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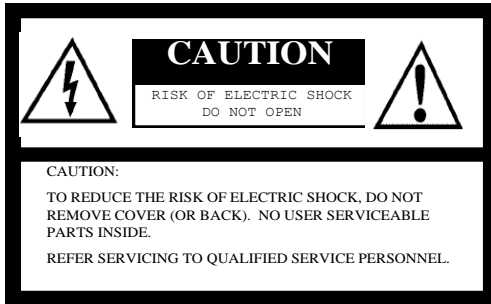
**STC-MBE132U3V**

**STC-MCE132U3V**

**USB 3.0 Vision Camera**

**Product Specifications**

## Safety Precautions



For U.S.A.

**Warning:**

This equipment generates and uses radio frequency energy and if not installed and used properly, I.e., in strict accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. It has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A computing device pursuant to Subpart J of Part 15 of FCC Rules, which are designed to provide reasonable protection against such interference when operated in a commercial environment.

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## Product Precautions

- Handle the camera with care. Do not abuse the camera. Avoid striking or shaking it. Improper handling or storage could damage the camera.
- Avoid pulling or damaging the camera cable.
- During camera use, avoid wrapping the unit in any material. This will cause the internal temperature of the unit to increase.
- Avoid exposing the camera to moisture, or operate it in wet areas.
- Avoid operating the camera beyond its temperature, humidity and power source ratings.
- While the camera is not being used, keep the lens or lens cap on the camera to prevent dust or contamination from getting in the CCD or filter area and scratching or damaging this area.
- Do not store the camera under the following conditions:
  - In wet, moist, and high humidity areas
  - Under hot direct sunlight
  - In high temperature areas
  - Near an object that releases a strong magnetic or electric field
  - Areas with strong vibrations
- Use a soft cloth to clean the camera. Use compressed air to clean the surface of the glass. Avoid scratching the surface of the glass.
- Defect pixels may appear due to the sensor characteristics.
- During camera use, avoid plugging or unplugging other USB devices (USB storage, etc.). Plugging or unplugging other devices may result in a failure to recognize the USB camera.
- Increasing gain level also increases the noise level.
- Note that the noise level increases when in long exposure mode.

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## Notes on PCs with Power Save Mode

When the USB camera is used with a motherboard containing processor chipsets with power save mode, Intel Core i3, i5, or i7, the following problems may occur:

- An image cannot be obtained with the USB camera
- A frame drops frequently

\* The issue may occur with other USB camera manufacturers as well.

### A. Cause of the Issue

The computer is unable to transfer the image because the processor enters power save mode during the image transfer process.

### B. Solutions for the Issue

This problem can be avoided by disabling power save mode on the processor chipset (if possible). However, increased power consumption and heat dissipation may be undesired effects of disabling power save mode.

#### 1. Disable the power save mode by changing the BIOS settings.

Either set "ACPI C State" to "Disable" or decrease the "Max ACPI C State" value step by step until you see the effect (i.e. C3->C2->C1). (This setting may have a different name depending on the BIOS)

- If necessary, please contact the manufacturer of the PC about the BIOS settings.
- Users will be responsible for any changes made to the BIOS.

#### 2. Disable the power save mode using the Sentech PC power management software (StPowerCtrl)

Please refer to the Start-Up Guide for the details.

#### 3. Change the camera blanking period and reduce frame rate.

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## I. Overview

This document describes the specification of the following cameras:

STC-MBE132U3V / MCE132U3V (1.3 Megapixel)

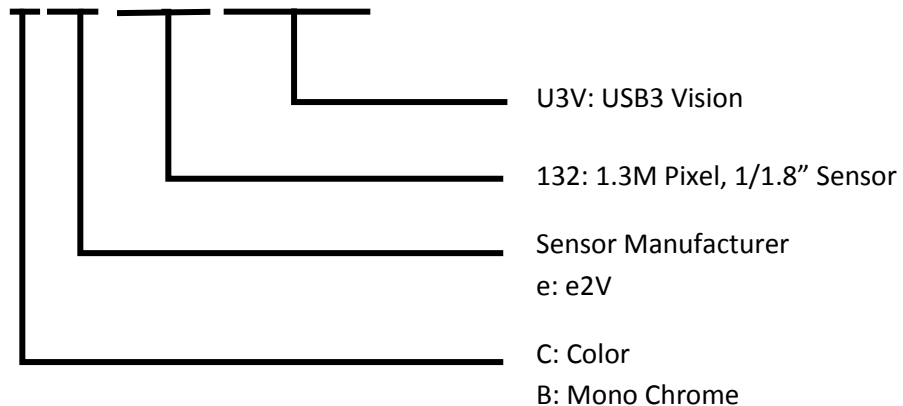
### A. Features

- USB 3 Vision (Pending)
- 60 FPS (Full Scan)
- CMOS Global / Rolling Shutter
- Up to 32 pixel blemish static collection (Default:ON) \*Note1
- 8, 10 bit output (RGB 8 is supported on the color camera)

\*Note 1: Even in camera initialization, pixel blemish static collection data will not be initialized on the EEPROM. The pixel blemish static collection data on the EEPROM can be set after camera initialization has read the data.

