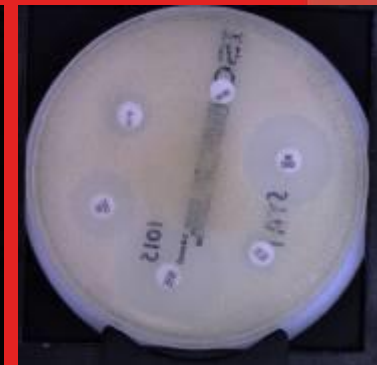
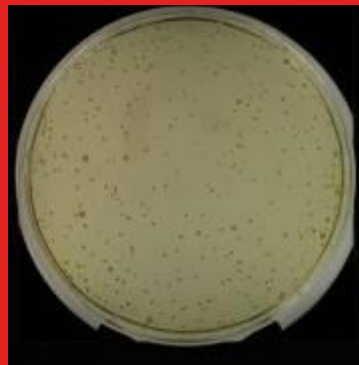
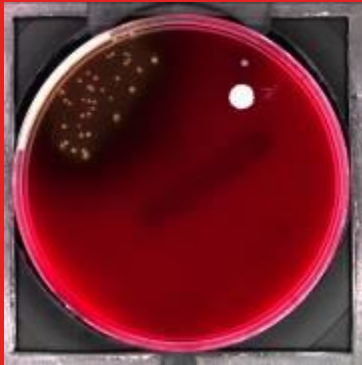
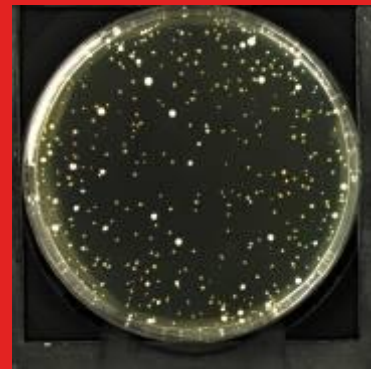
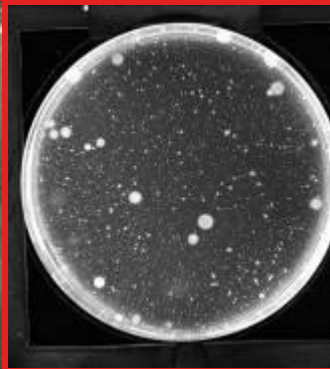
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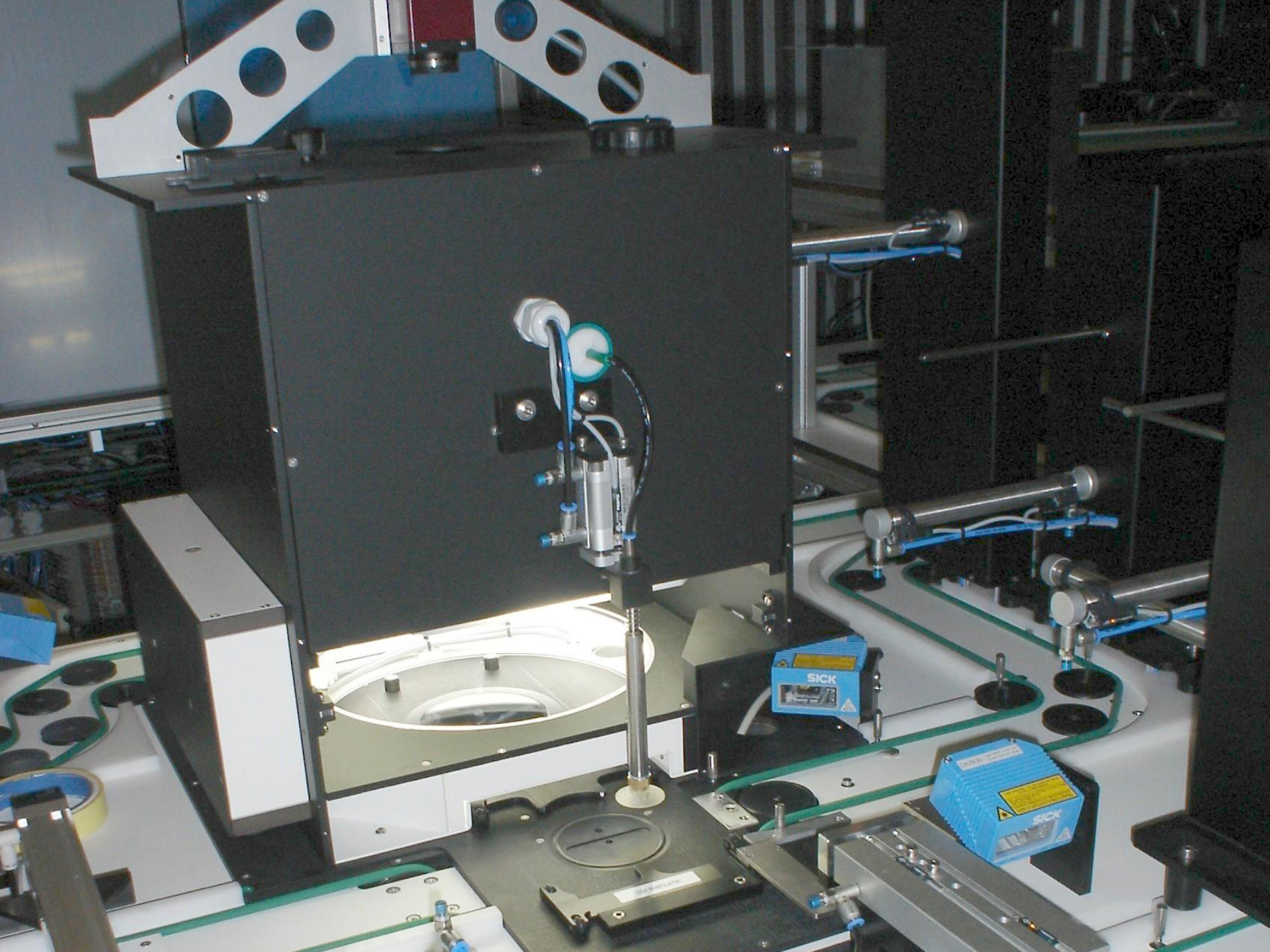
Overzicht

