INFRARED THERMAL IMAGING

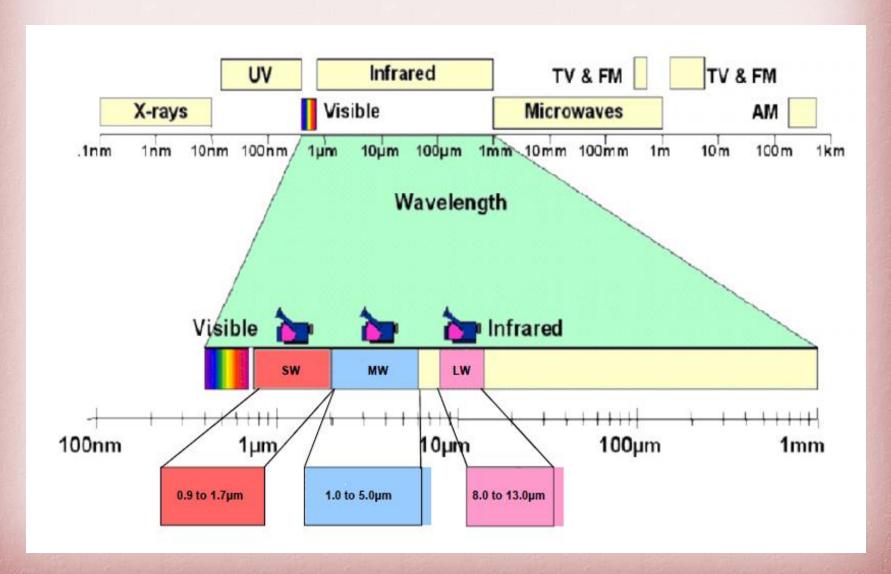
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ABOUT INFRARED



Definition of Thermography

Thermography means "writing with heat".

What is Thermal Image

Photography means "writing with light".

The picture that is generated is called a "thermogram or thermal image".

How Do Thermal Imaging Infrared Cameras Work





An infrared camera is a noncontact device that detects infrared energy (heat) and converts it into and electronic signal, which is then processed to produce a thermal image on a video monitor and perform temperature calculations

How It Works

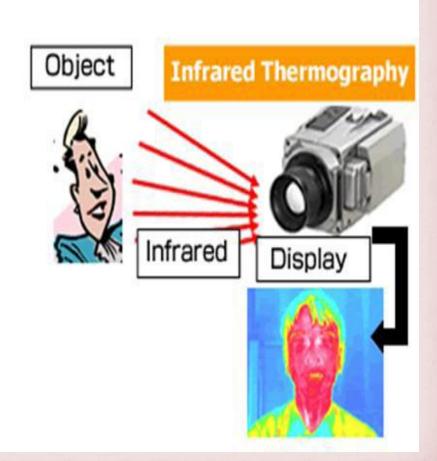
It detects infrared emitted from an object



It transforms the amount of infrared energy into the temperature



It displays as infrared images



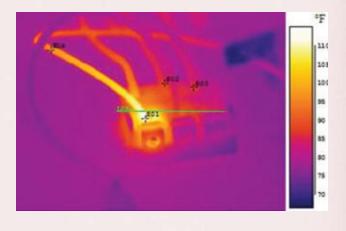
APPLICATIONS AREAS

- ✓ Electrical Systems
- ✓ Mechanical Systems
- ✓ Processing Systems
- ✓ Military applications
- ✓ security

WIRE CONNECTION



Visible Light Image



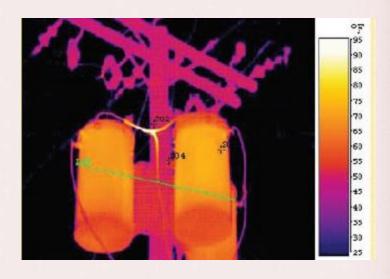
Infrared Thermal Image

Here we see that even the smaller wire connections can cause potential problems. This control wire connection is loose and if it fails ,the machine that it controls is shut down.

SWITCHING AND FUSES ABOVE TRANSFORMERS



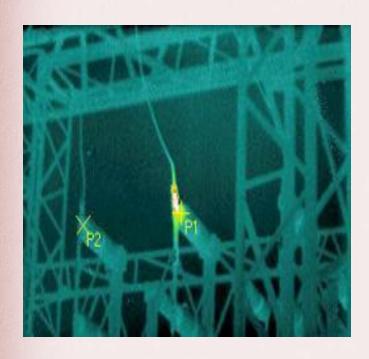
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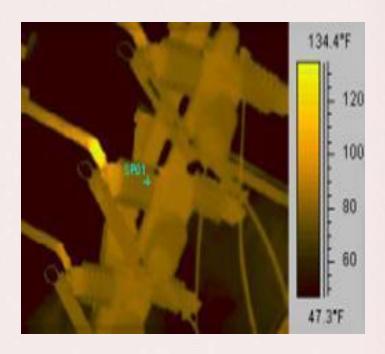
Infrared Thermal Image

These crimped connections between the transformers appear to be loose. They should be checked. If any failure in the system, the entire system would be shutdown.

