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Explanation of digital camera functions and operating instructions.

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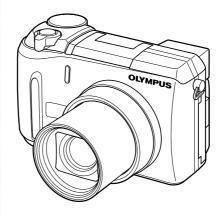
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# C-740 Ultra Zoom

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- Thank you for purchasing an Olympus digital camera. Before you start to use your new camera, please read these instructions carefully to enjoy optimum performance and a longer service life. Keep this manual in a safe place for future reference.
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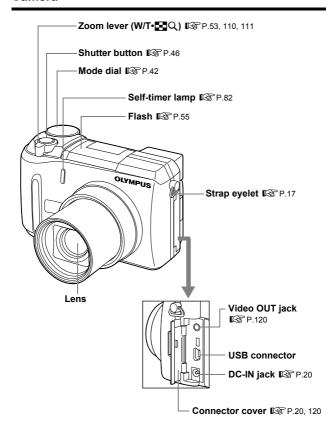
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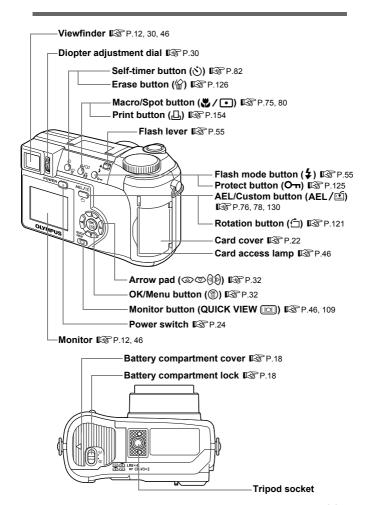
#### Indications used in this manual

mal mal	ortant information on factors which may lead to a function or operational problems. Also warns of operations should be absolutely avoided.
	out information and hints that will help you get the most out our camera.
<b>p</b> Ref	erence pages describing details or associated information.

# Names of parts

#### Camera

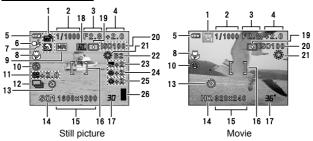




#### Viewfinder and monitor indications

INFO setting allows you to select how much information to display on the screen. Screens with the Information display set to ON are shown below. "Information display" (P.141)

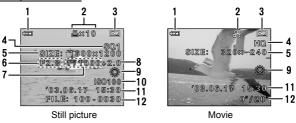
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### ●Playback mode



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4	Record mode	TIFF, SHQ, HQ, SQ1, SQ2	P.91
5	Resolution	2048 × 1536, 1280 × 960, 640 × 480, 320 × 240 etc.	P.92
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9	White Balance	WB AUTO, ※, △, ♣, 黨, 딚	P.98
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12	File number, Frame number Playing time/ total recording time	FILE: 100 – 0030, 30 0"/20"	P.148



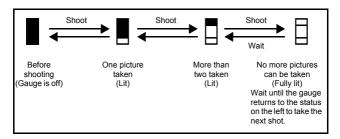
 The indications that appear on a movie picture that has been selected and displayed from the index display are different from those that appear when the movie picture is displayed using the movie playback function.

#### ●Memory gauge

The memory gauge lights up when you take a still picture. While the gauge is lit, the camera is storing the picture on the card. The memory gauge indication changes as shown below depending on the shooting status. The indication is not displayed during movie recording.

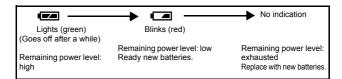


Memory gauge

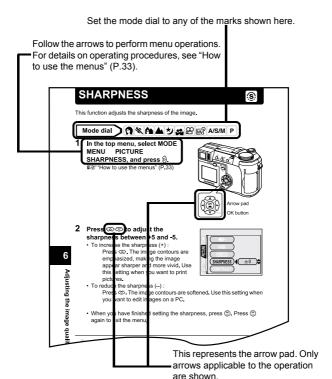


#### Battery check

If the remaining battery power is low, the battery check indication changes as follows when the camera is turned on or while the camera is in use.



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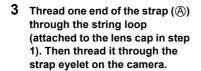


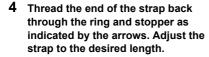
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# 1 Getting started

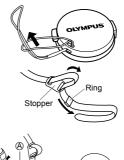
## Attaching the strap

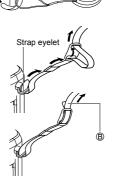
- 1 Pass the lens cap string through the hole in the lens cap, then pass the other end through the loop and pull tight.
- 2 Pull the ends of the strap out of the stopper and ring.





- 5 Pull the strap through the stopper (B) to make sure it is fastened securely.
- 6 Attach the strap to the other eyelet following steps 3 to 5.







- Be careful with the strap when you carry the camera, as it can easily catch on stray objects, causing injury or damage.
- Attach the strap correctly as shown above so that the camera does not fall off. If the strap is attached incorrectly and the camera falls off, Olympus is not responsible for any damages.

# Loading the batteries

This camera uses two CR-V3 lithium battery packs or four AA (R6) NiMH batteries, NiCd batteries, alkaline batteries or lithium batteries.

#### Important -

- CR-V3 lithium batteries cannot be recharged.
- Do not peel off the label from a CR-V3 lithium battery pack.
- · Manganese (zinc-carbon) batteries cannot be used.

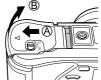
#### 1 Make sure the camera is turned off.

- · The monitor is off.
- · The viewfinder is off.
- The lens is not extended.
- 2 Slide the battery compartment lock from 

  ⊕ to ⟨⟨. |



- 3 Slide the battery compartment cover in the direction of (A), then lift in the direction of (B).
  - Use the ball of your finger to slide the cover. Do not use your fingernail as this could result in injury.

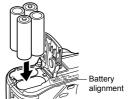


4 Insert the batteries, making sure that they are correctly oriented as shown in the illustration.

When using CR-V3 lithium battery packs

When using AA (R6) batteries





The correct way to insert the AA (R6) batteries is indicated on the bottom of the camera.

• When using rechargeable AA (R6) batteries, charge them before use.

# 5 Close the battery compartment cover, then press it down © and slide it in the direction shown ©.

- Press the center of the cover, as it may be difficult to close properly by pressing the edge.
- · Make sure the cover is closed securely.
- 6 Slide the battery compartment lock from << to ⊜.







 If the camera is left for about 1 hour with the batteries removed, some of the internal settings may revert to the factory default settings.

#### Precautions when using batteries -

The amount of power consumed varies considerably depending on the operations performed on the digital camera. If you use exhausted batteries or alkaline batteries, the camera may turn off without displaying the battery level warning (P.15).

#### Selecting optional batteries or an AC adapter

In addition to the batteries provided with the camera, the following types of battery or AC adapter can be used. Choose the power source best suited to the situation

#### ●CR-V3 lithium battery packs (Not rechargeable)

Since the CR-V3 lithium battery pack has a long service life, it is convenient when traveling.

#### NiMH batteries (Rechargeable)

Olympus NiMH batteries are rechargeable and economical.

