# **ANGLE CHANGERS**

Active LED solutions

NEW

### ANGLE CHANGERS ADD FLEXIBILITY TO EBAR PRODUCTS

For Machine Vision, Industrial Automation, Robotics and Identification applications including:

DIRECT ILLUMINATION

**DIFFUSE ILLUMINATION** 

DOME EFFECT

DARKFIELD

Start with ±7° lenses (ultra-narrow) on your EBAR & add Angle Changers



## **ANGLE CHANGERS**



- Allow you to change the illumination angle,
- Designed to securely clip on top of the BAR,
- Sustain 100g acceleration,
- No change in the BAR IP level.







#### HUGE FLEXIBILITY

LOW ANGLE

Quick & easy to change illumination angle when your project changes

#### RAPID FEASIBILITY TESTING

- Quickly & easily identify the best illumination solution with our Angle Changer Combos
- Have confidence in your product selection
- Eliminate delays from awaiting loan products for testing





#### INCREASING THE HOMOGENEITY WITH ANGLE CHANGERS





By increasing the light output angle, Angle Changers also **diffuse the light** and help achieve a **better homogeneity** across the FoV.

#### HIGH BRIGHTNESS EVEN WITH ANGLE CHANGERS:

The table below shows the high brightness output of the M-EBAR alone, and with the Angle Changers.

M-EBAR	<b>M-EBAR</b>	<b>M-EBAR</b>	<b>M-EBAR</b>	<b>M-EBAR</b>
No Angle Changer	+ AC-EBAR-N	+ AC-EBAR-M	+ AC-EBAR-W	+ AC-EBAR-L
87,000 Lux	43,500 Lux	34,500 Lux	17,400 Lux	43,000 Lux

(Measurements made at WD=500mm with M-EBAR-250-WHI, measured in the middle of the FoV - Strobe and Overdrive operation).

#### IMPACT ON EXPOSURE TIME:

The table below shows the equivalent exposure times required to achieve the same grey level on the image, assuming all other parameters remain fixed.

<b>M-EBAR</b> No Angle Changer	M-EBAR + AC-EBAR-N	M-EBAR + AC-EBAR-M	<b>M-EBAR</b> + AC-EBAR-W	<b>M-EBAR</b> + AC-EBAR-L
100 µs	200 µs	250 µs	500 µs	200 µs
x1	x2	x2.5	x5	x2

#### POLARISED ANGLE CHANGERS AVAILABLE

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**NOTE:** polarisers reduce the brightness output of illumination by around 50%.





**NOTE:** the rough and specular surface in the background is made more uniform by the polarisation effect.

#### COMPARISON OF ANGLE CHANGERS, LENS ANGLES AND DIFFUSERS

NOTE: For customers familiar with existing EBAR lens angles and diffusers, the examples below will help you to select the closest equivalent Angle Changer and recommended exposure times.



**OTHER LENS ANGLES** 

EQUIVALENT WITH AC



#### COMPARISON TABLE WITH EXPOSURE TIME ADJUSTMENTS

Old reference @ 1ms exposure time		EBAR + AC reference @ new exposure time
EBAR 7° lenses	<b>EBAR-7°</b> @ 1ms	EBAR-7° @ 1ms
	EBAR-7°+ DS @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-N @ 0.4ms
	<b>EBAR-7°+ DO</b> @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.25ms
EBAR 10° lenses	<b>EBAR-10°</b> @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-N @ 0.80ms
	EBAR-10°+ DS @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-M @ 0.65ms
	EBAR-10°+ DO @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.25ms
EBAR 17° lenses	EBAR-17° @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-M @ 0.6ms
	<b>EBAR-17°+ DS</b> @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 1ms
	EBAR-17°+ DO @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.25ms
EBAR 25° lenses	EBAR-25° @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.9ms
	EBAR-25°+ DS @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.65ms
	EBAR-25°+ DO @ 1ms	EBAR-7°+ AC-EBAR-W @ 0.25ms
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DS = Satin Diffuser DO = Opaque Diffuser



#### **ELIMINATING HOTSPOTS WITH THE CURVE EFFECT** 1x EBAR-375-WHI-7 + 3 ANGLE CHANGERS



#### EXAMPLE:

- 2000mm Working Distance,
- 1300 x 900 FOV,
- 4x EBAR-500-WHI-7 + Angle Changers (AC).

AC's marked at each 125mm by  $\mathbb{N}$  or  $\mathbb{W}$ . Schematic Views show a plan of the system from «behind the camera».







### INCREASE HOMOGENEITY

- IMPROVE READ RATE
- REDUCE HOTSPOTS

REDUCE COSTS BY USING SMALLER LIGHTS

FULL TECH-NOTE on how to create the Curve Effect with AC (including more examples) can be found here



#### ANGLE CHANGERS POLARISED ANGLE CHANGERS POLARISER ONLY EXAMPLES: AC-EBAR **AC-EBAR** AC-EBAR ANGLE POLARISER POLARISER **RESULT:** • Narrow Angle Changer AC-FBAR-POL1 N ➡ AC-EBAR-N N **P1** POL1 (Narrow) (Narrow) Medium Angle Changer Μ (Medium) М (Medium) ➡ AC-EBAR-M EXAMPLE: W W (Wide) (Wide) Narrow Angle Changer with N° of Angle Changers needed = bar useful length/125 polariser - AC-EBAR-N-P1 L (Line) L (Line) Т (Transparent)



\* AC-EBAR-BK = Black Angle Changer. Only available as part of the Angle Changer Combo AC-CO-B or Small Polarised Combo AC-CO-POL-SM-B. \*\* AC-EBAR-B = Briefcase.



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• 8x AC-EBAR-W-P1