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Image Capture AR/VR

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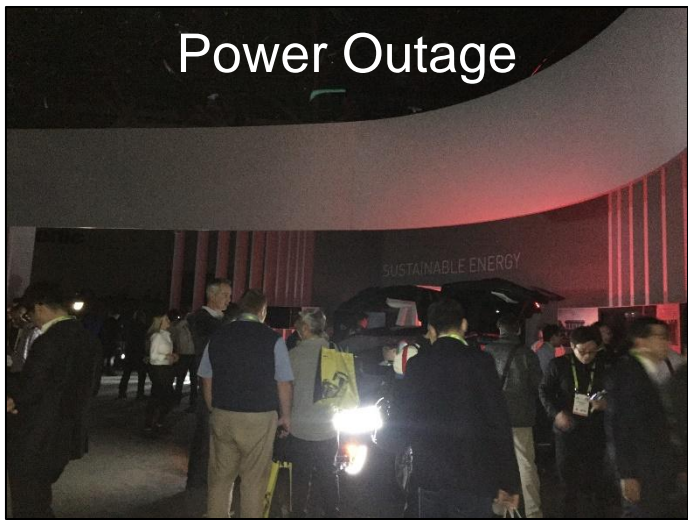
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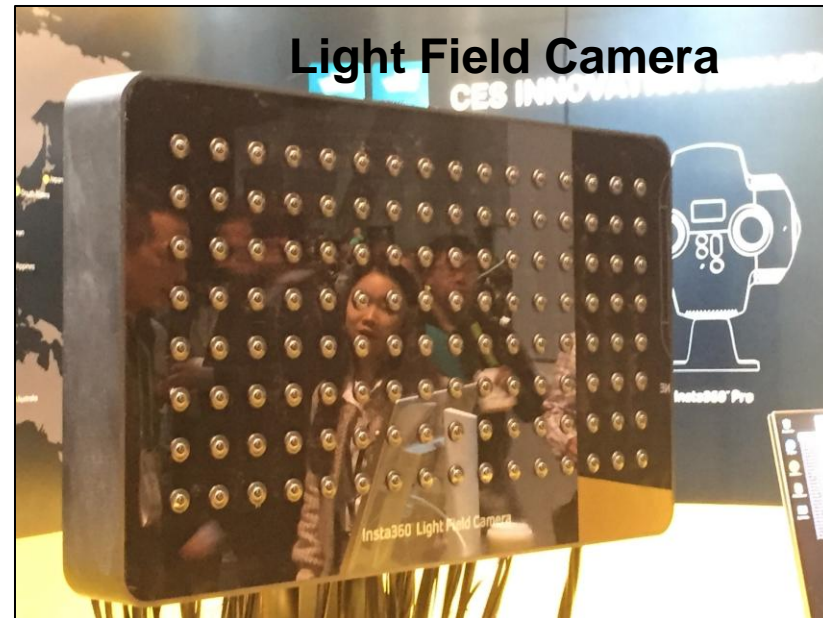
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- Only covering Image Capture, AR/VR devices.
- Only covered emerging products, did not cover mature product areas, etc.
- This presentation is not an endorsement of any product.
- These are only the highlights.
- I have a lot of slides and will talk fast. Slides will be available online soon.

Welcome to CES!



Insta360

- Cell phone add-on camera
 - Dual sensor
 - 4K @ 30fps
 - iPhone only
- Light field camera prototype
 - 128 sensors
 - 6DOF, 180° FOV
- Pro360
 - 8K video, offline stitching
 - 8 4/3 image sensors
 - No other info available



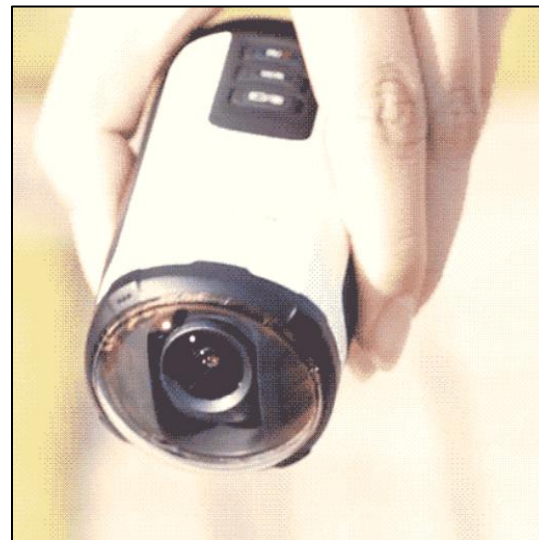
EKEN

- Clone camera company
- Pano V6
 - 2.7K @ 25fps
 - No other special features other than crazy low prices!



Redfox

- O2 Pocket Camera
 - 4K @ 30fps
 - 3-axis internal gimbal mechanism.
 - The smallest video camera on the market with integrated gimbal!