However, if the batteries are repeatedly recharged before they are completely exhausted, the working time will gradually be reduced.

#### AA (R6) alkaline batteries

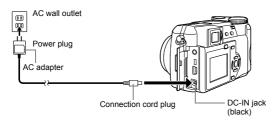
When you need batteries in a hurry, you can use AA (R6) alkaline batteries, which are easy to obtain anywhere. However, the number of pictures that you can take may vary considerably depending on the battery manufacturer, shooting conditions, etc. When taking pictures, use the viewfinder and turn off the monitor whenever possible to save power.

#### AC adapter

An AC adapter is useful for time-consuming tasks such as image downloads. An optional Olympus CAMEDIA-brand AC adapter allows you to power your digital camera from a common AC wall outlet. Be sure to use the specified AC adapter.

Use an AC adapter designed to operate on the AC voltage in the area the camera is being used.

Consult your nearest Olympus dealer or Service center for details.





- If the battery power runs out while the camera is connected to a PC, the image data may be lost or damaged. You are recommended to use the AC adapter when transferring images to a PC. Do not connect or disconnect the AC adapter while the camera is communicating with the PC.
- Do not remove or load the batteries or connect or disconnect the AC adapter while the camera is turned on. Doing so could affect the camera's internal settings or functions.
- The life of the batteries may vary according to the type of battery, manufacturer, shooting conditions, etc.
- Power is consumed continuously during the conditions described below. This could shorten the life of the batteries.
  - · When the monitor is turned on.
  - When the monitor is in the playback mode for an extended period of time.
  - · Repeated zoom adjustments.
  - Repeated auto-focus by depressing the shutter button halfway.
  - · When the FULLTIME AF mode is turned on.
  - When the camera is connected to a PC.
- When using an AC adapter, power is supplied to the camera by the AC adapter even if batteries are loaded in the camera. The AC adapter does not charge batteries in the camera.
- · Carefully read the AC adapter's instructions before use.

"Card" in this manual refers to the xD-Picture Card. The camera uses the card to record pictures.

#### Card basics

The card corresponds to normal camera film for recording the pictures you have taken. Pictures recorded and stored on the card can easily be erased, overwritten, and/or edited on a PC.

- ① Index area
  - You can write down the card's contents.
- ② Contact area Comes into contact with the camera's signal read contacts.





#### Compatible cards

xD-Picture Card (16 – 256 MB)



- This camera may not recognize a non-Olympus card or a card that
  was formatted on another device (such as a PC, etc.). Before use,
  be sure to format the card on this camera.
   #CARD SETUP Formatting Cards" (P.139)
- 1 Make sure the camera is turned off.
  - · The monitor is off.
  - · The viewfinder is off
  - The lens is not extended.
- 2 Open the card cover.



#### Insert the card in the appropriate direction.

- Insert the card while keeping it straight.
- · The card will stop with a click when it is inserted all the way to the end.
- · Inserting the card the wrong way or at an angle could damage the contact area or cause the card to jam.
- If the card is not inserted all the way, data may not be written to the card.



Index area side



Close the card cover securely until it clicks.

#### Removing the card

- Push the card all the way in to unlock it, then let it return slowly.
  - The card is ejected a short way and then stops. Hold the card straight and pull it out.

#### Note:

Releasing your finger quickly after pushing the card all the way in may cause it to eject forcefully out of the slot.





- Do not press on the card with hard or pointed items such as ballpoint pens.
  - Never open the card cover, or remove the card or the batteries while the camera is turned on. Doing so could destroy the data stored on the card. Once destroyed, data cannot be restored.

 Press the tabs on the lens cap as indicated by the arrows and remove the lens cap.



- 2 Press the power switch.
  - The power turns on and the lens extends when the mode dial is set to any mode other than . The viewfinder turns on.
  - When the mode dial is set to , the camera turns on in the playback mode and the monitor turns on



3 To turn the camera off, press the power switch again.



#### TIPS-

 To save battery power, the camera automatically enters the sleep mode and stops the operation after about 3 minutes of nonoperation. The camera activates again as soon as you operate the shutter button or zoom lever. The sleep time interval can be set in any shooting mode (except ►).
 "SLEEP - Sleep Timer" (P.144)

#### Startup/Shutdown screen

You can register a picture that will be displayed on the monitor when turning the camera on or off. (P.146)



Startup/Shutdown screen (Factory default setting)

#### If the card is not recognized (card check)

When the power is turned on, the camera checks the card automatically. If there is no card in the camera or a card that is not supported by this camera is inserted, the following screen is displayed.



• All data stored on the card is erased when the card is formatted.

Monitor indication	Corrective action
[] NO CARD	There is no card in the camera or the card is not inserted properly.  → Insert a card. If a card is already inserted, remove it and insert it again correctly.
CARD SETUP  POWER OF F  (TJ FORMA)  SSLEST® (B)  GO® (OK)	The card cannot record, play back or erase pictures. Format the card or replace it with a new one.  → Press ③⑤ to select POWER OFF, then press ⑤. Replace the card with a new one. → Format the card.
FORMAT  A CAUTION ERASING ALL  YES  NO  SELECT	Press © to select TF FORMAT, then press to display the confirmation screen. Select YES and press . Formatting starts. If the card was successfully formatted, the camera is ready to take pictures.

# Selecting a language

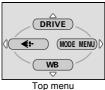


You can select a language for on-screen display. This reference manual shows the English on-screen display in the illustrations and explanations. Available language vary depending on the area where you purchased this camera.

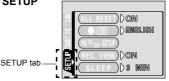
 Set the mode dial to P and press the power switch to turn the camera on.



- 2 Press (18).
  - · The top menu is displayed.
- 3 Press (2) on the arrow pad to select MODE MENU.



4 Press to select the SETUP tab, then press  $\emptyset$ .



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6 Press ☼ು to select a language, then press ౖ®).



- 7 Press (a) again to exit the menu.
- 8 To turn the camera off, press the power switch.



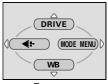
# Setting the date and time



1 Set the mode dial to P and press the power switch to turn the camera on.



- 2 Press 🖺.
  - The top menu is displayed.
- Press on the arrow pad to select MODE MENU.



Top menu

4 Press (25) to select the SETUP tab, then press (2).



- - The green frame moves to the selected item.



- - · Move to the year setting.
  - The following steps show the procedure used when the date and time settings are set to Y-M-D
- 7 Press so to set the year, then press to move to the month setting.
  - To move back to the previous setting, press <sup>(3)</sup>.
  - The first two digits of the year are fixed.
- 8 Repeat this procedure until the date and time are completely set.
  - The time is displayed in the 24-hour format.
     Consequently, 2 p.m. is displayed as 14:00.
- 9 Press (18).
  - For a more accurate setting, press (\*\*)
    when the time signal hits 00 seconds. The
    clock starts when you press the button.
- 10 To turn the camera off, press the power switch.