### B. Naming Method

## STC-MxE132U3V



### C. Support Application

This model supports the USB 3 Vision standard proposed by the Automated Imaging Association. Vision control software/libraries that support USB3 Vision can deploy their own USB3 Vision-compliant driver to control the camera. Otherwise, Sentech also provides its own driver and SDK for users to build their own application. A GenTL Common Transport Interface (CTI) layer is also provided.

### D. USB3 Vision GeniCam Compliance

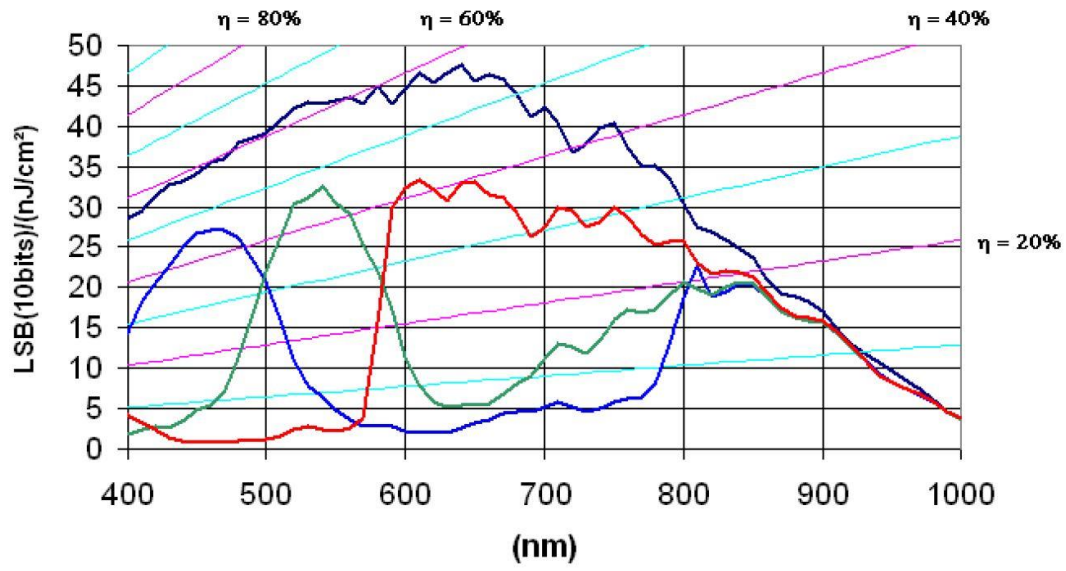
This product conforms to the USB3 Vision GeniCam standard. The product specifications are subject to change without notice.