- **Wat is Computer Vision?**
- **NHL Kenniscentrum Computer Vision**
- **Drones of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs)**
- **Conclusie**

Inspectie petrischalen







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End-user trainable automatic antibiotic-susceptibility testing by disc diffusion using machine vision

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Objectives

BD Kiestra provides a workflow where digital images of Petri-dishes used in antibiotic susceptibility testing by disc diffusion can be automatically analyzed using machine vision algorithms.

The objective of this study is to develop and test a system which automatically optimizes a zone measurement algorithm to yield results close to zone measurements of a human end-user.

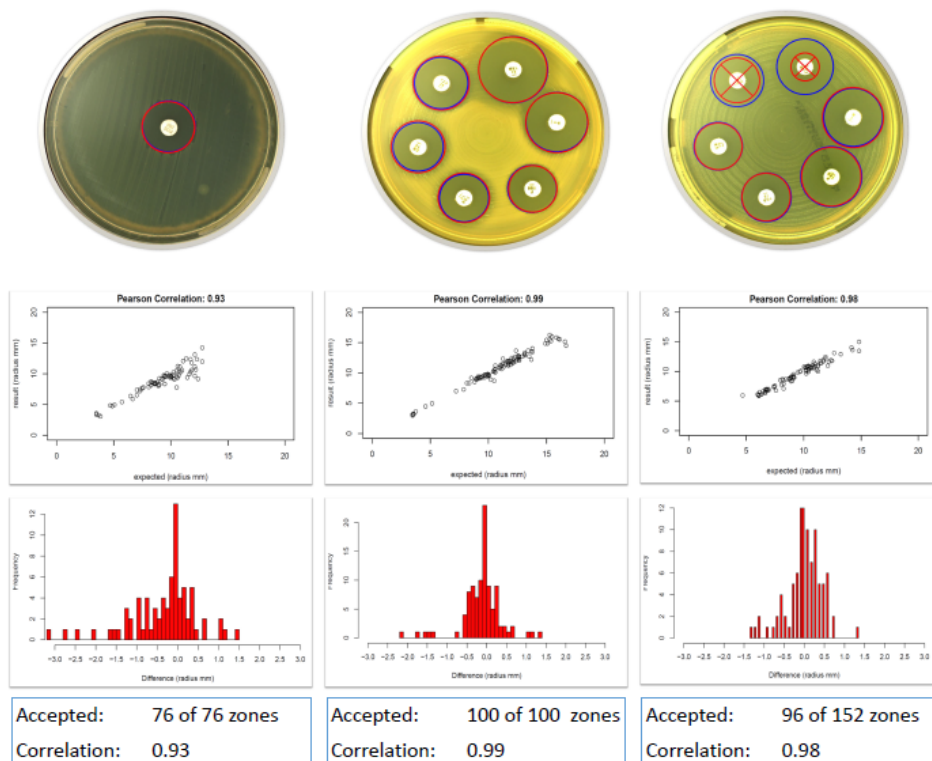
Methods

The main design principle is that the lab technician does not have to know anything about machine vision to train the system. Technical configuration is handled by Artificial Intelligence.

Three digital image sets of Petri-dishes using different illuminations from two European microbial laboratories have been selected from the daily routine to test the system. Evaluation is performed using a two-fold cross-validation.

Results

Blue and red circles are manual and automatic measurements respectively. Crossed circles are automatically rejected measurements.



Conclusions

An end-user trainable machine vision system for measuring zones is presented and compared to manual zone measurements.

The proposed method shows excellent correlation between manually and automatically measured zones.

In low contrast image environments the system adapts by automatically rejecting more zones maintaining high Pearson correlation.

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Cattle Care



LapVas (LIMIS, MCL)

Doel: verminderen naadlekkage bij darmoperaties

**Meten kwaliteit van weefsel van de darmwand
(microcirculatie)**



NHL Kenniscentrum Computer Vision

- Gestart in 1996
- Onderdeel NHL Hogeschool, Instituut Techniek
- 1 Lector (1 fte)
- 1 Onderzoeker (1 fte)
- 5 Project engineers (6.4 fte)
- Stagiairs / afstudeerders
Totaal, vanaf start: 450 uit Nederland en 45 uit buitenland

NHL Kenniscentrum Computer Vision

Kernactiviteit

- Computer Vision

Optiek, belichting, camera techniek, algoritmiek en het embedden in toepassingen

Speerpunten

- Data Science (Big Data)

Patroonherkenning en optimalisatie technieken (Kunstmatige Intelligentie en Statistiek)

- Parallel Computing

Versnellen van sequentiële algoritmen door deze te paralleliseren voor commodity parallele hardware, zoals multi-core CPU en/of GPU systemen