- The current settings are retained even when the power is turned off, unless they are readjusted.
- The date and time settings will be canceled if the camera is left without batteries for approximately 1 hour. The settings will be canceled more quickly if the batteries were only loaded in the camera for a short time before being removed. Before taking important pictures, check that the date and time settings are correct.

# Adjusting the viewfinder

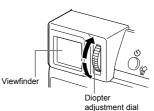
To make the camera easier to use, adjust the viewfinder to match the eyesight (visual acuity) of the person using the camera.

1 Set the mode dial to AUTO and press the power switch.

• The camera and the viewfinder turn on.



While looking through the viewfinder, slowly turn the diopter adjustment dial.



3 Turn the dial until the AF target mark can be seen clearly.



AF target mark

# Holding the camera

Hold the camera firmly with both hands while keeping your elbows at your sides to prevent the camera from moving. When taking pictures in the vertical position, hold the camera so that the flash is higher than the lens. Keep your fingers and the strap away from the lens and flash.

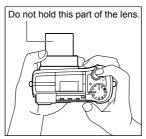
#### Horizontal grip



Vertical grip



Top view



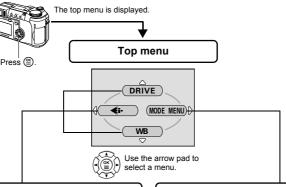


 Clear pictures cannot be obtained if the camera moves as the shutter button is pressed. Hold the camera correctly, and press the shutter button gently.

# 2 Using the menus

# **About the menus**

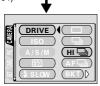
When you turn on the camera and press (a), the top menu is displayed on the monitor (or viewfinder). The functions of this camera are set from the menus. This chapter explains how the menus work, using the **P** mode screens.



#### SHORTCUT MENUS

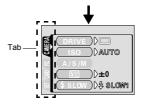
- Take you directly to the setting screens.
- Display operational buttons at the bottom of the screen.
- The functions registered in the shortcut menus can also be accessed from the MODE MENU.
- The shortcut menus can be replaced in modes other than AUTO № .

  S "Setting the shortcut menu" (P.134)

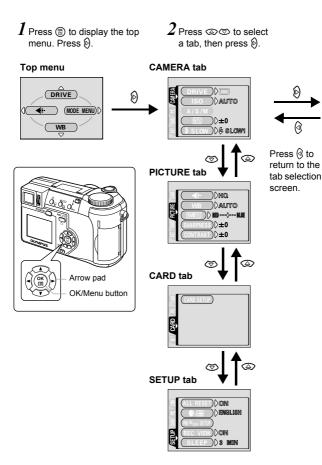


#### MODE MENU

- Lets you access the menu selections to set the ISO, sharpness, etc.
- Categorizes the settings into 4 tabs.
- Press to select a tab and display the associated menu items.



# How to use the menus



continued overleaf.

3 Press  $\infty$  to select an item, then press 9.



4 Press to select a setting. Press to complete setting. Press again to exit the menu and return to shooting status.





selected item



To return to select an item, press (3) or (26).







- Not all items can be selected depending on the status of the camera and the settings performed.
- Note
- In the shooting modes, you can take pictures by pressing the shutter button even when menus are displayed.
- If you want to save the settings after the camera is turned off, set ALL RESET to OFF. \*\* "ALL RESET – Saving the camera's settings" (P.128)

# **Shortcut menus**

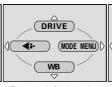
#### Shooting modes

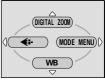
**AUTO** mode



mode mode







(Factory default setting)

#### DRIVE

Selects a shooting mode from (single-frame shooting), (sequential shooting), HI() (high speed sequential shooting), AF() (AF sequential shooting) and BKT (auto bracketing).

#### DIGITAL ZOOM

Extends the maximum optical zoom, making possible up to approx. 30x zoom.



Sets the image quality and resolution.

Still picture : TIFF, SHQ, HQ, SQ1, SQ2

Movie : HQ, SQ

P.91

#### WB

Sets the appropriate white balance according to the light source. P.98



Sets the date and time. P.28

#### **CARD SETUP**

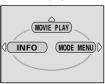
Formats a card. P.139

### Playback mode

#### Still picture



#### Movie



Runs through all saved pictures one after another. P.113

### **MOVIE PLAY**

MOVIE PLAYBACK	Plays back movies.	P.114
INDEX	Creates an index picture of a movie in 9 frames.	P.116
EDIT	Edits a movie.	P.118

INFO

Displays all the shooting information on the monitor. P.141

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Displays a histogram showing the luminance distribution of still pictures.



#### HPS=

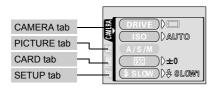
The functions registered in the shortcut menus can also be accessed from the MODE MENU. The shortcut menus can be replaced in modes other than AUTO ⚠ ▶.

Setting the shortcut menu" (P.134)

# **Mode Menus**

The MODE MENU has 4 tabs. Press ఄৈ to select a tab and display the associated menu items.

### Shooting modes



CAMERA tab		
DRIVE	Selects a shooting mode from (single-frame shooting), (sequential shooting), (sequential shooting), (AF) (AF sequential shooting), (AF) (auto bracketing).	P.83
ISO	Selects the ISO sensitivity from AUTO, 100, 200 and 400.	P.96
A/S/M	Selects the shooting mode from A (Aperture priority shooting), S (Shutter priority shooting) and M (Manual shooting).	P.63
мŷ1/2/3/4	Selects a mode to be activated when taking pictures in My mode.	P.67
572	Adjusts the amount of light emitted by the flash.	P.62
\$SLOW	Selects from \$SLOW1 (1st curtain), \$\$SLOW1 (1st curtain with red-eye reduction) and \$SLOW2 (2nd curtain) when the flash mode is set to \$SLOW (slow synchronization).	P.61
NOISE REDUCTION	Reduces the noise that affects pictures during long exposures.	P.105
MULTI METERING	Meters the brightness of the subject at up to 8 different points to set the optimal exposure based on the average brightness.	P.76

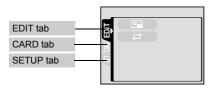
DIGITAL ZOOM	Extends the maximum optical zoom, making possible up to approx. 30x zoom.	P.54
FULLTIME AF	Keeps the image in focus at all times without having to press the shutter button halfway.	P.69
AF MODE	Selects the auto focus method (iESP or SPOT).	P.68
SI	Allows pictures to be taken as close as 3 cm/1.2" from the subject.	P.81
PANORAMA	Allows panorama pictures to be taken with Olympus CAMEDIA-brand cards.	P.86
2 IN 1	Combines two still pictures taken in succession and stores them as a single picture.	P.88
FUNCTION	Adds special effects to pictures (BLACK & WHITE, SEPIA, WHITE BOARD, BLACK BOARD).	P.90
AF AREA	Changes the position of the AF target mark using the arrow pad.	P.70
INFO	Selects whether to display all the information such as shutter speed and white balance, or only the minimum information.	P.141
alli	Displays a histogram showing the luminance distribution of still pictures.	P.106

