# SYNAPSE INDUSTRY

VISION SYSTEM WITH ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR THE QUALITY CONTROL OF HIGHLY VARIABLE PRODUCTS poultry wood seafood snacks & confectionary fruit & vegetables meat ceramic SENSURE



## WHICH ARE THE MAIN BENEFITS THAT CAN BE OBTAINED USING A VISION SYSTEM FOR **QUALITY CONTROL**?

#### HIGHER PRODUCTIVITY AND LINE EFFICIENCY

The analysis of product data allows to maintain the entire process under control.

#### TOTAL CONTROL OF PRODUCTION

Process repeatability and no product contamination.

#### **IMMEDIATE SAVINGS**

Reduction in labor costs and operating expenses.

#### RELIABLE, REPEATABLE AND ACCURATE **MEASUREMENTS**

Quality standards are also ensured even with different operators of the line.

#### HIGH BRAND REPUTATION

Less complaints from Customers due to higher product quality.

#### MAXIMUM LINE SPEED

Possibility of carrying out measurements not visible to the human eye at high speed.

#### REDUCED **DOWNTIME**

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The removal of non-compliant products guarantees continuous operation of the line.

#### CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT PROCESS

Product data can be used to support a continuous improvement process.



**SENSURE** has been designing and developing, since 2007, **vision systems** with **artificial intelligence** which work in **self-learning**.

Thanks to the **SENSURE SYNAPSE technology** it is possible to:

- Automate the process for **quality control** (identification and rejection of non-compliant products).
- Optimize **Pick & Place** (product flow management).

The SENSURE SYNAPSE technology is used on highly variable products, such as:

- **Baked goods** (biscuits, crackers, snacks, rusks, cakes, pizzas, bread, baguettes, focaccia, tortillas, muffins, croissants, etc.).
- Other products (poultry and meat, pet food kibbles, candies and sweets, fruit and vegetable, wood, ceramic, etc.).

SENSURE also produces **optical instruments** for **particle size distribution** (granulometry) and for **dots analysis** in different sectors (food, agriculture, coffee, mining, etc.).

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#### Always at your side

We advise and follow the Customer from the initial quotation and throughout the life of our systems with our Service (Helpdesk, Remote and Onsite Assistance and Spare Parts Management).

150+ systems

#### **Experience and Competence**

The over ten years of experience acquired on different types of highly variable products, has allowed us to develop the best quality control features using 2D and 3D vision technologies.

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#### Industry 4.0

The features of the SENSURE SYNAPSE vision system meet the requirements for Industry 4.0.



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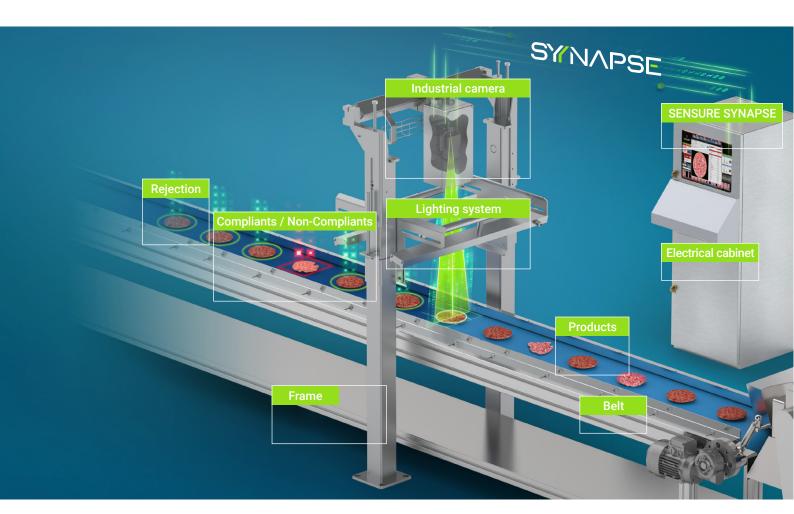


VISION SYSTEM WITH ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND SELF-LEARNING FOR QUALITY CONTROL IN THE MOST INDUSTRIAL SECTORS



SENSURE SYNAPSE INDUSTRY controls the quality of highly variable products in many sectors (poultry and meat, seafood, fruit and vegetables, snacks and confectionary, wood, ceramic, etc.) on different types of conveyors. The system is also able to classify products through images already acquired.

SENSURE SYNAPSE INDUSTRY can provide all the information to PLC and Robot for the **automatic rejection of non-compliant products**.





The numerous typical variables of a production line (oven drifts, ambient light variation, different incoming raw materials, non-optimal product recipe, dirty conveyor belt, etc.) make it difficult to find the right analysis thresholds. With the use of innovative artificial intelligence algorithms, SENSURE SYNAPSE identifies the features

to be controlled by automatically adapting to different types of production and its intrinsic variability, eliminating the complicated part of setup typical of traditional systems. Thanks to the ability to work in self-learning, SENSURE SYNAPSE presents a quick and easy installation and setup phase.



# You choose the moment when the system has to adapt to production.

Thanks to the LEARN button on the intuitive graphic interface of SENSURE SYNAPSE, the line operator decides when to have the system adapted to continue to guarantee the best quality standards while respecting production volumes. The system itself, thanks to its ability to work in self-learning, automatically proposes a quality recipe and tolerance thresholds (without requiring samples for a manual classification of non-compliances), allowing the operator to make subsequent modification.



It is the system itself that chooses the best moment to adapt to production changes.

Thanks to previous learned experience and data saved over time, SENSURE SYNAPSE is able to adapt independently to further improve the efficiency of the line. Any production drifts are identified and reported without compromising the correct functioning of the system.