## II. Specifications

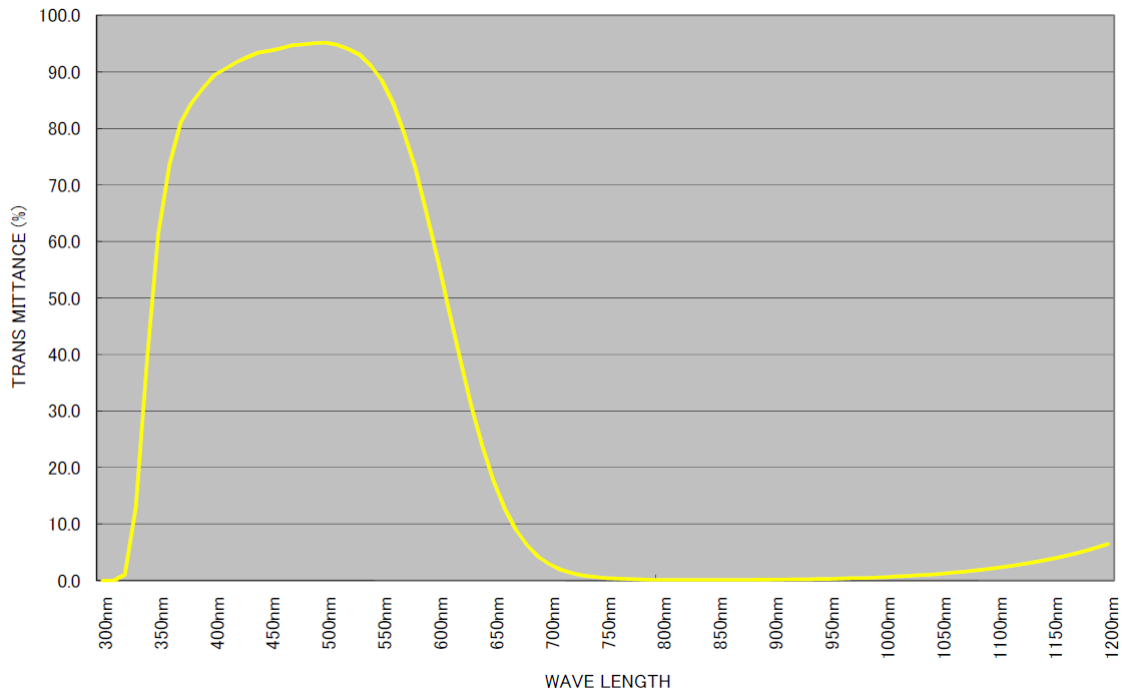
### A. Electronic Specifications

| Model Number  |               | STC-MCE132U3V   | STC-MBE132U3V   |
|---|---------------|---|---|
| Image Sensor  |               | 1/1.8" 1.3M pixel Color CMOS<br>(e2V: EV76C560ACT-EQV)  | 1/1.8" 1.3M pixel Monochrome CMOS<br>(e2V: EV76C560ABT-EQV) |
| Active Picture Elements                               |               | 1280(H) x 1024(V)   |   |
| Cell Size   |               | 5.3 (H) x 5.3 (V) $\mu\text{m}$   |   |
| Scanning System                                       |               | Progressive   |   |
| Shutter Type  |               | Rolling Shutter / Global Shutter  |   |
| Scanning Mode   |               | Full Scanning, Variable AOI (Horizontal and Vertical)   |   |
| Maximum Frame Rate<br>(in Full Scanning Mode)         |               | 1.3M: 1280 x 1024 : 60fps (Raw8/10 bit), 55fps (RGB8 only on color model)<br>*Frame rate will drop if connected with the USB2.0 port  |   |
| Maximum Frame Rate<br>(in Full Scanning Mode and AOI) |               | XGA (1024 x 768) : 80fps (Raw8/10 bit) , 71fps (RGB8 only on color model)<br>VGA (640 x 480) : 127fps (Raw8/10 bit) , 106fps (RGB8 only on color model)<br>Minimum AOI (32 x 32): 1222fps (Raw8/10 bit, Rolling Shutter), 1270fps (Raw8/10 bit, Global Shutter)<br>Minimum AOI (32 x 32): 416fps (RGB8, Rolling Shutter), 424fps (RGB8, Global Shutter) |   |
| Sync. System  |               | Internal  |   |
| Video Output Format                                   |               | RGB8, RAW8bit/10bit,  | RAW8bit/10bit   |
| S/N Ratio (8bit)                                      |               | Less than 3 digit(Gain 0 dB)  |   |
| Minimum Scene Illumination                            |               | 28.14lx at F1.2   | 0.26lx at F1.2  |
| ALC   |               | Auto Shutter / Auto Gain (Default: OFF)   |   |
| Electronic Shutter                                    |               | Preset • Free-run Mode: Exposure Time 16 usec to 0.97 sec (in full scanning mode)<br>Preset • Trigger Mode: Exposure Time 16 usec to 0.97 sec (in full scanning mode)   |   |
| Gain  | Analog        | 0 to 11.97dB (Default: 0dB)   |   |
|   | Digital       | x0.00 to x7.98 (Default: x0.00)   |   |
| Offset  | Digital       | 0 to 255 digit on 12bit (Default: 168)  |   |
| AOI   |               | AOI (Horizontal : 32 to 1280 pixels / Vertical : 32 to 1024 Line) (Default: 1280 x 1024)<br>Adjustable Steps: 4 pixels in horizontal direction and 4 lines in vertical direction  |   |
| Binning Function                                      |               | Horizontal 1/2, Vertical 1/2, (Default: 1/1)<br>*Pixels in the horizontal and vertical direction can be added to increase the brightness.<br>Available on "Horizontal and Vertical"   |   |
| Skipping Function                                     |               | Horizontal 1/2, 1/4, Vertical 1/2, 1/4 (Default: 1/1)   |   |
| Mirror Image  |               | Horizontal / Vertical / Horizontal and Vertical (Default: OFF)  |   |
| Pixel Defect Correction                               |               | Up to 32 pixels (Default: ON)   |   |
| White Balance   |               | Auto / Manual/ One-shot<br>(Default: Manual)  | N/A   |
| Operational Mode                                      |               | Free-run / Edge-preset Trigger  |   |
| Frame Memory  |               | One Frame   |   |
| Interface   |               | USB3.0 Super speed (USB3.0 Micro B)   |   |
| Input/Output  |               | Two Inputs and Two Outputs  |   |
| Power   | Input Voltage | +5V(typ.) (Conform to USB Standard)   |   |
|   | Consumption   | Less than TBD W   |   |