PICTURE tab		
<b>€</b> :-	Sets the image quality and resolution. Still picture: TIFF, SHQ, HQ, SQ1, SQ2 Movie : HQ, SQ	P.91
WB	Sets the appropriate white balance according to the light source.	P.98
WB½	Makes fine changes to the white balance.	P.101
SHARPNESS	Adjusts the sharpness of the image.	P.102
CONTRAST	Adjusts the contrast of the image.	P.103
SATURATION	Adjusts the level of color depth without changing the tint.	P.104

CARD tab		
CARD SETUP	Formats a card.	P.139

SETUP tab		
ALL RESET	Selects whether to keep the current camera settings when you turn off the power.	P.128
<b>₽</b> .□	Selects a language for on-screen display.	P.26
PW ON/OFF SETUP	Sets the picture displayed on the monitor when the power is turned on and off.	P.146
REC VIEW	Selects whether to display pictures on the monitor while saving them to a card.	P.143
SLEEP	Sets the sleep timer.	P.144
MY MODE SETUP	Customizes settings which are activated in the ১৯৯ mode.	P.136
FILE NAME	Changes how file names are assigned.	P.148
PIXEL MAPPING	Checks the CCD and image processing functions for errors.	P.149
	Adjusts the brightness of the monitor or viewfinder.	P.142
0	Sets the date and time.	P.28
m/ft	Sets the measurement unit (m/ft) used during manual focus.	P.150
VIDEO OUT	Selects NTSC or PAL according to your TV's video signal type. TV video signal types differ depending on the region.	P.151
SHORT CUT	Assigns frequently used functions as shortcut menus.	P.133
CUSTOM BUTTON	Assigns a frequently used function to the camera's custom button.	P.130
<b>■</b> )))	Turns the beep sound used for button operations and warnings on and off.	P.145

### ●Playback mode



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7	Makes the file size smaller and saves it as a new file.	P.122
<b></b>	Crops part of a picture and saves it as a new file.	P.123

<sup>\*1</sup> The EDIT tab is not displayed during movie playback.

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CARD SETUP Erases all image data stored on the card p.127, or format the card. 139

SETUP tab		
ALL RESET	Selects whether to keep the current camera settings when you turn off the power.	P.128
<b>P</b> .	Selects a language for on-screen display.	P.26
PW ON/OFF SETUP	Sets the picture displayed on the monitor when the power is turned on and off.	P.146
SCREEN SETUP	Registers a stored picture for use as the picture displayed when the power is turned on and off.	P.147
<u></u>	Adjusts the brightness of the monitor.	P.142
0	Sets the date and time.	P.28
VIDEO OUT	Selects NTSC or PAL according to your TV's video signal type. TV video signal types differ depending on the region.	P.151

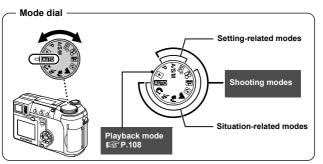
8	Selects the number of frames in the index display.	P.112
<b>=</b> 1))	Turns the beep sound used for button operations and warnings on and off.	P.145

# 3 Shooting basics

## **Shooting modes**

The shooting modes include modes where the optimal settings for the situation are automatically selected, and modes where you can select the settings best suited to the shooting conditions and the effect you wish to achieve.

You can change the shooting mode before and after turning the camera on.



### Situation-related modes

### **AUTO** Full-auto shooting

Allows you to take still pictures using no special functions or manual adjustments. The camera sets the optimal focusing and exposure. This is the simplest of all shooting modes.

### Portrait shooting

Suitable for taking a portrait-style shot of a person. This mode features an infocus subject against a blurred background. The camera automatically sets the optimal shooting conditions.

#### Sports shooting

Suitable for capturing fast-moving action (such as sports) without blur. Even a fast-moving subject will be clear and sharp, as if it is not moving, enabling

you to capture facial expressions and detailed activity. The camera automatically sets the optimal shooting conditions.

#### A Landscape+Portrait shooting

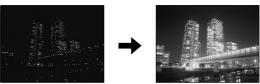
Suitable for taking pictures of both your subject and the landscape. The picture is taken with the background as well as the subject in the foreground in focus. You can take pictures of your subject against a beautiful sky or landscape. The camera automatically sets the optimal shooting conditions.

### ▲ Landscape shooting

Suitable for taking pictures of landscapes and other outdoor scenes. Both the foreground and the background are in focus. Since blues and greens are vividly reproduced in this mode, it is excellent for shooting natural scenery. The camera automatically sets the optimal shooting conditions.

#### **ಶ** Night Scene shooting

Suitable for shooting pictures in the evening or at night. The camera sets a slower shutter speed than is used in normal shooting. For example, if you take a picture of a street at night in AUTO mode, the lack of brightness will result in a dark picture with the background underexposed and without details. In the Night Scene shooting mode, the true appearance of the street is captured. The camera automatically selects the optimal settings for this type of shooting condition. Since the shutter speed is slow, make sure you stabilize the camera by using a tripod.



### Self-Portrait shooting

Enables you to take a picture of yourself while holding the camera. Point the lens towards yourself and the focus will be locked on you. The camera automatically sets the optimal shooting conditions. The zoom is fixed in the wide position and cannot be changed.

### Setting-related modes

### P Program shooting

Allows you to take still pictures. The camera sets the aperture and shutter speed. Other functions, such as flash modes and drive modes, can be adjusted manually.

### A/S/M Aperture priority/Shutter priority/Manual shooting

### A Aperture priority shooting

Allows you to set the aperture manually. The camera sets the shutter speed automatically. By decreasing the aperture value (F-number), the camera will focus within a smaller range, producing a picture with a blurred background. Increasing the value forces the camera to focus over a wider range in the forward and backward directions, resulting in increased "depth of field", in which both the subject and the background are in focus.

■ "Aperture priority shooting" (P.64)



Aperture (F-number) is decreased.



Aperture (F-number) is increased.

### S Shutter priority shooting

Allows you to set the shutter speed manually. The camera sets the aperture automatically. Set the shutter speed according to the subject and the type of effect you want.

**I**S "Shutter priority shooting" (P.65)



Setting the shutter speed higher lets you capture fast-moving action without blur. The subject will be clear and sharp, as if it is not moving.



Setting the shutter speed lower blurs a moving subject, giving the impression of movement.

#### M Manual shooting

Allows you to set the aperture and shutter speed manually. To check the exposure, refer to the exposure differential. This mode gives you more creative control, allowing you to make the settings you need to get the type of picture you want, regardless of optimum exposure.

\*\*S\*\*Manual shooting\*\* (P.66)

#### My Mode

Allows you to save your favorite settings as your own personal mode and use these customized settings when taking pictures. Current settings can also be saved for retrieving by this mode. Far "MY MODE SETUP" (P.136)

""Using My Mode" (P.67)

### Movie record

Allows you to record movies. The camera sets the aperture and shutter speed automatically. Even if the subject moves during recording or the distance to the subject changes, correct focusing and exposure are maintained continuously. The sound cannot be recorded.