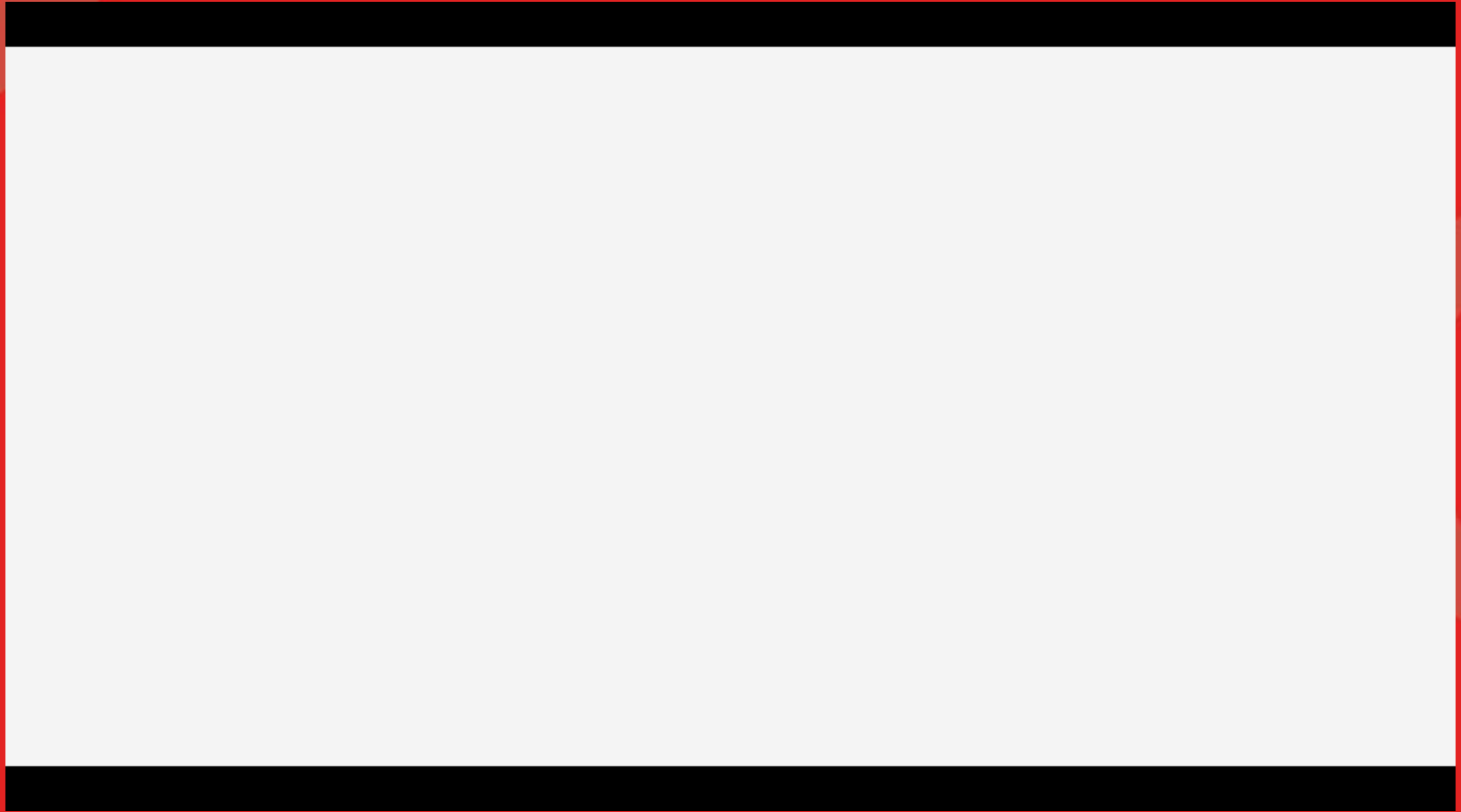
- Sensor Fusion

Data afkomstig van meerdere, en mogelijk van verschillend type, sensoren te combineren tot informatie





Video Smart Vision for UAVs



Drones in civiele toepassingen met camera's

- Commerciële operators die diensten aanbieden met drones bestuurt door grondpiloten mbv GPS-waypoints
- Commodity producten, bijvoorbeeld: DJI Phantom