## B. Spectral Sensitivity Characteristics



## IR Cut Filter (NF-50D)





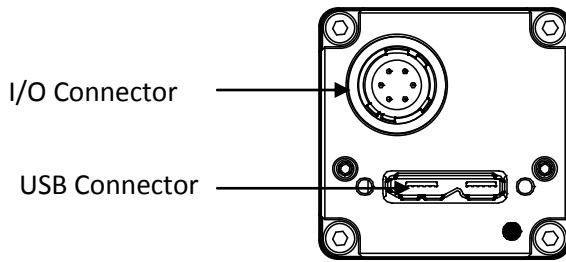
### C. Mechanical Specifications

| Model Number            | STC-MCE132U3V  | STC-MBE132U3V    |
|-------------------------|--|------------------|
| Dimensions              | 28 (W) x 28 (H) x 33.8 (D) mm *excluding the connectors  |                  |
| Lens Mount              | CS Mount   |                  |
| Optical Filter          | IR Cut Filter  | No IR Cut Filter |
| Optical Center Accuracy | Positional accuracy in H and V directions: +/- 0.5 mm<br>Rotational accuracy of H and V: +/- 0.35 deg. |                  |
| Weight                  | Approximately 38 g   |                  |
| Interface Connectors    | USB Connector: USB3.0 MicroB type<br>I/O Connector: HR10A-7R-6PB (Hirose) or equivalent                |                  |

### D. Environmental Specifications

| Model Number            | STC-MBE132U3V / STC-MCE132U3V  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Operational Temperature | 0 ~ +40°C  |
| Storage Temperature     | -30 ~ +65°C  |
| Vibration               | 20Hz to 200Hz to 20Hz (5min./cycle), acceleration 10G, 3 directions 30 min. each |
| Shock                   | Acceleration 38G, half amplitude 6ms, 3 directions 3 times each                  |
| Standard Compliancy     | EMS: EN61000-6-2, EMI: EN55011   |
| RoHS                    | RoHS Compliant   |

### III. Connector Specifications



#### A. USB Connector

- USB 3.0 Micro-B Type

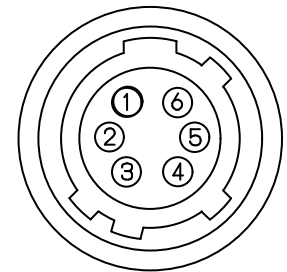
#### B. I/O Connector

- HR10A-7R-6PB (Hirose) or equivalent.
- This connector is for input triggers and output signals.
- Use mating connector HR10A-7P-6S (Hirose) or equivalent.

**- The power input of this connector is for output signals, not to supply power to the camera. Power to the camera is provided via the USB connector through the USB bus which carries +5V.**

#### 1. Pin Assignment

| Pin No. | Signal Name          | IN / OUT | Voltage            |               |
|---------|----------------------|----------|--------------------|---------------|
|         |                      |          | Low                | High          |
| 1       | GND (IO_GND)         | -        | 0V                 |               |
| 2       | Output 2 (IO3)       | OUT      | Smaller than 0.8 V | +3.3 to +24 V |
| 3       | Output 1 (IO2)       | OUT      | Smaller than 0.8 V | +3.3 to +24 V |
| 4       | Input 2 (IO1)        | IN       | Smaller than 0.7 V | +2.5 to +5 V  |
| 5       | Input 1 (IO0)        | IN       | Smaller than 0.7 V | +2.5 to +5 V  |
| 6       | Power Input (IO_VCC) | -        | +3 to +24Vdc       |               |



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## IV. Input / Output Signal Specifications

### A. Input Signals

#### 1. Input Signal Functions

- Using the software, the following functions can be set on “Input 1” and “Input 2” of the I/O Connector.
- The polarity of the Trigger Input can be selected.

| Function No. | Function Name      | Polarity             |
|--------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1)           | Disabled (Default) | -                    |
| 2)           | General Input      | -                    |
| 3)           | Trigger Input      | Positive or Negative |

#### 1) Disabled (Default)

Set this function when no input signal is necessary.

