



AI
ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

DUAL-SOURCE, AI-POWERED WELD QUALITY MONITORING

“90,000,000 welds inspected —only one defective weld missed.”

- Alex Fraser Ph.D. CTO and Cofounder of Laserax



Laserax’s AI-powered weld quality monitoring solution delivers real-time insight into every weld, enabling immediate defect detection, reduced unnecessary rework, and stable high-throughput production.

By combining advanced sensing with intelligent AI analysis, the system provides reliable in-process weld quality decisions that support consistent quality, higher yields, and confident manufacturing at scale.

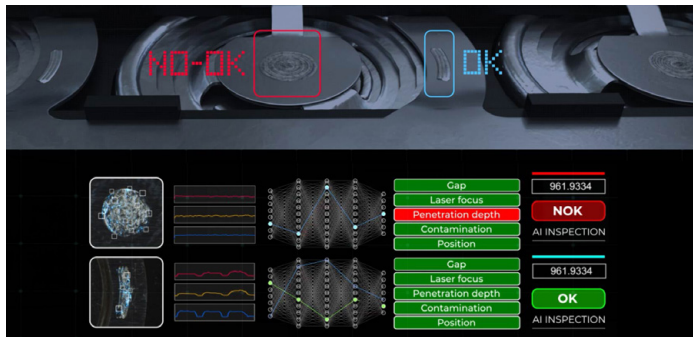
- + 99.9997% yield
- + Ultra-low defect escape rate (1/90,000,000)
- + Near-zero false rejects (up to 20x less than other systems)



ADVANTAGES

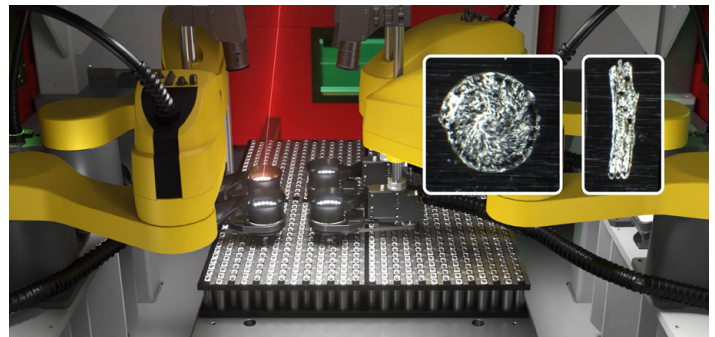
Highest Detection Rate

- Dual-source: vision + photodiode signals
- Ultra-low defect escape rate
- Up to 700x improved defect detection



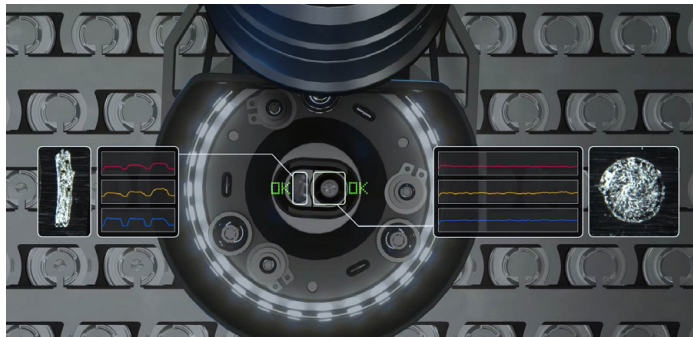
Lowest False Reject Rate

- AI distinguishes defects from normal variation
- Up to 20x fewer false rejects
- Stable flow, reduced unnecessary rework



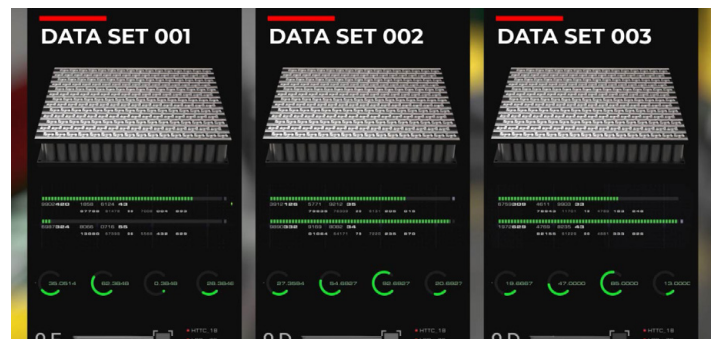
Real-Time Weld Decisions and In-Process Rework

- Instant OK/NOK at cycle time
- Automatic in-station rework to reach up to 99.9997% yield
- Prevents downstream defect propagation