Geautomatiseerd vliegen mbv GPS way-points

Van GPS positie naar GPS positie met gespecificeerde hoogte en snelheid



Geautomatiseerd vliegen mbv GPS way-points

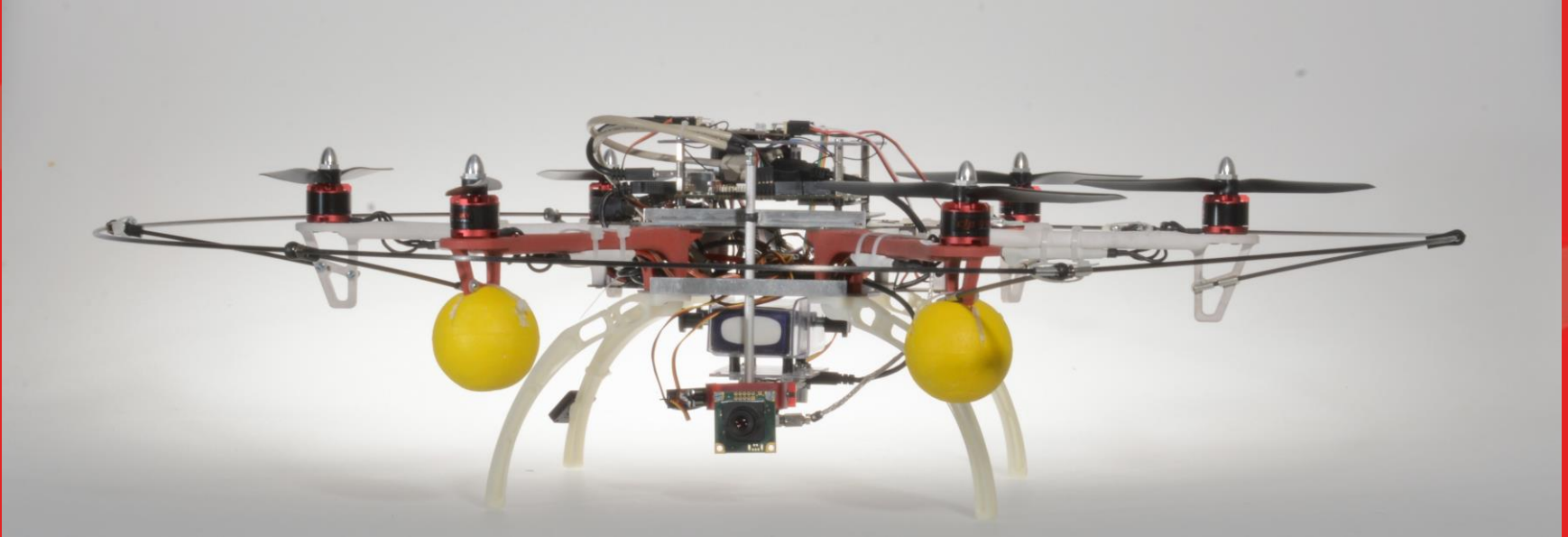


Global
Positioning
System

Flight controller



Smart Visions for UAVs



- RAAK SIA MKB project
- September 2014 – September 2016
- 15 bedrijven en instellingen
- Marktvragen:
 - Wind turbine inspectie
 - Detectie en inspectie van vuurhaarden
 - Inspectie van landbouwgronden
 - Schouwen van sloten