#### 2) General Input

When “General Input” is selected, the user can input logical high or low signals through this input. Then the state of the “General Input” can be read by applications.

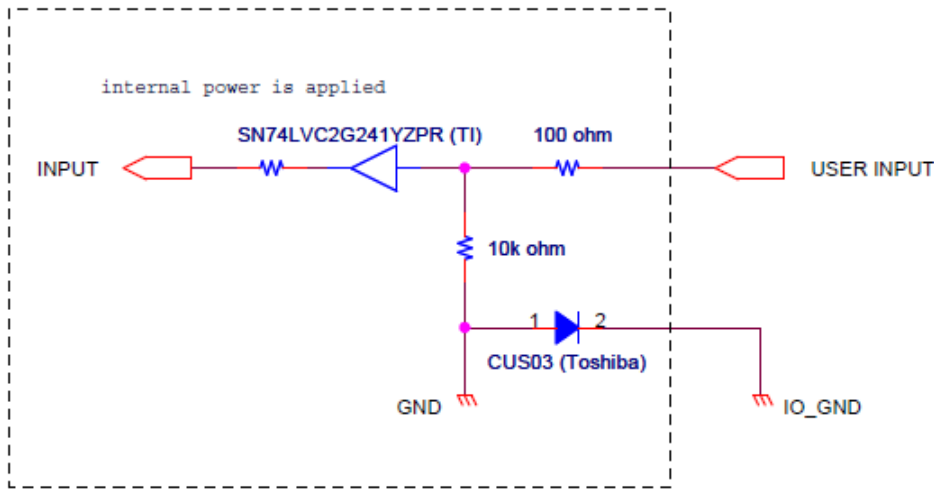
#### 3) Trigger Input

Use this function for the trigger signal in the edge preset mode.

#### 1. Input Signal Electronic Characteristics

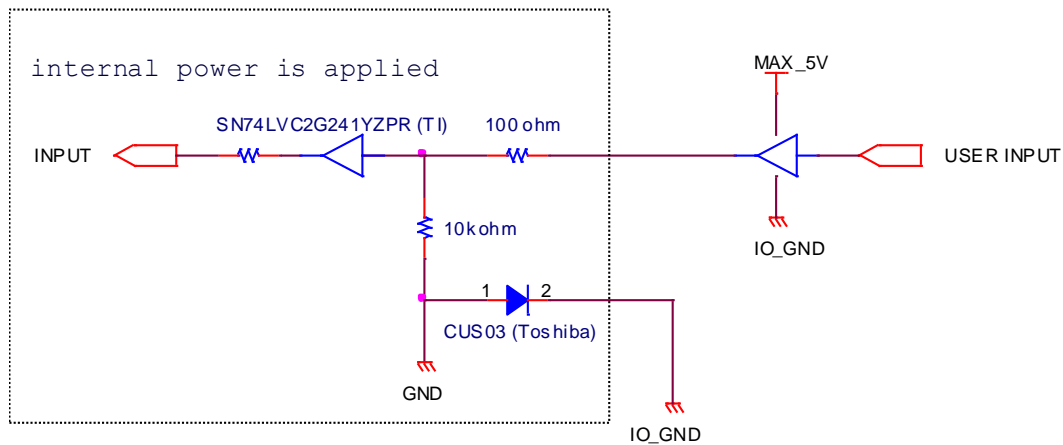
- Input Signal / Input Voltage: 0 to 5V
- Input Signal / Voltage Level
  - High Level: 2.5V (min)
  - Low Level: 0.7V (max)

### 3. Input Signal Circuit



### 4. Input Signal Circuit Examples

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**Caution:**

The voltage applied on "Input 1" and "Input 2" must be less than or equal to 5V, the absolute maximum voltage.

## B. Output Signals

### 1. Output Signal Functions

- Using the software, the following functions can be set on “Output 1” and “Output 2” of the I/O Connector.
- The polarity of the Trigger Output Programmable, the Trigger Output Loop Through, Exposure End, CCD Read End Output, Strobe Output Programmable, Strobe Output Exposure and Trigger Valid Out is selectable.
- Negative Polarity is recommended for use in order to reduce the timing delay due to open corrector output.

| Function No. | Function Name               | Polarity             |
|--------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1)           | Disabled (Default)          | -                    |
| 2)           | General Output              | -                    |
| 3)           | Trigger Output Programmable | Positive or Negative |
| 4)           | Trigger Output Loop Through | Positive or Negative |
| 5)           | Exposure End                | Positive or Negative |
| 6)           | Read End Output             | Positive or Negative |
| 7)           | Strobe Output Programmable  | Positive or Negative |
| 8)           | Strobe Output Exposure      | Positive or Negative |
| 9)           | Trigger Valid Out           | Positive or Negative |

#### 1) Disabled (Default)

This should be set when no output signal is necessary.