Fast and Simple AI Deployment

- Same-day model training with ~1,500 welds
- Combination of good and defect-induced welds
- Easy adaptation to new products or process changes



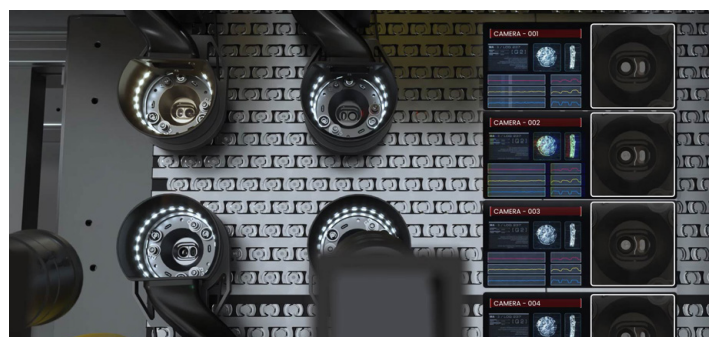
Intelligent Defect Classification

- Identifies common weld defect types
- Highlights likely process-related causes
- Enables targeted corrective actions



Complete Weld Traceability

- Full weld-level recording (images, signals, timestamps)
- Audit-ready data with station identification
- Enables continuous improvement and process stability



PINPOINT DEFECT IDENTIFICATION

Every weld tells a story.

Two inputs – photodiode signal and post-weld vision – interpreted by one AI, across the full defect spectrum.

PHOTODIODE-AI

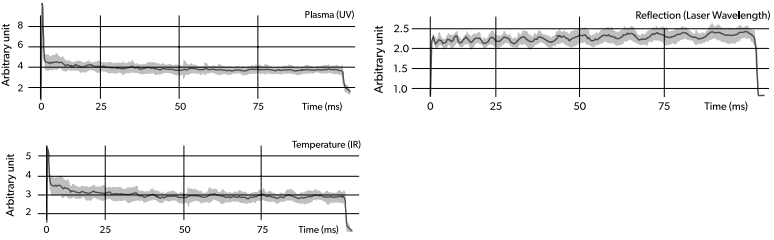
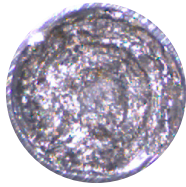
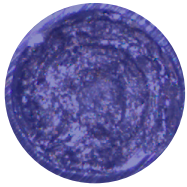
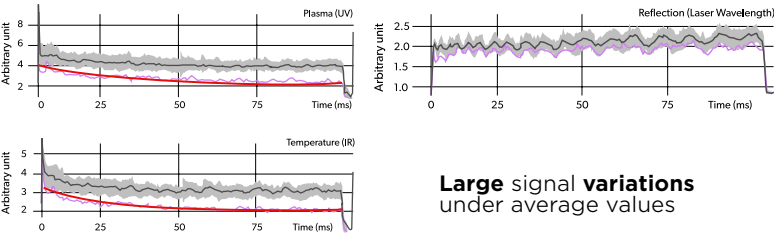
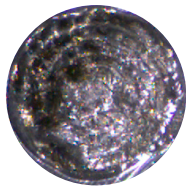
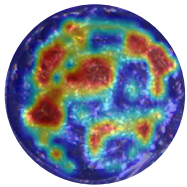
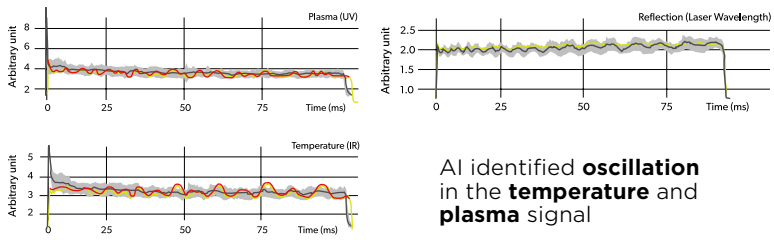
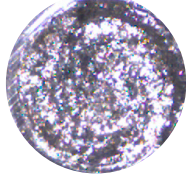
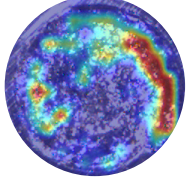
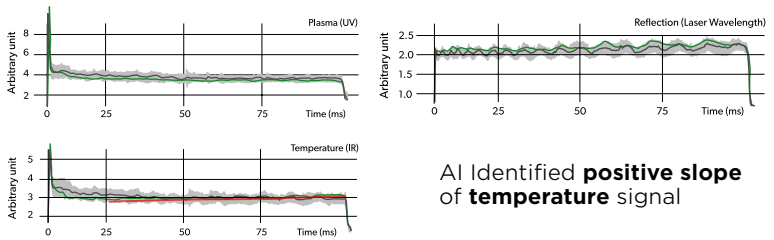
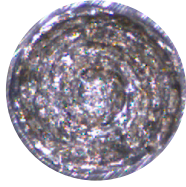
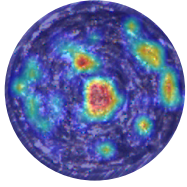
In-Process Signal

The AI reads the **full waveform** – shape, slope, and morphology – not just min/max envelope. Detects subtle deviations hidden inside the statistical tolerance band.