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Wind turbine inspectie

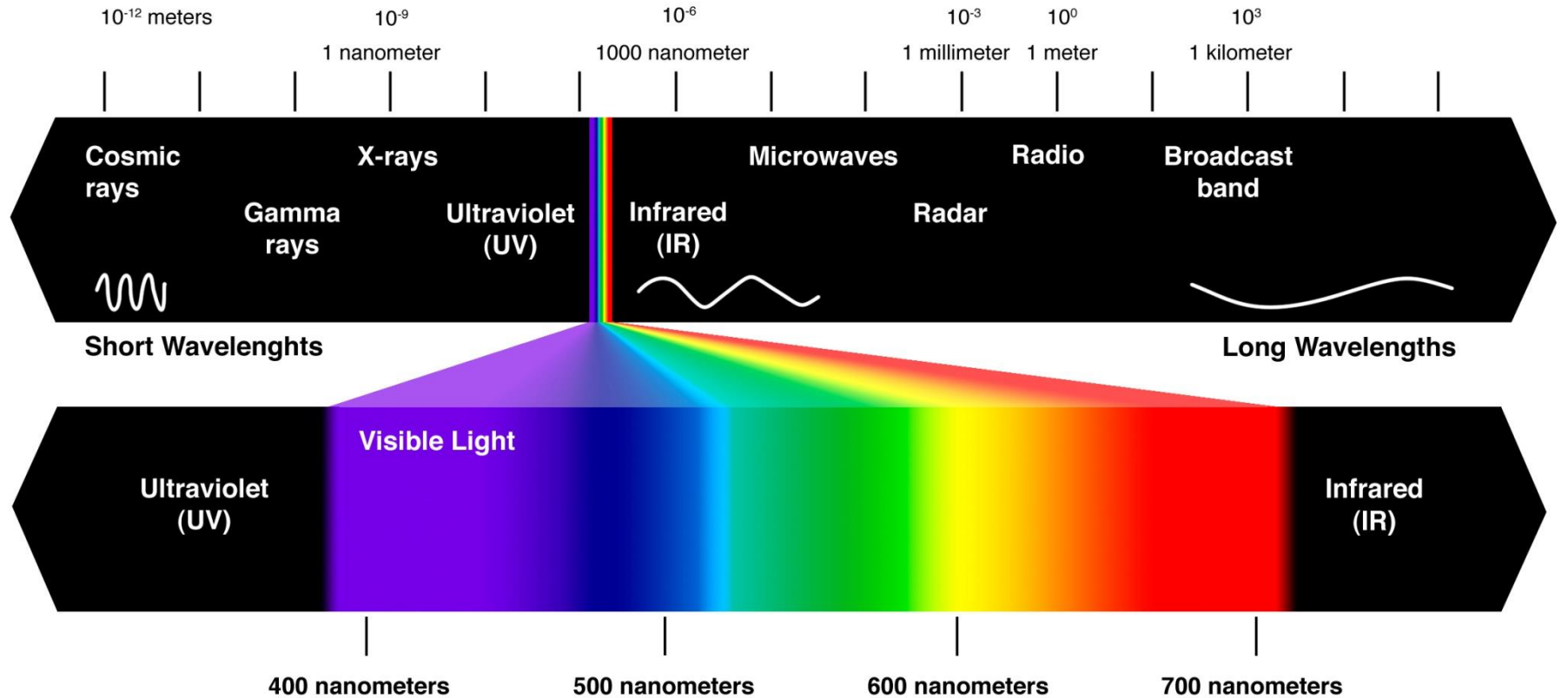


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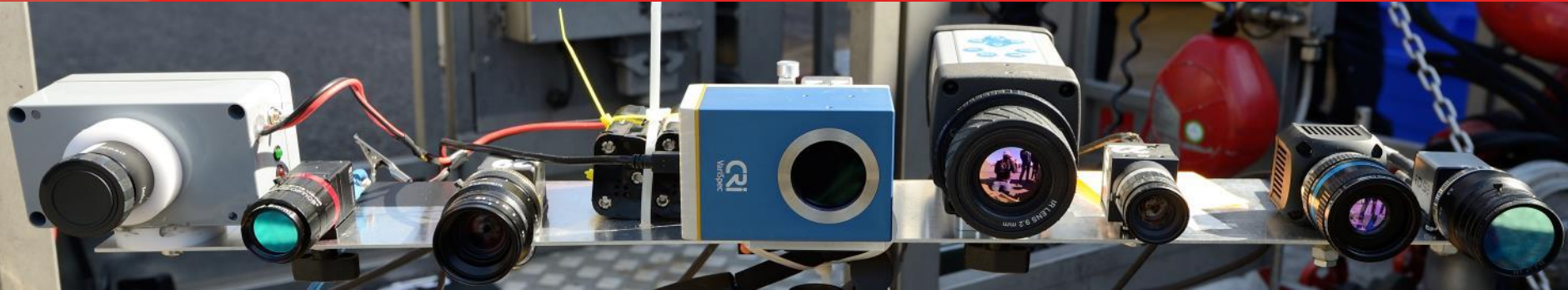
Onderzoeksvragen:

- Kunnen met behulp van UAVs voldoende kwalitatief goede opnames worden gemaakt om de gevraagde inspectie uit te voeren?
- Kan de beoordeling van deze beelden worden geautomatiseerd en in welke mate?
