

CCD area image sensor **\$7199-01**



Front-illuminated FFT-CCDs for X-ray imaging

S7199-01 is a family of FFT-CCD image sensors specifically designed for X-ray imaging. FOS (Fiber Optic plate with Scintillator) that converts X-ray into visible-light is mounted on a CCD chip, which enables S7199-01 to acquire the X-ray imaging. Two CCD chips of symmetric from side to side are mounted closely for realizing the possible minimum dead space in between. The effective photosensitive length of about 150 mm in total is realized; each chip has 1536×128 channels, and 48×48 µm is a pixel size. Even a X-ray image of moving object can be taken by taking a unique operation method of TDI, which can also be useful for a non-destructive inspection where the object moves on a belt conveyer.

The each chip of S7199-01 has an effective pixel size of $48 \times 48 \, \mu m$ and is available in active area of 73.728 (H) \times 6.144 (V) mm².

Features

- 1536 (H) × 128 (V) pixel format
- Pixel size: 48 × 48 µm
- Buttable structure of 2 chips
- Coupled with FOS for X-ray imaging
- TDI (Time Delay Integration) operation
- 100 % fill factor
- Wide dynamic range
- Low dark signal
- Low readout noise
- MPP operation

Applications

- General X-ray imaging
- Non-destructive inspection
- Dental panorama

■ Selection guide

Type No.	Cooling	Number of	Number of	Active area	
Type No.	Cooling	total pixels	active pixels	$[mm (H) \times mm(V)]$	
S7199-01	Non-cooled	1536 × 128	1536 × 128	73.728 × 6.144	

Note) As an input window, FOS is suited to S7199-01.

■ General ratings

Parameter	Specification				
CCD structure	Full frame transfer or TDI				
Fill factor	100 %				
Number of active pixels	1536 (H) × 128 (V) *1				
Pixel size	48 (H) × 48 (V) μm				
CCD active area	73.728 (H) × 6.144 (V) mm *1				
X-ray sensitive area	146 × 6 mm				
Vertical clock phase	2 phase				
Horizontal clock phase	2 phase				
Output circuit	Two-stage MOSFET source follower with load resistance				
X-ray resolution	4 to 6 Lp/mm at 60 keVp, 10 m Roentgen				
Reliability	100,000 shots at 60 kVp, 10 m Roentgen				
Package	40 pin ceramic package				
Window	FOS (Fiber Optic plate with Scintillator)				

^{*1:} Number of active pixels per chip. Two chips are used.

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■ Electrical and optical characteristics (Ta=25 °C, unless otherwise noted)

Parameter		Symbol	Remark	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	
Saturation output voltage		Vsat		-	Fw × Sv	-	V	
Full well capacity		Vertical			-	1200	-	ke ⁻
	apacity	Horizontal	Fw		-	1200	-	
		Summing			-	1200	-	
CCD node sensitivity		Sv	*2	0.8	1.2	-	μV/e⁻	
Dark current (MPP mode)		DS	*3	-	8	24	ke ⁻ /pixel/s	
Readout noise		Nr	*4	-	60	120	e⁻rms	
Dynamic range		DR	*5	20,000	-	-		
X-ray response non-uniformity		XRNU	*6, *7	-	±10	±30	%	
Blemish	Point	White spots			-	-	10	
	defects *8	Black spots			-	-	10	
	Cluster defects		-	*9	-	-	0	-
	Column defects			*10	-	-	0	
X-ray resolution		ΔR		4	6	-	Lp/mm	

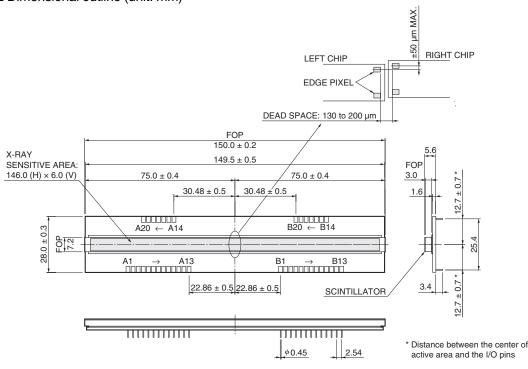
^{*2:} Vop=15 V.

Noise: Fixed pattern noise (peak to peak)

Measuring region that is within 146.0 mm (H) × 6.0 mm (V) (refer to dimensional outline)

Black spots > 50 % reduction in response relative to adjacent pixels, measured at half of the full well capacity.

■ Dimensional outline (unit: mm)



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^{*3:} Dark current doubles for every 5 to 7 °C.

^{*4: -40 °}C, operating frequency is 2 MHz.

^{*5:} Dynamic range = Full well capacity / Readout noise

^{*6:} X-ray irradiation of 60kVp, measured at half of the full well capacity.

^{*7:} XRNU (%) = Noise / Signal × 100

^{*8:} White spots > 20 times of typ. dark signal (8 ke⁻/pixel/s).

^{*9:} continuous 2 to 9 point defects.

^{*10:} continuous >10 point defects.