"Recording movies" (P.51)



The available settings vary depending on the mode. "Modes and Shooting Functions" (P.180)

# Taking still pictures

You can take still pictures using either the viewfinder or the monitor.

AUTO 🐧 💸 🏔 🏕 💆 🔐 🔊 A/S/M P Mode dial

Set the mode dial to AUTO 🥱 💸 A ★ ★ B B M A/S/M P and press the power switch. **I**© "Power on/off" (P.24)

· The viewfinder turns on.

To shoot using the monitor, press lo turn the monitor on.

Decide the composition of the picture.





AF target mark

### 3 Press the shutter button gently (halfway) to adjust the focus.

- When the focus and exposure are locked. the green lamp lights (focus lock).
- · The AF target mark moves to the focused position.
- · The shutter speed and aperture value automatically set by the camera are displayed (except in M mode).
- 4 blinks to warn of camera movement. Push the flash lever up to make the flash pop up. (P.55)
- When \$\frac{1}{2}\$ lights after the flash has popped up, the flash is ready to fire. The flash fires automatically when the shutter button is pressed all the way.





### 4 Press the shutter button all the way (fully).

- · The camera takes the picture.
- The card access lamp blinks while the picture is stored on the card





The subject cannot be focused on.

"If correct focus cannot be obtained" (P.49)

### The green lamp blinks.

- → You are too close to the subject. Take the picture at least 7 cm/2.8" (wide-angle) (1.2 m/3.9 ft. (telephoto)) away from the subject. If you use the super macro mode, you can take pictures as close as 3 cm/ 1.2" from the subject. (P.81)
- → Depending on the subject, the focus and exposure may not be locked. Subjects that are difficult to focus on" (P.50)

### blinks when the shutter button is pressed halfway.

→ The flash is charging. Wait until the lamp goes off.

### To check the picture you have just taken immediately

→ Set REC VIEW to ON. IS "REC VIEW" (P.143)

#### The viewfinder or monitor turns off automatically

→ If the camera is not used for over 3 minutes, the viewfinder and monitor turn off automatically. Operate the shutter button or zoom lever to turn the viewfinder or monitor on. SEEP - Sleep Timer" (P.144)

#### To adjust the brightness of the viewfinder or monitor

→ Go to "Monitor brightness Adjustment" and adjust the brightness.

□ "Monitor/viewfinder brightness adjustment" (P.142)

#### The viewfinder or monitor is hard to see

→ Bright light, such as direct sunlight, may cause vertical lines (smears) to appear on the image in the viewfinder or monitor. This does not affect recorded pictures.

# To check the area the camera is focusing on

→ If you press □ while pressing the shutter button halfway, the area you are focusing on is enlarged. Pressing □ once more returns the size to normal. This function is not available in the digital zoom range.



IS "DIGITAL ZOOM - Using the digital zoom" (P.54)



- Press the shutter button gently using the ball of your finger. If it is
  pressed hard, the camera may move and pictures may come out
  blurred
- Recorded pictures will be saved on the card regardless of whether the camera is turned off or the batteries are replaced or removed.
- Never open the card cover, remove the batteries or disconnect the AC adapter while the card access lamp is blinking. Doing so could destroy stored pictures and prevent storage of pictures you have just taken.
- When taking pictures against strong backlight, the area of the picture in shadow may appear colored.

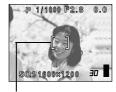
### If correct focus cannot be obtained

When the subject cannot be focused on, you can focus the camera on another point at roughly the same distance (focus lock) and take the picture as explained below.

### **Using the Focus Lock function**



- Position the AF target mark on the subject you want to focus on.
  - When shooting a hard-to-focus subject or a fast-moving subject, point the camera at an object about the same distance away as the subject.



AF target mark

- 2 Press the shutter button halfway until the green lamp lights.
  - When the focus and exposure are locked, the green lamp lights.
  - The AF target mark moves to the focused position.
  - When the green lamp blinks, the focus and exposure are not locked. Release your finger from the shutter button, re-position your subject and press the shutter button halfway again.
- Keeping the shutter button pressed halfway, recompose your shot.



Shutter button

### 4 Press the shutter button fully.





TIPS:

The frame in which you focus on a subject is different from the frame in which you lock the exposure.

"AE LOCK - Locking the exposure" (P.78)

Fix the focus position.

"AF LOCK – Locking the focus" (P.71)

Focus on the subject in the center of the frame.

"AF MODE - Changing the focus range" (P.68)

### Subjects that are difficult to focus on

Under certain types of conditions, the auto focus may not work properly. If this happens, focus on an object with high contrast at the same distance as the intended subject (focus lock), recompose your shot and then take the picture. If the subject has no vertical lines, hold the camera vertically and focus the camera using the focus lock function by pressing the shutter button halfway, then return the camera to the horizontal position while keeping the button pressed halfway and take the picture.

If the subject still cannot be focused on, use the manual focus. I Manual focus (P.73)

The green lamp blinks. The subject cannot be brought into focus.



Subject with low contrast



Subject with an extremely bright area in the center of the frame



Subject without vertical lines

The green lamp lights, but the subject cannot be brought into focus.



Subjects at different distances



Fast-moving subject



The subject to be focused on is not in the center of the frame.

# **Recording movies**



This function allows you to record movies. Even if the subject moves during recording or the distance to the subject changes, correct focusing and exposure are maintained continuously. The sound connot be recorded.

### Mode dial



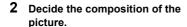
### Set the mode dial to and press the power switch.

**I**© "Power on/off" (P.24)

- · The viewfinder turns on.
- · The available recording time on the card that you are using is displayed.



Card access lamp





### 3 Press the shutter button fully to start recording.

- · The card access lamp blinks while the movie is stored on the card
- During movie recording, Page lights red.



Seconds remaining-

### 4 Press the shutter button again to stop recording.

- When the remaining recording time has been used up, recording stops automatically.
- When there is space in the card memory, the remaining recording time is displayed, and the camera is ready to shoot.



- Depending on the card, the remaining recording time may drop rapidly during recording. Try using the card again after formatting it with your camera. See "CARD SETUP - Formatting Cards" (P.139)
- If FULLTIME AF is set to OFF, the focus is locked when the shutter button is pressed in step 3, causing the focus of some pictures to be compromised.

#### Notes for recording movies over a long time -

- Recording will continue until the card is full unless stopped by pressing the shutter button.
- A long recorded movie cannot be edited. (P.116)
- If a single movie recording uses up all of the card's memory, create space on the card by deleting the movie or downloading it to a PC.

### Zoom

Telephoto and wide-angle shooting are possible at 10x magnification (the optical zoom limit, equivalent to 38 mm - 380 mm on a 35 mm camera). By combining the optical zoom with the digital zoom, zoom magnification can be increased to a maximum of approximately 30x.

Camera movement is likely to occur at higher magnifications. Stabilize the camera with a tripod, etc. to avoid camera movement.

### Using the optical zoom



1 Push or pull the zoom lever.







Pull the zoom lever toward T to zoom in.