- Kan het vliegproces worden ondersteund en/of geautomatiseerd?
- Kan worden voldaan aan de wettelijke regelgeving met betrekking tot het bedrijfsmatig gebruik van UAVs?

Elektromagnetisch spectrum



Camera's for breed-spectrum experiment



Near IR

Short Wave IR

HDR

Thermal

Hyperpectral VIS

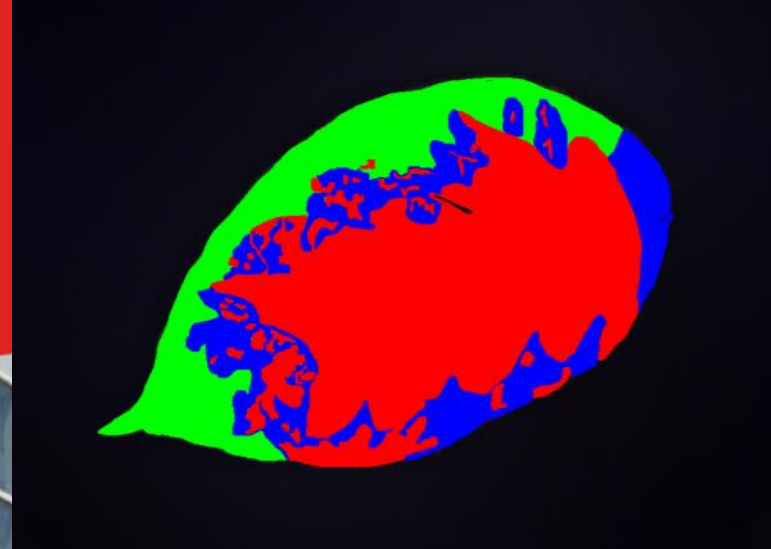
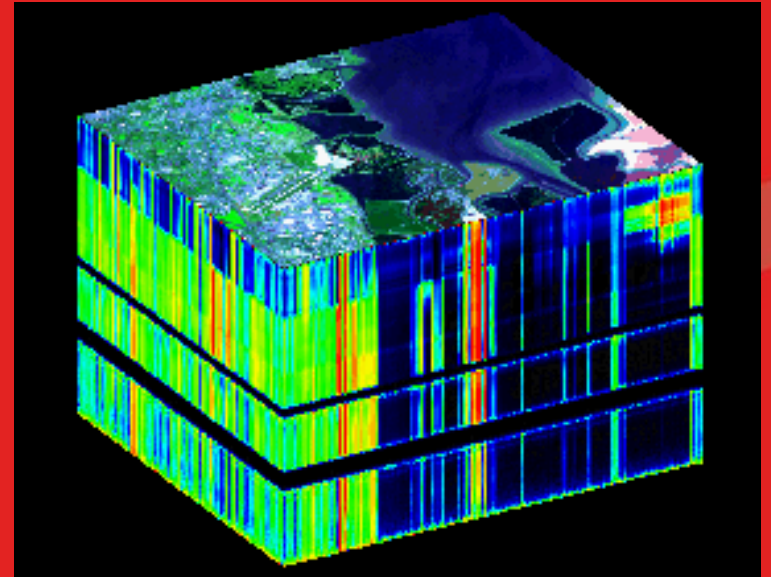
Visible light

