



- IMX421 CMOS sensor
- ALVIUM image processing
- USB3 Vision
- Various hardware options

Hardware option: Bare Board Standard

Alvium 1800 U – Your entry into high-performance imaging

Industrial USB cameras with attractive price-performance ratio

Alvium 1800 U-291 with Sony IMX421 runs 144.0 frames per second at 2.9 MP resolution.

Alvium 1800 U is your entry into high-performance imaging with ALVIUM® Technology for industrial applications. Equipped with the newest generation of sensors, these small and lightweight cameras deliver high image quality and frame rates at the best price-performance ratio. With its USB3 Vision compliant interface and industrial-grade hardware, it is your workhorse for different machine vision applications whether it is on a PC-based or an embedded system.

Easy software integration with **Vimba X** and compatibility to the most popular third party image-processing libraries.

In addition to lens mount and housing options, see [Customization and OEM Solutions webpage](#) for additional options.

Specifications

Product code	17223
Interface	USB3 Vision
Resolution	1944 (H) × 1472 (V)
Spectral range	300 to 1100 nm
Sensor	Sony IMX421
Sensor type	CMOS
Shutter mode	GS (Global shutter)
Sensor size	Type 2/3
Pixel size	4.5 μm × 4.5 μm
Lens mounts (available)	C-Mount, CS-Mount
Max. frame rate at full resolution	144 fps at 450 MByte/s, Mono8
ADC	12 Bit
Image buffer (RAM)	256 KByte
Non-volatile memory (Flash)	1024 KByte
Quantum efficiency at 529 nm	73 %
Temporal dark noise	5.4 e ⁻
Saturation capacity	25000 e ⁻
Dynamic range	72 dB
Absolute sensitivity threshold	6.2 e ⁻

Output

Bit depth	8-bit, 10-bit, 12-bit; Adaptive (10-bit, 12-bit)
Monochrome pixel formats	Mono8, Mono10, Mono10p, Mono12, Mono12p
YUV color pixel formats	YCbCr411_8_CbYYCrYY, YCbCr422_8_CbYCrY, YCbCr8_CbYCr
RGB color pixel formats	RGB8 (default), BGR8
Raw color pixel formats	BayerRG8, BayerRG10, BayerRG10p, BayerRG12, BayerRG12p

General purpose inputs/outputs (GPIOs)

TTL I/Os 4 programmable GPIOs

Operating conditions/dimensions

Operating temperature -20 °C to +85 °C (cooling areas)

Power requirements (DC) Power over USB 3.1 Gen 1 | External power 5.0 V

Power consumption USB power: 1.9 W (typical) | Ext. power: 2.1 W (typical)

Mass 15 g

Body dimensions (L × W × H in mm) 14 × 26 × 26

Features

Image control: Auto

- Auto exposure
- Auto gain
- Auto white balance (color models)

Image control: Other

- Adaptive noise correction
- Binning
- Black level
- Color transformation (incl. hue, saturation; color models)
- Contrast
- Custom convolution
- De-Bayering up to 5×5 (color models)
- DPC (defect pixel correction)
- Gamma
- LUT (look-up table)
- Reverse X/Y
- ROI (region of interest)
- Sharpness/Blur

Camera control

- Acquisition frame rate
- Bandwidth control
- Counters and timers
- Firmware update in the field

- I/O and trigger control
- Readout modes (SensorBitDepth)
- Sequencer
- Serial I/Os
- Temperature monitoring
- U3 Power Saving Mode
- User sets

Technical drawing