#### 2) General Output

Outputs high or low signal set on the software.

#### 3) Trigger Output Programmable

Outputs the trigger input signal with preset delay time.

#### 4) Trigger Output Loop Through

Outputs the trigger input signal (with a slight internal delay).

#### 5) Exposure End

When the global shutter is selected, this signal is enabled when the exposure is finished. When the rolling shutter is selected, this signal is enabled when the exposure of the first line is finished.

(“Trigger Out Delay” and Trigger Pulse Width” settings are applied).

#### 6) Read End Output

Output a signal upon completion of the transfer of a full frame.

(“Trigger Out Delay” and Trigger Pulse Width” settings are applied).

#### 7) Strobe Output Programmable

Output a signal for the period set with “strobe end delay”, starting at the trigger input signal with the addition of “strobe start delay”

## 8) Strobe Output Exposure

When the global shutter is selected, this signal is enabled while the exposure is happening. When the rolling shutter is selected, this signal is enabled while the first line exposure is happening.

## 9) Trigger Valid Out

This output provides the acceptable timing for the trigger input signal. The trigger signal is accepted when this output is enabled, and it is not accepted when this output is disabled. The disable period is from the beginning of the exposure to the end of the data read out.

## 2. Output Signal Electronic Characteristics

### - Output Signal / Voltage Level

High Level: Power input of the I/O Connector (+3.3V to +24V)

Low Level: Smaller than 0.8V

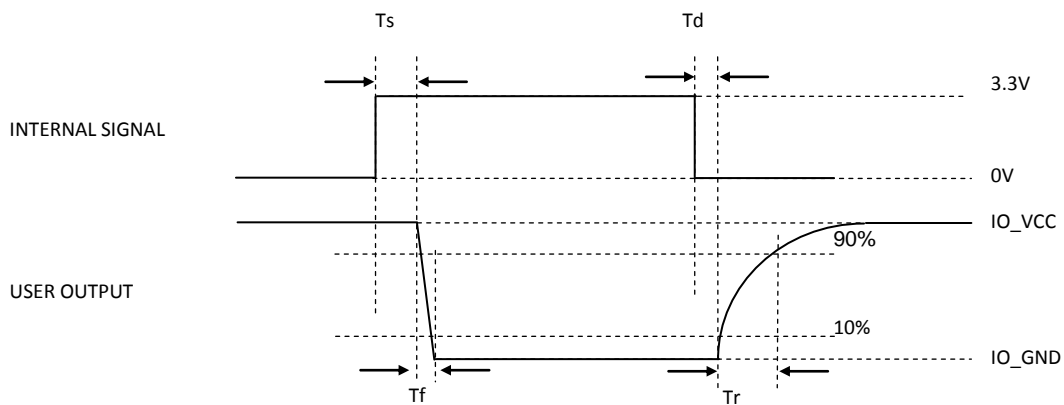
### - Output Signal / Pulse Width

Pulse width is configurable through the software.

Please refer to the response timing chart below and create a setting with a sufficient margin.