DJI

- Leader in Drones
- Purchased interest in Hasselblad
- OSMO+
 - Camera & Gimbal with phone UI
 - 4K @ 30fps
 - 1080 @ 100fps
 - Optical and digital zoom



Yi

- VR180
 - Dual sensor 3D capture
 - Up to 5.7K @ 30fps
 - Collaboration with Google, capture device for Cardboard



detu

- F4 Plus
 - 4 sensor 360° VR camera
 - 8K @ 30fps
 - Requires offline stitching
 - Special software for live streaming.
 - Supports Facebook Livestream format.
 - \$2,500, least expensive product in this class of device.



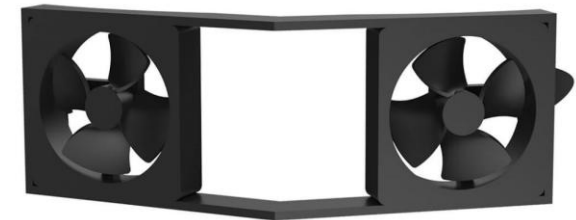
ABS

- AB9000
 - Ruggedized camera with integrated 3 axis gimbal
 - 4K @ 30fps
 - Crossover sports and industrial video camera



Pimax

- Kickstart project
- 8K VR Headset
 - Dual 3840 x 2160 @ 90Hz
 - 200 DOF
 - DisplayPort 1.4 & USB3
 - No eye tracking
 - Requires 3rd party sensors
 - Fan accessory??



Zeiss

- VR One
 - Head mount for your smartphone.
 - Essentially a precision version of Google cardboard with 3DOF.
 - Zeiss was founded in 1846, made telescopes and microscopes.
 - Legendary manufacturer of precision lenses.



Lumens

- Micro LED displays
 - 1280 x 720 pixels
 - 100,000 nits! Bright
 - 2.4 x 1.8 cm
 - LED-on-Module
 - Rapid evolving display technology.



Raontech

- Smart Glasses display
 - 2K x 1K LCOS @ 400Hz!
 - Consumes 250mW
 - Former ADI & Samsung management.



TT Robotix

- One of many companies in the drone business that have shifted to industrial applications.
- Reveal One
 - Thermal imaging camera
 - Radar for heart beat detection up to 30m away.
 - 72 inch rotor diameter
 - 35Kg flight weight
 - 25 minute flight time



Elan

- Elan Selfie
 - 1080 @ 30fps
 - Claims to be able to object track.
 - Streams live video
 - REALLY small.



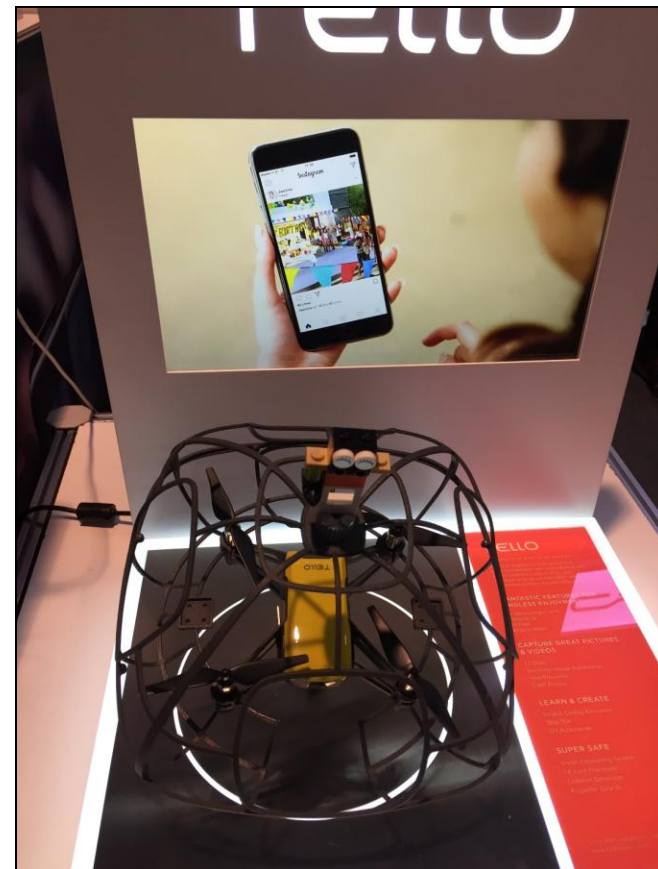
Sinochip

- Another company in the drone business that shifted to industrial applications.
- DF-T5
 - Crop duster drone
 - 20L fluid capacity
 - GPS spray tracking
 - 15 minute flight time with full payload.



Tello

- \$99 drone!
 - Partnership with DJI
 - Movidius (Intel) processor
 - 720 @ 30fps
 - Object recognition
 - Video streaming
 - Open SDK
 - 13 minute flight time
 - 80 gram flight weight



GDU

- O2 Plus
 - Qualcomm Snapdragon 801
 - 4K @ 25fps
 - 3 axis gimbal
 - Obstacle avoidance
 - Indoor vision positioning (SLAM?)
 - “Follow me” flight control
 - Live streaming limited to 720 @ 30fps
 - Wireless distance of 4 miles!



