

BRITE Star[®] II

Laser by FLIR Systems[™]

THE MOST POWERFUL MULTI-SENSOR
TARGETING IMAGER IN ITS CLASS



APPLICATIONS

- TARGET DESIGNATION
- ARMED RECONNAISSANCE
- SURVEILLANCE
- ATTACK

FEATURES

- 5 field-of-view (FOV), large format thermal imager
- 3 FOV, high-resolution, 3-chip color daylight camera with monochrome mode and matched fields of view to the thermal imager
- Diode Pumped Laser Designator/Range finder (DPLDR)
- Laser pointer (LP)
- Automatic in-flight boresighting capability
- Laser spot tracker (LST) option
- Internal Measurement Unit (IMU) and navigation processor inside
- Automatic target tracker
- Selected on high-profile platforms
- All FLIR inside

BENEFITS

- Offers a zoom setting to match any mission, providing excellent situational awareness and the greatest stand off range in its class
- Enhances daylight missions and target identification; maintains operator orientation when switching between sensors
- Offers continuous duty cycle, high reliability, and long range performance; compatible with US and NATO laser-guided munitions, including Hellfire missiles
- Provides an air-to-ground tactical advantage
- Reduces preflight prep, allows for fast switching between aircraft, and allows the system to be boresighted by the operator at any time
- Reduces workload and facilitates target hand-off
- Supports precision pointing and delivers smooth steering at extreme zoom levels
- Reduces operator workload
- Selected for the ARH program, the BRITE Star II is a low-risk solution
- FLIR controls the critical technology inside every Star class gimbal ensuring the fastest service and worldwide support



BRITE Star II was selected for the Armed Reconnaissance Helicopter (ARH)



BRITE Star is fielded on the Norwegian Navy SB90 patrol boat



BRITE Star Block-II was selected for the Fire Scout UAV program



BRITE Star is battle proven in Operation Iraqi Freedom





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THERMAL IMAGER

Sensor type	640 x 480 InSb focal plane array
Wavelength	3-5µm response
FOVs	30° to 0.31°
Magnification ratio	97X

DAYLIGHT CAMERA

Sensor type	3-Chip Color CCD-TV
FOVs	Matched to IR

LASER PAYLOADS

Designator	Type	Nd:YAG, 1.06µm
	Classification	Class 4
	Code compatibility	compatible with US and NATO laser guided munitions
Rangefinder	Max. range	10Km +/- 5m
	Classification	Class 1 (Eyesafe)
Pointer	Power	640mw
	Classification	Class 3b

SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

System type	4 axis gimbal stabilization
Az. coverage	360° continuous
El. coverage	+32° to -100°

SYSTEM INTERFACES

Analog video	NTSC/PAL
Control	RS-232, RS-422, or Hand-held
Data	RS-232, RS-422, ARINC 429, MIL-STD-1553B, Ethernet

ENVIRONMENTAL

Standards	MIL-STD-810F & MIL-STD-461E
Operating temperature	-40°C to 55°C

POWER REQUIREMENTS

Voltage	22-29 VDC (per MIL-STD-704E)
Consumption	200W typical (850W max)

DIMENSIONS & WEIGHT

TFU Size	16.2" x 19.3" (410 mm x 490 mm)
TFU Weight	113.5 lbs (51.4 kg)
	125.0 lbs (56.8 kg) with boresight module
CEU Size	10.0" x 7.5" x 12.5" (254 mm x 191 mm x 318 mm)
CEU Weight	23.0 lbs (10.4 kg)

OTHER OPTIONS & ACCESSORIES

Laser Spot Tracker, Navigation/Radar Interfaces,
Displays & Recorders, Moving Map Systems, Digital Video Output

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