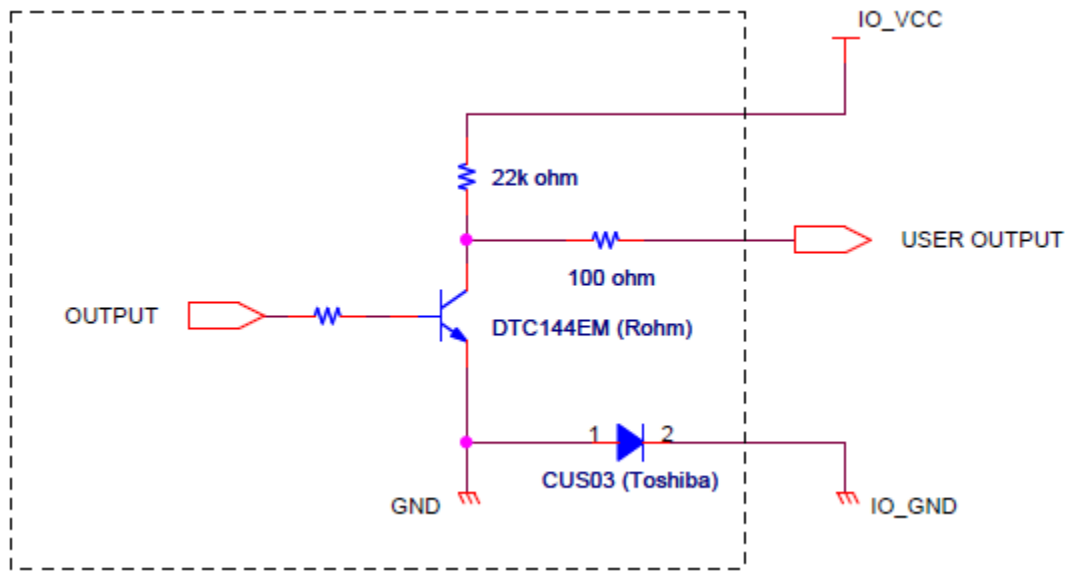
### - Output Signal / Response Timing

The response timing shown below is a reference value measured without any external resistance.



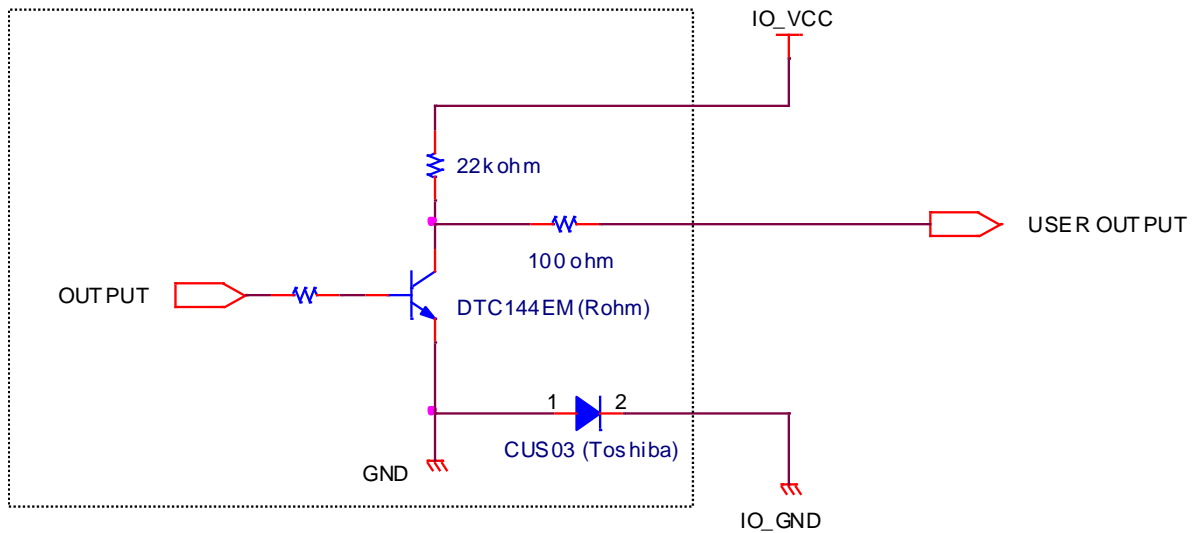
|       | IO_VCC    |           |           |           |
|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|       | 3.3[V]    | 5.0[V]    | 12[V]     | 24[V]     |
| $T_d$ | 2.00 [us] | 1.82 [us] | 1.66 [us] | 1.60 [us] |
| $T_r$ | 0.82 [us] | 0.84 [us] | 1.16 [us] | 1.44 [us] |
| $T_s$ | 0.50 [us] | 0.56 [us] | 0.56 [us] | 0.70 [us] |
| $T_f$ | 0.56 [us] | 0.66 [us] | 1.16 [us] | 2.04 [us] |

