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# Why eye tracking

Attention monitoring and cueing

- Inspection process monitoring Vital signals
- Vigilance & Fatigue
- Eye and Brain health

Display optimization & interaction in XR Eye position and mobility

Vergence

Intelligent interaction and improved workflows





### ROBUSTNESS

Eye tracking that works with everybody and everywhere Does not require recalibration

### SPEED AND ACCURACY

Eye tracking that is fast and accurate

#### INTEGRATION

Small footprint

Industry-level access to medical-grade eye tracking data

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### Full stack eye tracking

### SeeTrue core platform

- Miniature eye tracking sensors 3x3x3 mm
- Novel illumination units, 3-6 elements
- On chip intelligence preprocessing
- Optimized power consumption
- Serial gaze data to client platforms, no MIPI
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SOFTWARE

HARDWARE

- Eye's digital twin, sophisticated 3D internal model
- Real measurements of eye position, pupil size, and gaze direction
- Optimized processing pipeline
- Easy to integrate through powerful API
- PC ,mobile, embedded, stand-alone
- OS independent clients, demo systems









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### Novel eye tracking solutions based on SeeTrue core



Add-on ocular tracker

**Customers:** Medtech, skilled training, industrial processes, eye monitoring and diagnostics

In production and use, upcoming clinical use



Fully embedded ocular eye tracker

1-to-1 swap intelligent ocular for optical device manufacturers

Eye-tracking sensor for ocular devices





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Wearable implementation

**Customers:** XR headsets, operator monitoring, vision care

Pre- production, first eval kits sent 12/2022, beta early access program, lending program

Independently benchmarked against market leaders



# Eye tracking for AR and operator monitoring



#### Head-mounted eye tracking eval kit

Sensor size 3 x 3 x 3 mm Custom illumination unit Median accuracy 1.2 °, FPS 50-100Hz Front facing aux camera

**Customers:** XR, Operator monitoring, Vision care

Eval kits available from 10/2022, early access program started 2023

Customization program



# Evaluation and dev-kits available TEST > DESIGN > MANUFACTURE

The fastest way towards integrated eye tracking

Customized jointly with customers Integration with customer's systems Fast cycle from requirements to the first prototype Example clients provided – PC, Android Full access to all data and network API Software updates Support during evaluation period





#### SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN

Eye tracker, based on an 8mm cine camera, devised by Norman Mackworth in the 1950's.

It used the corneal reflex, which was superimposed, via the periscope, onto the scene ahead taken through the upper lens.

(From E L Williams, 1968)

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August 1968

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Weight	Calibration
Integration with other modules	Accuracy, Latency, FPS
Compute requirements	FOV
Population coverage	Ambient light robustness
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### Miniaturization and power consumption

Several candidate solutions exist / under development

#### **Event cameras**

Asynchronous and independent sampling

20-40 mW + LED

Up to 1500 fps

#### MEMS + IR / VCSEL

Highly integrated emitters and sensors

10-30 mW

Up to 4000 fps

#### **CIMUI OSRAM**



1 mm2 58 fps 12mW

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### Compute

Typical eye tracking pipelines

- Heavy on real-time data processing
- Large machine learning models
- GPU usage
- Require MIPI or similar

Current platforms already overcrowded

- Multi-sensor integration
- CPU usage already high
- Available ports limited

# Join us to Solve the Challenges for Robust Eye Tracking in XR

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