Hyperspectral NIR

Thermal

Landbouwgrond inspectie

Detectie aardappelziekte



Geautomatiseerd vliegen mbv GPS way-points

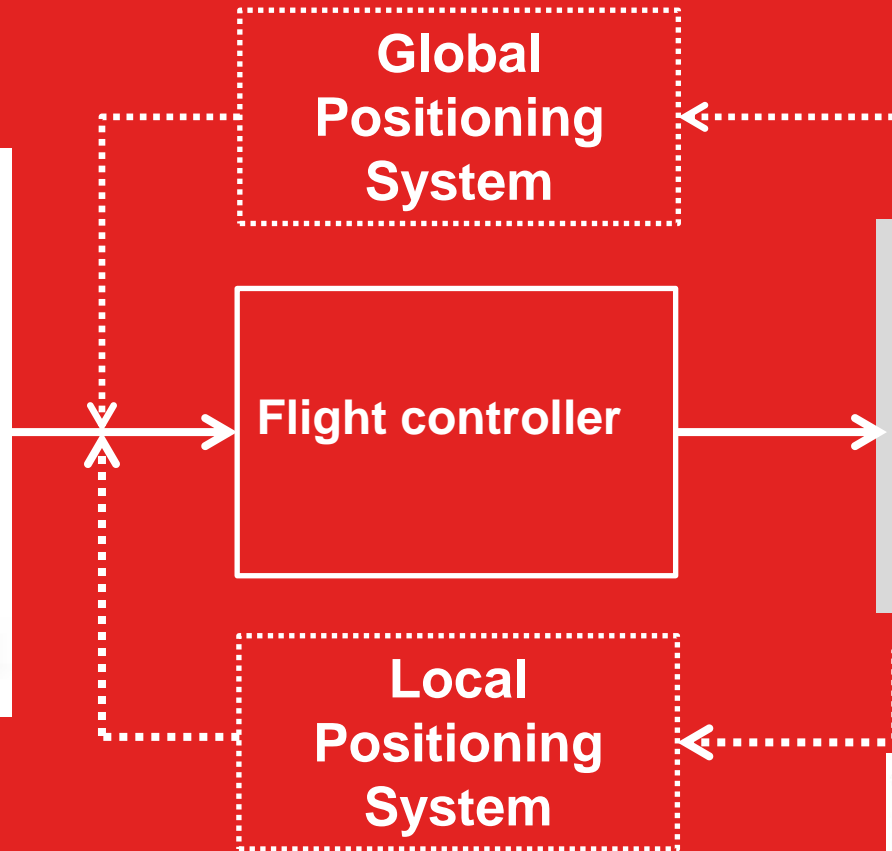


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NHL Twirre architecture



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Landing



Follow pointer

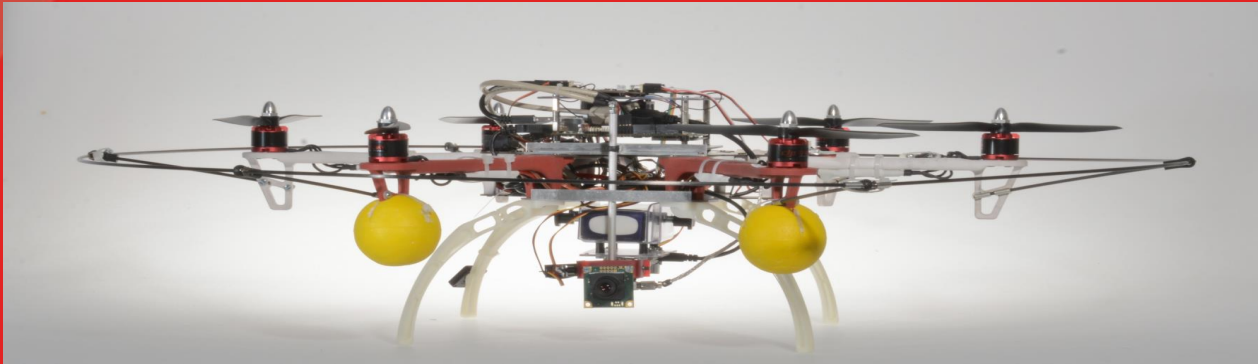


Inspection



Look around

Twirre architecture for automated UAVs using interchangeable commodity components



Uitgangspunten

- Alle intelligentie on-board
- Geen ontwikkeling hardware, UAVs en flight controllers
- Geen ontwikkeling software flight controllers
- Standaard componenten
 - Goedkoop
 - Uitwisselbaar
 - Uitbreidbaar
- Betrouwbare interventie manuele besturing

Hexa-copter

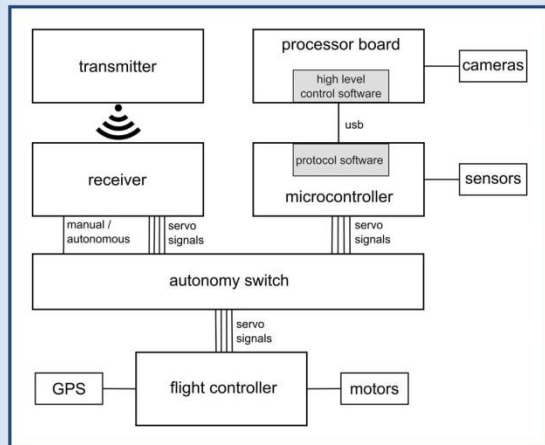


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Objectives

- All sensors and processing on-board
- Low-cost components
- Upgradable and extendable
- Useful in multiple applications
- Instantly and reliably switch between manual and autonomous control

Architecture



Cascade control system