Amaryllo

- Soteria
 - Cloud based face recognition system.
 - Monetize customer data??



NextVPU

- Glasses for visually impaired people
 - Object recognition
 - Obstacle detection
 - Text to speech

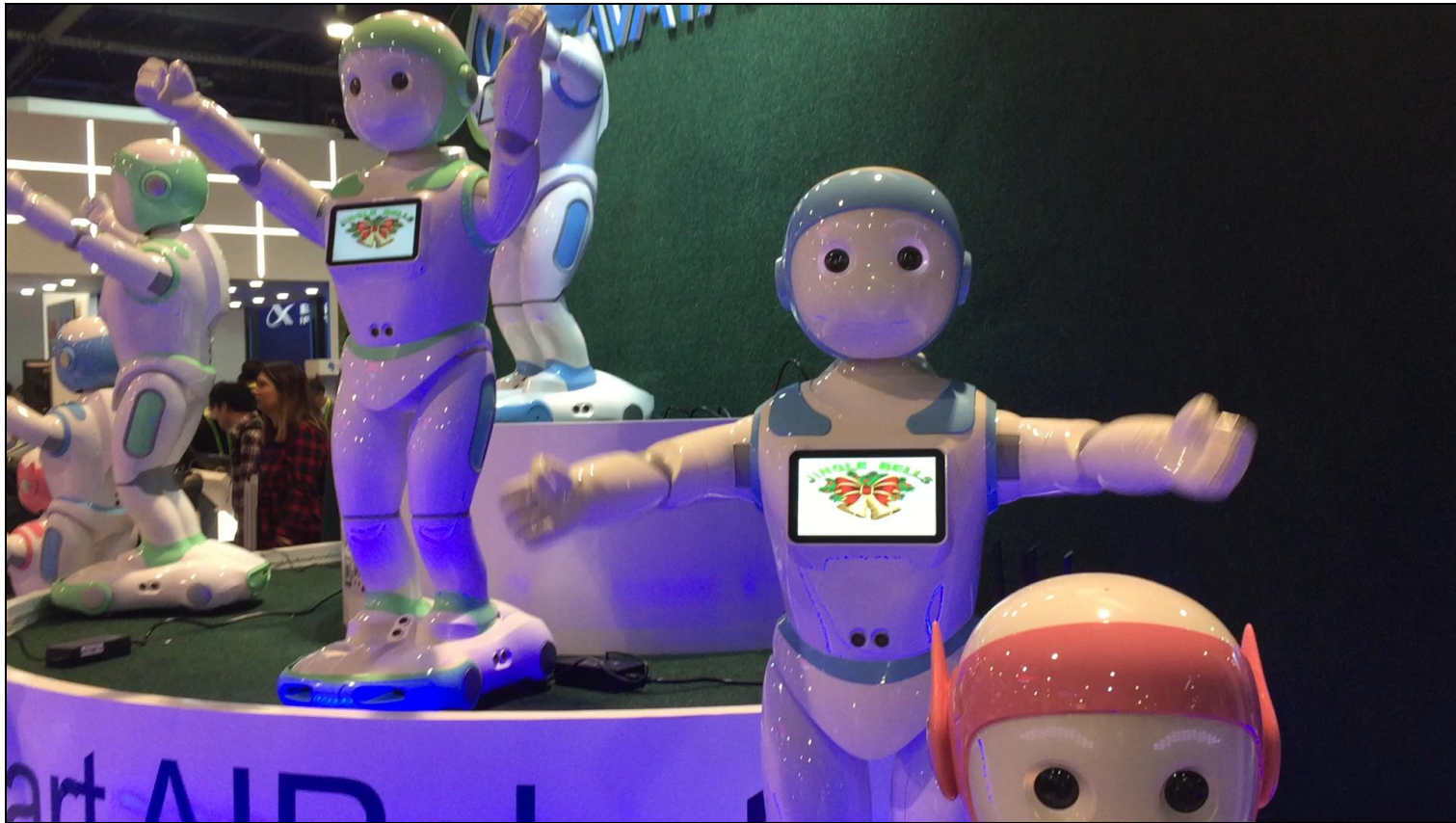


Robby the Robot

- Robby 2
 - Delivery robot
 - Seen in downtown Mountain View
 - Company based in Palo Alto?
 - Probably not ideal for certain urban areas.



Robot Worker Replacements



Relaxation Area



Creepy Kid Toys



Closing Comments

- Personal camera is ubiquitous with the cell phone, no surprise.
- Everything must have Alexa or Google voice control to be new. You mean your toaster is a mute?
- Eco-system of key components for AR/VR is still not there, expect a few more years.
- VR and spherical cameras will be consumed by amateur and professional content creators.
- Standards for spherical video CODEC's and players stabilizing. See SMPTE, AOMedia, MPEG-LA, IEEE and others for more details.

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