Detection of a Faulty Electric System

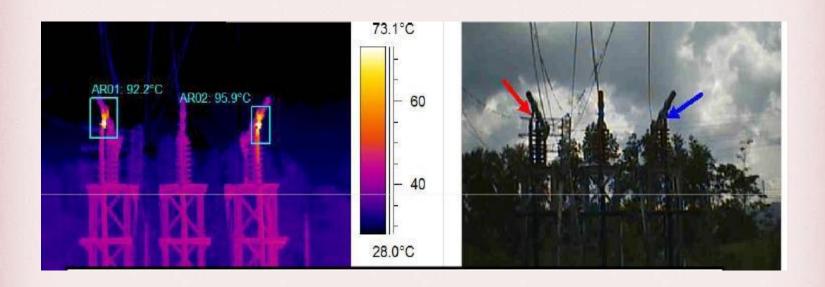


Visible Light Image



Infrared Thermal Image

Detection of Industrial Electrical fuse block



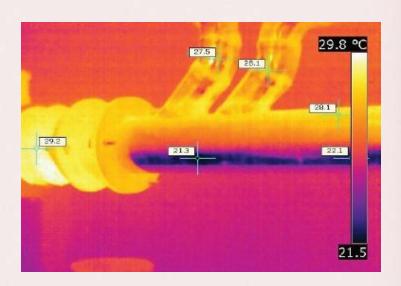
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PARTIALLY BLOCKED DRAIN PIPES



Visible Light Image

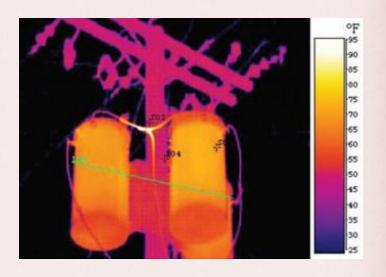


Infrared Thermal Image

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Level Detection

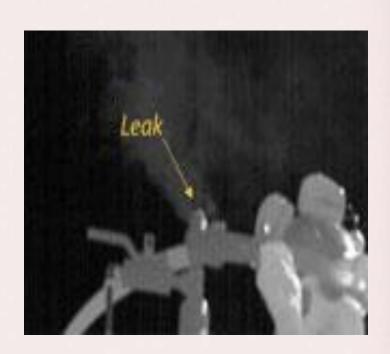


Level comparison of two tanks

Detection of leakage in Petrochemical & Refineries



Visible Light Image



Infrared Thermal Image

Power Distribution Centers





Infrared thermal image

Visible light image

Thermal imaging technology that enhances night-time road safety









Infrared Thermal image

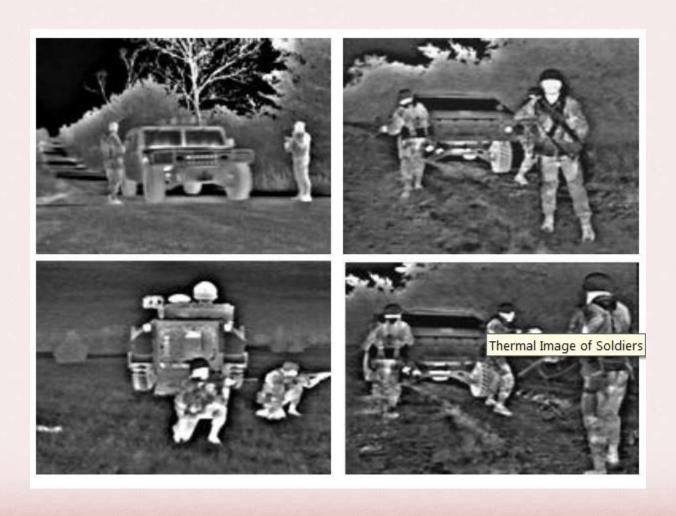
Visible light image

Security





Military Applications



Face Recognition





A pair of twin's Infrared Images

Though identical twins have some different thermal patterns, there are some exceptions too.

ADVANTAGES

- ✓ Increased safety.
- ✓ Reduced risk of fire.
- ✓ Quick problem detection without interrupting service
- ✓ Prevention of premature failure and extension of equipment life
- ✓ Identification of potentially dangerous or hazardous equipment
- ✓ Quickly identify areas of energy wastage and cost savings
- ✓ Detection of plumbing and moisture issues
- ✓ Reduction in Insurance Claims
- ✓ Effective infrared scanning to prevent down-time

CONCLUSION

Infrared Thermography has proven to be an invaluable resource that is

- ✓ cost effective
- √ valuable diagnostic tool
- ✓ Improving system efficiency, power quality,
- ✓ workers' safety as well as Averting outages, valuable equipment failure and line losses.

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