



Customer Testimonial

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LJ Welding Automation had a problem.

The company—an Edmonton, Alberta, Canada-based producer of high-quality welding positioners, vessel rotators, pipe and turning rolls, and welding automation equipment—wanted to sell fully automated welding cells.

But LJ Welding needed a way to keep operators from having to be in direct proximity to the automated cell in order to monitor the weld. Fabricators are increasingly dissatisfied with automated welding solutions that don't permit operators to monitor the weld remotely—and LJ Welding realized it needed a remote-monitoring camera system in its automated welding systems to properly meet that need.

So the company decided to integrate the XVC-O View Camera from Xiris into its automated welding cells—a decision that has paid off.

“The Xiris camera system has helped us win welding automation business that we might not otherwise have won,” says Ryan Holt, COO of LJ Welding. “Before we started providing the Xiris camera with our systems, we had a lot of requests from our customer base to solve the problem of the operator having to be right at the workcell constantly monitoring the welding process.

“However, in using the Xiris camera system, our customers can now optimize the use of their operators. Instead of multiple operators assigned to multiple production lines to manage rollers, material handling, and welding processes, they can have one operator per line at a control panel managing it all, increasing productivity, quality and reducing human error.”

As part of its customer support program, Xiris worked closely with LJ Welding on the technical aspects of integrating the Xiris cameras into LJ Welding's existing welding automation technology.

“Xiris has been a great partner for us,” Holt says. “They have excellent technology, and their staff is highly committed and responsive to our needs and to any problems we have.”

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