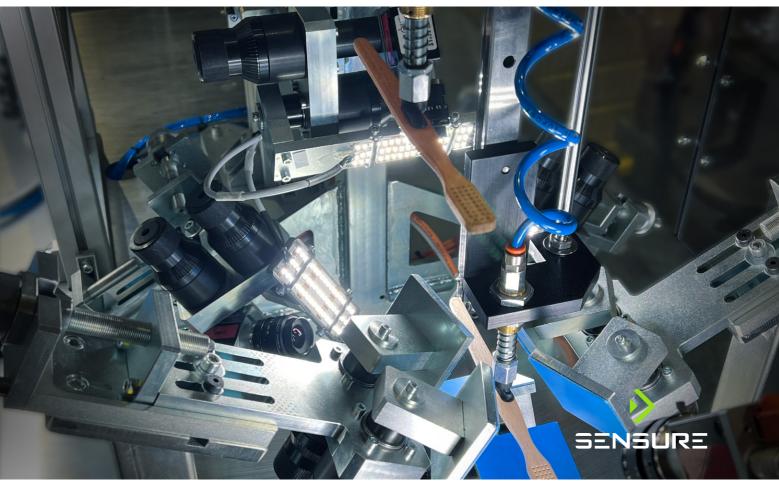
# MEASURE AND DEFECTS DETECTION CAPABILITIES

The over ten-years experience acquired in different Industries has allowed SENSURE to developed the best quality control features using 2D and 3D vision technologies and multisensory systems (thermal and infrared cameras). SENSURE SYNAPSE solutions are able to measure and control numerous product features (a wide set is included in the system), such as shape, size, color and surface pattern using 2D technology (Industrial Camera) and perform a full 3D product profile using 3D technology (laser profilometer). Thanks to the use of thermal imaging and infrared cameras, it is also possible to identify quality features in addition to the visible.

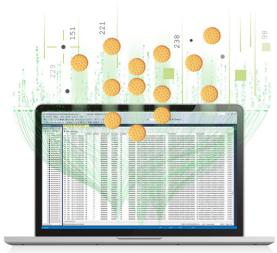
SENSURE SYNAPSE is a flexible system designed for the **development of any additional requests** that can still be implemented as an ad-hoc feature (after a feasibility analysis). It is also possible to **integrate our solutions with third party systems** such as metal detectors, checkweighers, moisture analyzers, etc.

# THROUGH THE VISION SYSTEMS IT IS POSSIBLE TO MEASURE MULTIPLE QUALITY PARAMETERS (BOTH FOR THE UPPER AND BOTTOM PART), INCLUDING:

- **Shape and Size** (min/max/average diameter, perimeter, length, width, roundness, area, etc.)
- Compactness
- Color
- Topping and seeding conformity (quantity, distribution and color)
- Texture analysis
- Edge/Contour defects
- · Cracks and holes and their conformity
- Foreign body detection (identification is possible if the dimension and color differences of the inclusions are detectable in the camera)
- Profile and height of the product (minimum, average and maximum height)
- · Flatness and planarity (when presents)
- Temperature







Multiple

# **APPLICATIONS**

#### Experience in various sectors

Among the many applications realized, we can mention systems for the control of wooden products (dimensions, presence of knots, etc.), printing controls on tiles, control with on-the-fly rejection of candies, control of wrapped chocolate pralines, control of fruit and vegetables at the entrance to an automatic warehouse, etc.

Sorting

### **AUTO**

#### + Custom Solutions

Management of automatic rejection through single and/or multiple rejects (air nozzles, traps, retractable belts, robots, etc.) through connection with PLC and Robot. Ease of integration on existing lines and possibility of developing complete customized turnkey solutions that comply with the food standards in use. Collaboration with machine manufacturers and integrators.

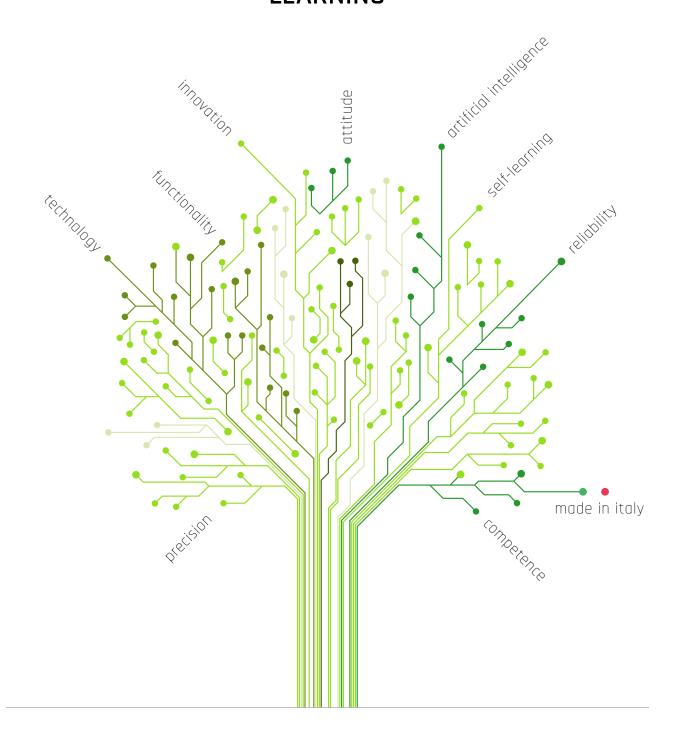
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### **DATA** available

# Real-time display, data collection and reporting

The system allows real-time display and monitoring of measured values, results, etc. The system also collects and stores in a SQL database the data of the whole production (accessible also by third-party software). Possibility to carry out dedicated reports over long periods of time, supporting the continuous improvement activity.

# NEVER STOP **LEARNING**



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