- High level: simulation of human stick inputs
- Low level: exchangeable flight controller

Autonomy switch

- In hardware only, no software involved

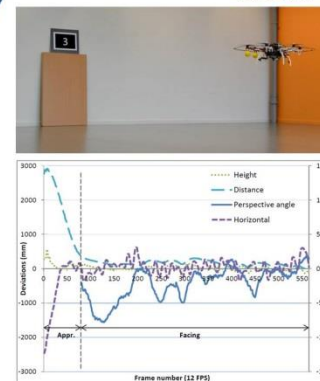
Software

- Mission and high level control system
- Portable C(++)

Example implementation

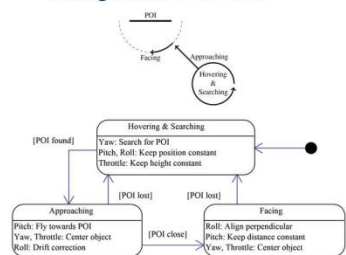


Result of experiments



State machine

- Hovering & Searching
- Approaching Point of Interest
- Facing Point of Interest



Conclusions

- Twirre architecture has been derived from objectives
- Low-cost multi-copters are implemented
- Successfully tested in GPS-deprived environment
- Autonomy switch is safe and reliable

Future work

- Extract reusable software components
- Add extra sensors for increased robustness
- Extend state machine
- Release system software to public domain

International Micro Air Vehicle Conference and Competition (IMAV 2014)

**Zie IMAV 2014 paper:
www.nhlcomputervision.nl**

DJI S1000+



MTOW = 11 kg
Payload = 5 kg
Flight time = 30 min

Conclusie

The sky is the limit !?

Vragen?

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