Telephoto:





### **DIGITAL ZOOM - Using the digital zoom**

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1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → DIGITAL ZOOM → ON, and press <sup>(a)</sup>
(B) "How to use the menus" (P.33)

• Press ( again to exit the menu.

Mode dial

In the top menu, select DIGITAL ZOOM  $\rightarrow$  ON, and press a.

2 Pull the zoom lever toward T.

 The white area of the zoom indicator indicates the optical zoom. If the digital zoom is set to ON, a red area appears on the zoom indicator. When you reach the limit of the optical zoom, the digital zoom is enabled.





The cursor moves up and down on the zoom indicator according to the zoom magnification.

The cursor turns orange when inside the digital zoom field.



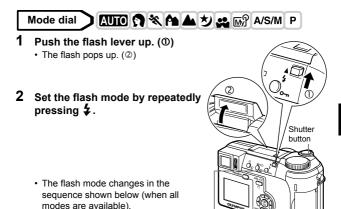
· Pictures taken with the digital zoom may appear grainy.

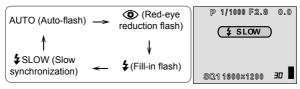
### 4 Flash

### Flash shooting



Select the flash mode best suited to the light conditions and the effect you want to achieve. You can also adjust the amount of light emitted using the flash intensity control.





Flash mode button

- If no operation is performed for about 3 seconds, the flash mode is set and the mode selector screen is automatically exited.
- To prevent the flash from firing, press down on the top of the flash to retract it.

- 3 Press the shutter button halfway.
  - In conditions where the flash will fire, \$\\\\$
     lights.
- 4 Press the shutter button fully to take the picture.



### Flash working range

W (max.): Approx. 0.3 m to 4.5 m (1.0 ft. to 14.8 ft.) T (max.): Approx. 1.2 m to 3.5 m (3.9 ft. to 11.5 ft.)

### Function restrictions according to mode

	Mode	AUTO			A/S/M			Р	
Flash mode		AUIU		Ŋ	(WY)	Α	S	М	•
Auto		✓		✓	✓	✓	-	-	✓
<b>③</b>		✓		✓	✓	✓	-	-	✓
\$		-		✓	✓	✓	-	-	✓
<b>≴</b> SLOW1		-		✓	✓	✓	,		✓
<b>\$</b> SLOW2		-		✓	✓	✓	•	/	✓
<b>③</b> \$SLOW1		_		✓	✓	✓	-	-	✓
<b>②</b>		✓		✓	✓		✓		✓

✓: Available, – : Not available, Eactory default setting

The factory default settings and available modes vary depending on the selected mode.



#### TIPS

The \$ (flash standby) indication blinks.

→ The flash is charging. Wait until \$ goes off.

Camera movement warning (Auto-flash, red-eye reduction flash, fill-in flash)

→ When **‡** (camera movement warning) lights, the shutter speed locks at its current level. This helps prevent camera shake problems (shutter speeds that are too slow can cause blur). However, if the zoom magnification is increased, the camera will increase the locked shutter speed accordingly.

Zoom position	Shutter speed
W (max.)	1/30 sec.
T (max.)	1/250 sec.



- The flash does not fire in the following situations:
   In the movie record mode, during auto bracketing, during super-macro shooting, when FUNCTION is set to WHITE BOARD/BLACK BOARD, and during Panorama shooting
- The flash may not give you the optimum result in macro mode, especially with wide-angle shooting. Check the resulting picture on the monitor.
- If a conversion lens is attached to the camera, do not use the flash.

### ●Auto-flash (No indication)

The flash fires automatically in low light or backlight conditions. To shoot a subject with backlight, position the AF target mark over the subject.

### ●Red-eye reduction flash (③)

The light from the flash may make the subject's eyes appear red in the picture. The red-eye reduction flash mode significantly reduces this phenomenon by emitting pre-flashes before firing the regular flash. This helps accustom the subject's eyes to the bright light and minimizes the red-eye phenomenon.



The subject's eyes appear red.

Note

- After the pre-flashes, it takes about 1 second before the shutter is released. Hold the camera firmly to avoid camera movement.
- Effectiveness may be limited if the subject is not looking directly at the pre-flashes, or if the shooting range is too far. Individual physical characteristics may also limit effectiveness.

### ●Fill-in flash (\$)

The flash fires regardless of the available light. This mode is useful for eliminating shadows on the subject's face (such as shadows from tree leaves), in a backlight situation, or for correcting the color shift produced by artificial lighting (especially fluorescent light).





 The fill-in flash may not have the desired effect under excessively bright light.

### ●Flash off (②)

The flash does not fire even in low light conditions. Use this mode in situations where flash photography is not desired or is prohibited, such as in an art museum. You can also use this mode when you want to shoot a natural-looking twilight or night scene.



 Since a slow shutter speed is automatically selected in low light situations when in the flash off mode, the use of a tripod is recommended to prevent your pictures from being blurred by camera movement.

### ●Slow Synchronization (\$ SLOW1 \$ SLOW2 ③ \$ SLOW)

The slow synchronization flash is designed for slow shutter speeds. Normally, when shooting with a flash, shutter speeds cannot go below a certain level to prevent camera movement. But when shooting a night scene background, fast shutter speeds can make the background too dark. Slow synchronization flash allows both a slow shutter speed for the background and a flash for the subject. Since the shutter speed is slow, make sure you stabilize the camera by using a tripod. Otherwise, camera movement may cause the picture to be blurred.



### 1st curtain (front curtain) \$\$LOW1

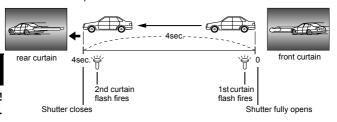
Usually, regardless of the shutter speed, the flash fires right after the shutter fully opens. This is called 1st curtain. Unless you change it, this is how the flash always fires. The slow synchronization factory default setting is \$\$LOW1.

With 2nd curtain, the flash fires just before the shutter closes. Changing the flash timing can create interesting effects in your picture, such as expressing the movement of a car by showing the tail-lights streaming backwards. The slower the shutter speed, the better the effects turn out.

The slowest possible shutter speed depends on the shooting mode:

M mode : 16 sec. P. A. S. Ⅎ mode: 4 sec.

When the shutter speed is set to 4 sec.



### 1st curtain with red-eye reduction \$\$\\$\$LOW1

This mode is for when you want to use slow synchronization, yet also reduce the red-eye phenomenon. For instance, when shooting a person against a brightly lit night background. A normal flash might make the person's eyes red, but 1st curtain with red-eye reduction lets you capture the background correctly and reduce the red-eye phenomenon at the same time. 2nd curtain with red-eye reduction is not available.

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Flash

# Using the slow synchronization flash **≴**sLow

# Mode dial 🥎 💸 🏔 ಶ 🕰 🔊 A/S/M P

"How to use the menus" (P.33)

• Press (a) again to exit the menu.





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You can adjust the amount of light emitted by the flash.

In some situations, you may get better results by adjusting the light emission. Examples include small subjects, distant backgrounds, or situations when increased contrast is desired. You can adjust the exposure in the range of  $\pm 2.0$  in 1/3 EV steps.



