

## LV-16 Camera System

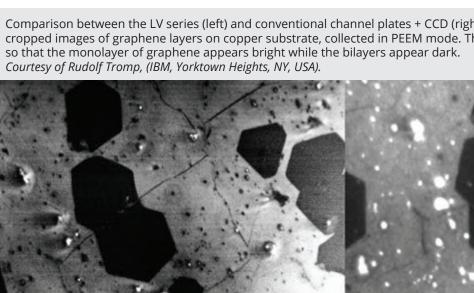
stunning clarity for LEEM/PEEM

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## Direct Detection for Low-Energy Electron Microscopy

- Direct detection of low-energy primary electrons a revolutionary advancement for LEEM/PEEM.
- High signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) and a large field-of-view delivers >6× the information content compared to microchannel plates.
- $4k \times 4k$  (16.8 million) pixels.
- Extensible & open software to easily integrate with custom workflows.
- Movie-mode imaging of dynamic specimens and motion-correction.
- Unrivaled features, with an integrated Faraday plate.
- The largest impact hardware upgrade you can make per dollar.

Comparison between the LV series (left) and conventional channel plates + CCD (right). The images show cropped images of graphene layers on copper substrate, collected in PEEM mode. The bias voltage was set so that the monolayer of graphene appears bright while the bilayers appear dark.



**Direct Electron LV-12** 



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electron energy optimized for 10 - 40 keV

pixel array specification 4096 × 4096 (16.8 million pixels) | 6.5 µm pixel pitch

single electron SNR ~10:1 (15 kV)

mounting position

sensor protection

computer system

acquisition software

image format

sensor design >3T pixel design with on-chip correlated double sampling (CDS)

backthinned | radiation hardened

acquisition frame rate 92fps max, unbinned full-frame | 281 fps max, binned-2× full-frame

subarray readout up to 4,237 fps (2048 × 128) | user-selectable hardware frame rate

optionally fully retractable | CF (ConFlat) flange | custom mounting options

exposure measurement integrated Faraday plate for exposure measurement with each acquisition

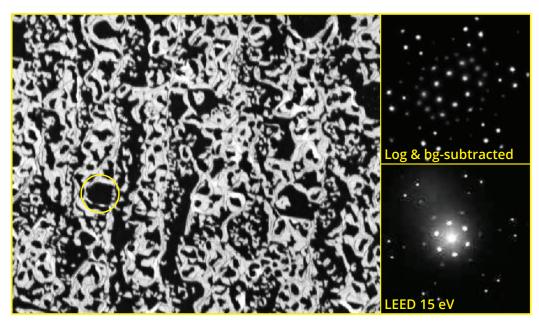
integrated sensor protection shutter | TEM blanking/shuttering | failsafe software

high-performance computer | Windows 10 | NVidia GPU(s) | up to 58 TB storage

non-proprietary to ensure broad compatibility | TIFF, MRC, AVI, MP4, etc.

DE Mission Control software for advanced image/movie

acquisition and analysis



Left: Cropped image of graphene on SiC, imaged in LEEM mode at 11.3 eV (detected at 15 keV). Right: A selected-area LEED diffraction pattern for the crystal circled above. Courtesy of Rudolf Tromp, IBM.

Specifications and performance are subject to change. Example images of various camera applications were collected by researchers using one of Direct Electron's cameras (not necessarily the LV-16).