### 3. Output Signal Circuit

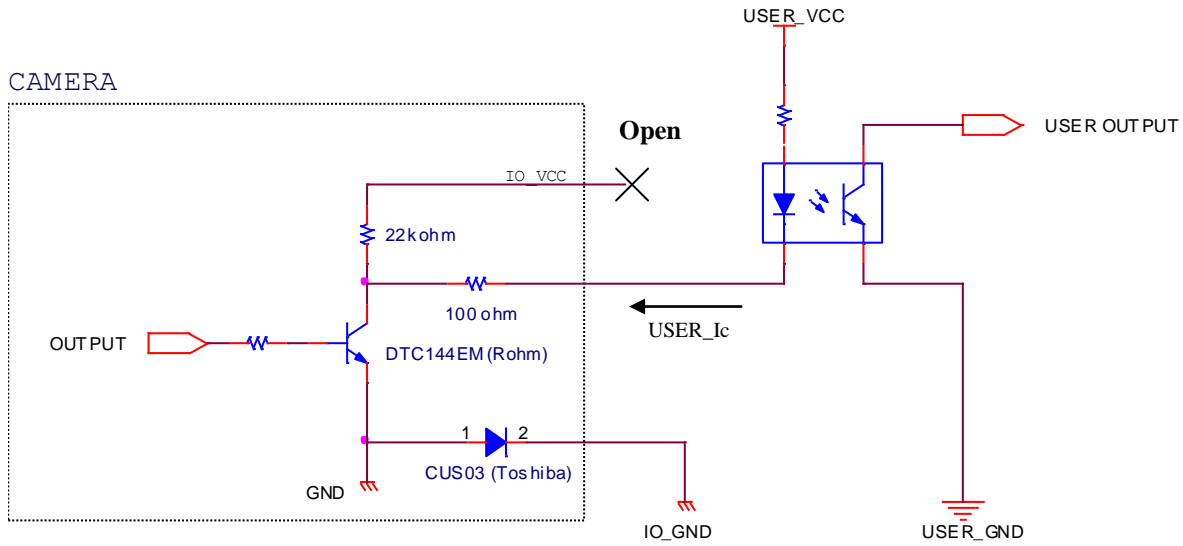


### 4. Output Signal circuit Examples

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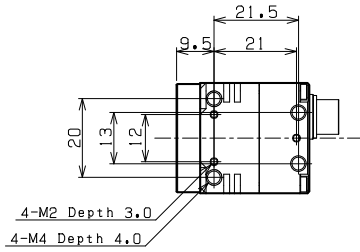
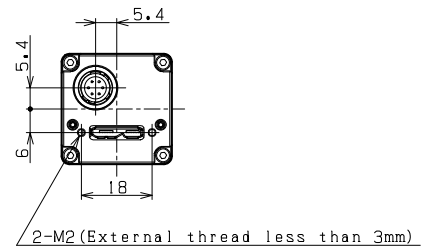
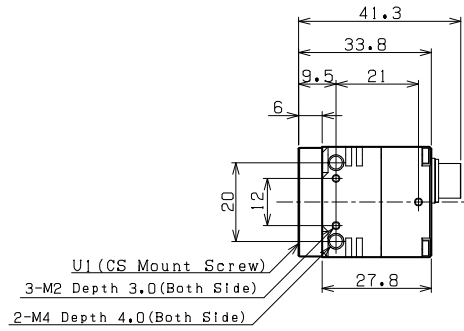
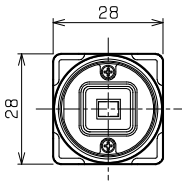
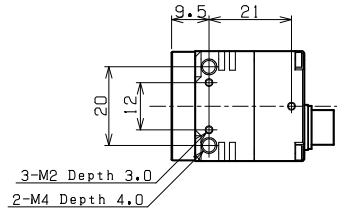
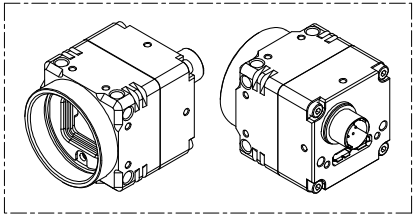






- \* When no voltage is applied on "IO\_VCC", it can be used as an open collector output.
- \* The voltage applied on "IO2" and "IO3" (USER\_VCC) must be less than or equal to 24V.
- \* The incoming current to "IO2" and "IO3" (USER\_Ic) must be less than or equal to 15mA.

## V. Dimensions

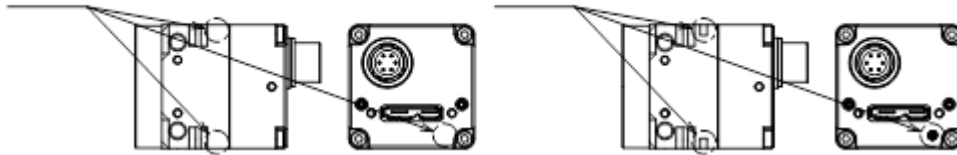


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\*How to Identify Monochrome version Color cameras:

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## Revisions

| Rev  | Date               | Changes   | Note |
|------|--------------------|---|------|
| .01  | August 15, 2013    | New document  |      |
| 1.0  | September 11, 2013 | Updated to release version                          |      |
| 1.02 | September 24, 2013 | Update<br>Sensor Model & Spectral Sensitivity Chart |      |

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