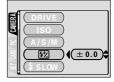
1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → [元], and press ②.

"How to use the menus" (P.33)



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- : Light emission is increased by 1/3EV each time you press the button. (EV: Exposure Value)
- : Light emission is decreased by 1/3 EV each time you press the button.
- Press ( again to exit the menu.





 The flash adjustment effect may not be sufficient if the shutter speed is too fast.

# 5 Advanced shooting

## A/S/M mode

A/S/M

Select the shooting mode to be used when the mode dial is set to A/S/M.

Mode dial

A/S/M

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → A/S/M → A, S or M, and press <sup>(a)</sup>

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• Press (a) again to exit the menu.

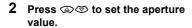




A/S/M

Select A mode.

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 The aperture value increases. : The aperture value decreases.



If the aperture value is displayed in red, the aperture setting is unsuitable for the conditions. Take the following steps. (When the aperture value is displayed in green, the setting will provide optimum exposure.)

Aperture value





▲ appears: The image is overexposed. Press 
to increase the aperture value

▼ appears: The image is underexposed. Press To decrease the aperture value

Aperture range: Toward W: f2.8 to f8.0

Toward T : f3 7 to f8 0



· When the flash is set to the auto-flash mode, the shutter speed is fixed at 1/30 sec. in the maximum wide angle, or 1/250 sec. in the maximum telephoto, and will not go slower.

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Advanced shooting

# Shutter priority shooting



Mode dial

A/S/M

1 Select S mode.

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: Sets a faster shutter speed.

Sets a slower shutter speed.



If the shutter speed is displayed in red, the setting is unsuitable for the conditions. Take the following steps. (When the shutter speed is displayed in green, the setting will provide optimum exposure.)





▼ appears: The image is underexposed. Press ூ to set a slower shutter speed.

Shutter speed range: 1 to 1/1000 sec.



• Shutter speeds that can be set differ according to the flash setting.

### Mode dial

A/S/M

1 Select M mode.

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# 2 Use the arrow pad to set the aperture value and shutter speed.

The aperture value increases.

The aperture value decreases. Sets a faster shutter speed.

Sets a slower shutter speed.

When the shutter button is halfway
 pressed, the difference (rapping from

- pressed, the difference (ranging from -3.0 to +3.0 EV) between the exposure determined by the currently selected aperture and shutter speed compared to the exposure level considered optimal by the camera is displayed.
- If the exposure differential appears in red, it indicates that the exposure differential is less than -3.0 EV or more than +3.0 EV.
- When you press AEL/

   if, the screen on the right appears with the bar indicating current exposure settings.

Aperture value: f2.8 to f8.0 (W)

f3.7 to f8.0 (T)

Shutter speed: 16 to 1/1000 sec.



Exposure differential







 To avoid camera movement, you are recommended to use a tripod when taking pictures requiring a slow shutter speed.

# **Using My Mode**



When you use M mode, the settings you selected with the menus in My Mode are activated.

Saving the shooting mode or function settings you want to use in advance lets you shoot with your favorite settings straightaway. You can also save the settings you are currently using. You can create and save up to 4 different patterns. 

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### Mode dial



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → MY MODE → MY MODE 1 to MY MODE 4, and press <sup>(a)</sup>

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- Press (a) again to exit the menu.
- Only the settings in MY MODE 1 have already been saved. You cannot select MY MODE 2 to MY MODE 4 if no settings have been saved in them.

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 Although the settings you are using can be saved, the saved zoom position may not be the same as the one being used.

# Focusing applications

### AF MODE - Changing the focus range

This function allows you to select the focus range of your subject.

**iESP** Focus selection is based on the entire picture on the screen. Even

when the subject is not in the center of the screen, focusing is

possible.

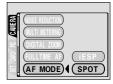
**SPOT** Focus selection is based on the subject within the AF target mark.



In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → AF MODE → iESP or SPOT, and press <sup>(a)</sup>/<sub>(a)</sub>.
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Press 
 again to exit the menu.







 In Auto and Ammode, the AF MODE is fixed at iESP and cannot be changed.

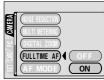
### FULLTIME AF - A reliable time-saving way to focus

FULLTIME AF keeps the subject in front of the lens in focus at all times, without having to press the shutter button halfway. When ON is selected, the focusing time is reduced, letting you take successive snapshots.



- In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → FULLTIME  $AF \rightarrow ON$ , and press  $\stackrel{\text{\tiny (4)}}{=}$ . "How to use the menus" (P.33)
  - Press ( again to exit the menu.









· Battery life is reduced when FULLTIME AF is used.

Note

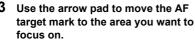
# AF AREA – Changing the position of the AF target mark

You can select the area you want to focus on by changing the position of the AF target mark.



- 2 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → AF AREA, and press ②.





 The AF target mark at the center of the screen can be moved vertically or horizontally.



AF target mark

- 4 Take the picture.
  - To restore the AF target mark to its original position (at the center), press (2).
  - Press (\*\*) again to exit AF target mark selection mode.



- · AF AREA is not available when the digital zoom is set to ON.
- The location of the AF target mark cannot be saved.

### AF LOCK - Locking the focus

Registering the AF lock function on the  $\mathbf{AEL}/\mathbf{\Xi}$  in advance enables easy locking of the focus.



1 Register the AF lock function on AEL/≦.

Setting the custom button (P.131)



- 2 Position the AF target mark on the subject you want to focus on and press AEL / ☑.
- ALL, E , LLL odolom sallor
- The focus is locked and the AF lock mark is displayed.
- To reset the AF lock, press AEL / ≦ again to cancel the AF lock. Each time you press AEL / ≦, AF lock is alternately engaged and canceled.

When AEL/≦ is pressed



When focus is locked



AF lock mai

3 Press the shutter button fully.



#### TIPS:

#### How to save the locked focus after shooting (AF memory)

→ Hold down **AEL**/**≦** for more than 1 second. The AF memory mark appears. When the mark appears, the locked focus is memorized. To cancel AF memory, press **AEL**/**≦** again.

# AF memory mark P 1/1000 F2.8 0.0 AF MEMORY SQ1 160021200 FD

#### AF lock was canceled.

- → Do not operate any of the buttons or the mode dial after performing AF lock. AF lock will be canceled.
- → The camera had emerged from sleep mode or the power was turned off.



AF lock is not available when a menu is displayed on the screen.
 Exit the menu. \(\mathbb{L}^{\infty}\) "How to use the menus" (P.33)

#### **Manual focus**

If auto focus is unable to focus on a subject, use manual focus.



1 Hold down (a) for more than 1 second. When the focus distance selection screen appears on the monitor, press (a) to select MF.









- 2 Press 🖾 🏵 to set the focus distance.
  - During operation, the area you are focusing on is enlarged. This lets you check whether the focus is in the right position.
  - The distance indicator on the left of the monitor is for reference only.
  - When the indicator is moved to less than 2 m (6.6 ft.), the display automatically switches to the 7 cm (2.8") to 2 m (6.6 ft.) display.
- 3 Hold down (a) for more than 1 second to save the setting.
  - MF is displayed in red on the monitor.