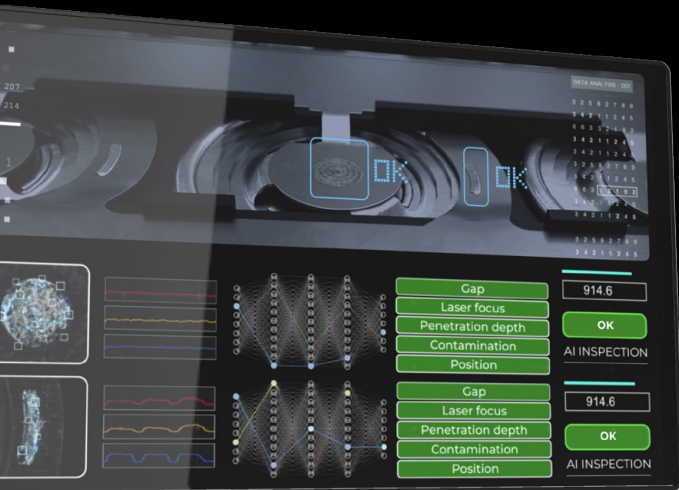
VISION-AI

Post-Weld Image

The AI classifies the weld surface and localizes the defect region via heatmap overlay – separating true defects from acceptable cosmetic variation.

WELD SCENARIO	IN-PROCESS PHOTODIODE SIGNAL - Analyzed by Laserax AI	POST-WELD VISION - Analyzed by Laserax AI - Heatmap Overlay
<p>Good Weld Reference baseline cosmetic variation accepted</p> <p>Typical statistical threshold based on distribution</p>	<p>Reference good welds signals</p> 	<p>Typical good weld image</p>  <p>No Vision AI activations</p> 
<p>Large Defect Contamination Severe gap, blow-out, over-penetration, Contamination</p>	<p>Contamination example</p>  <p>Large signal variations under average values</p>	<p>Notable surface defect</p>  <p>Global Vision AI activation</p> 
<p>Small Defect Defocus Beam misalignment, subtle morphology change</p>	<p>Laser 2mm defocus example</p>  <p>AI identified oscillation in the temperature and plasma signal</p>	<p>Subtle weld defect</p>  <p>Vision AI activation on large and small areas</p> 
<p>Small Defect Gap Porosity, small under-penetration</p>	<p>Small 50µm gap example</p>  <p>AI Identified positive slope of temperature signal</p>	<p>Even visible weld</p>  <p>Vision AI activation on multiple small areas</p> 

SEE THE DIFFERENCE



“After evaluating multiple solutions, Laserax’s AI gives us the speed and reliability we need for battery welding, with precise built-in quality monitoring and real-time validation ensuring consistently high throughput—supported by a team that excels from development to production”

- Karl Fahlström Manager Technology Development at **SCANIA**

Comparative Performance Benchmark		LASERAX	
	Photodiode Typical / Depth Measurement	Single-AI (Vision or Photodiode)	Dual-Source AI
Unidentified Bad Weld*	1 / 130,000	1 / 9,000,000	1 / 90,000,000
False Reject Rate	1 / 15	1 / 300	1 / 150**

*Based on typical defect rates observed in production

**Value reflects prioritization of maximum detection reliability vs Single-AI

AI Weld Monitoring - Executive Comparison			LASERAX	
Key Performance Criteria	Photodiode Typical	Depth Measurement LDD/OCT	Single-AI	Dual-Source AI
Fine Defect Detection (Porosity, Gap, Contamination)	✗	✗	✓	✓
Ultra-Low Defect Escape Rate	✗	✗	—	✓
Lowest False Reject Rate	✗	✗	✓	✓
Intelligent Defect Classification	✗	✗	✓	✓
Real-Time OK/NOK Decision	✗	✗	—	✓
In-Process Post-Weld Vision Inspection	✗	✗	✓	✓
Complete Weld Traceability: Images, Signals, Metadata	✗	✗	✗	✓



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