# DIC DIGITAL MICROSCOPE

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Our Differential Interference Contrast (DIC) Digital Microscope is just one example of what can be built using components featured in the Edmund Optics<sup>®</sup> catalog. Constructed using the TECHSPEC<sup>®</sup> Optical Cage System and fitted with components designed by Edmund Optics<sup>®</sup>, Mitutoyo, and other industry leading manufacturers, the microscope can be adjusted for an application's image capture requirements.

A DIC microscope can be used to enhance the contrast of object features that are otherwise difficult to observe using traditional microscopy techniques. The DIC microscope shown in our demo uses reflected light illumination to view opaque samples, and is equipped with a 1,3 MP color camera to capture low noise, high dynamic range images. A similar transmitted light DIC microscope can also be built, which illuminates the sample from below and observes it from above, (or vice versa). Typical DIC applications include characterizing standard and super-polished optical surfaces, evaluating laser damage to coatings or substrate surfaces, monitoring process defects in thin films, inspecting semiconductors and electronics, and examining unstained biological samples.

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