#### 4 Take the picture.

· The focus is locked at the distance you have set.

#### To cancel manual focus

- Hold down (a) for more than 1 second to display the focus distance selection screen.
- 2 Press (2) to select AF, then press (25).
  - · Manual focus is canceled.







#### How to shoot while keeping the same focus distance at all times

- → The focus can be fixed at the same distance as when you perform focus lock
  - 1 Position the AF target mark on a subject at the desired distance and press the shutter button halfway.
  - 2 Keeping the shutter button half-pressed, press (\*).
    - · The distance indicator is displayed.
    - MF is selected and the focus is locked at the same distance as when you performed focus lock.

Even if you move the cursor to the top of the distance indicator, focusing is not possible at  $\infty$ .

→ Adjust the cursor position by pressing 🖾 🕏 while watching the monitor



· If the zoom lever is pressed after performing manual focus, the saved focus distance may be changed. Perform setting again.

## Metering



There are three ways of measuring the brightness of a subject.

area separately.

Spot metering Exposure is determined by metering within the AF target area. In this mode, a subject can be shot with

optimal exposure regardless of the background

light. P.75

Multi-metering Meters the brightness of the subject at up to 8

different points to set the optimal exposure based on the average brightness. This method is useful with a

high contrast subject. **I**SP.76

## Spot metering



- 1 Select or **%**/• by repeatedly pressing **%**/•.
  - If no operation is performed for about 3 seconds, the selected mode is set and the mode selector screen is automatically exited.
  - ♣ / is not available in manual focus mode. ♣ "Manual focus" (P.73)



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#### **MULTI METERING**

## Mode dial → 🐧 🖎 🏊 ಶ 🚓 🔊 A/S/M P

1 When using the camera in the A/S/M mode, multi-metering is not available in the M mode. Set to any mode except M.

**I**S "A/S/M mode" (P.63)

 If a function other than AE lock is registered on AEL / ≦, set AE lock to the button.

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Press ♥/ • repeatedly to set •.

**I**Spot metering" (P.75)



3 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → MULTI METERING → ON, and press (\*).

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- $\bullet$  Press  $\ensuremath{\textcircled{\textcircled{#}}}$  again to exit the menu.
- 4 Position the AF target mark on the area you want to meter and press AEL / ≦. The brightness is metered at up to 8 different points.
  - · Multi-metering bar appears.
  - Brightness meter readings are ignored after the 9th reading.



#### Ex: When metering 2 points (pressing AEL/1 twice)

The aperture and shutter speed as calculated from the average values obtained by metering at 2 points. These values are recalculated every time another metering point is added.

The average for the 2 metering points. The average is always shown at the center of the bar.



The reading with **AEL**/≝ was pressed. ♦ indicates the number of times you have pressed the button. ♦ indicates the difference between the metered and average readings.

Indicates how much the present exposure you are metering differs from the average exposure value. The present exposure can be fixed by pressing the shutter button halfway. (The present exposure is not exposure.)

exposure is not added to the average value unless you press AEL/氫.)

When  $\diamondsuit$  moves more than  $\pm 3$  from the center of the bar (the average reading), red  $\vartriangleleft \triangleright$  appear.



#### HPS

#### To save the multi-metered exposure after shooting (AE memory)

→ After metering in step 4, hold down **AEL**/≦ for more than 1 second. We appears. While we is displayed, the exposure is saved. Press **AEL**/≦ again to cancel the AE memory.

#### The multi-metering exposure is canceled.

→ If you operate any of the buttons or the mode dial after metering in step 4, the multi-metering exposure is canceled.

## **AE LOCK - Locking the exposure AEL**

This function is suitable for situations when optimal exposure is difficult to achieve, such as when there is excessive contrast between the subject and the surroundings.

For example, if the sun is in the frame and shooting with automatic exposure results in a dark subject, recompose your shot so that the sun is not in the frame. Then press **AEL/** 1 to lock the metered value (exposure) temporarily. Next, compose your shot again with the sun in the frame and take the picture.





1 When using the camera in the A/S/M mode, AE lock is not available in the M mode. Set to any mode except M.

**I**S "A/S/M mode" (P.63)

• If a function other than AE lock is registered on **AEL** / ≦, set AE lock to the button.

**©** "Setting the custom button" (P.131)



- 2 Compose the picture where you want to lock the metered value (exposure), then press AEL / ₤.
  - · The exposure is memorized.
  - If you want to lock a different exposure, press AEL/≦ again to cancel AE lock. Each time you press AEL/≦, AE lock is alternately engaged and canceled.

#### 3 Position the AF target mark on the subject you want to focus on and press the shutter button halfway.

- The green lamp lights.
- AE lock cannot be canceled while the shutter button is pressed halfway.

#### 4 Press the shutter button fully.

 AE lock is automatically canceled after one shot.



During AE lock, AEL is displayed.





#### TIPS-

To save the locked metered value (exposure) after shooting (AE memory)

→ After step 2 or 3, hold down **AEL**/≦ for more than 1 second. WEMO appears. While WEMO is displayed, the exposure is saved. Press **AEL**/≦ again to cancel the AE memory.

#### AE lock was canceled.

- → Do not operate any of the buttons or the mode dial after performing AE lock. Doing so will cancel AE lock.
- → The camera had emerged from sleep mode or the power was turned off.



- AE lock is not available when a menu is displayed on the screen.
   Exit the menu. 

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## Macro mode shooting



Focusing is usually slow when you get close to a subject (W: 7 cm/2.8" to 60 cm/2.0 ft., T: 1.2 m/3.9 ft. to 2 m/6.6 ft.). However, in the ₩ mode focusing is performed quickly. When the optical zoom lever is at the maximum wide position and you are as close as 7 cm/2.8" to your subject, you can fill the entire frame with your subject.

If the center of the frame (within the AF target mark) is metered when you are close to the subject and you shoot with the optimal exposure, the picture will turn out well (spot metering+macro mode), (P.75)



Normal shooting



With the macro mode

#### Mode dial













- · The selected mode is set.
- If no operation is performed for 3 seconds, the mode selector sreen is automatically exited.
- You cannot select \$\mathbb{W}\$ and \$\mathbb{W}\$ / \overline{\text{ou}} in manual focus mode. Set to AF. "Manual focus" (P.73)





## Super macro mode shooting



This mode lets you shoot from as close as 3 cm/1.2" to your subject. Subjects measuring up to approximately  $4 \times 3 \text{ cm} (1.6 \times 1.2)$  can be captured on the monitor

In the \sum mode, normal shooting is also possible, but the position of the zoom is fixed automatically and cannot be changed.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → s♥ → ON, and press ⑥.

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• Press ( again to exit the menu.





#### TIPS-

#### The subject is in shadow

→ When taking pictures close to the subject, shadows may become conspicuous, and the auto focus may not be able to maintain correct focus. If this happens, use the manual focus. (P.73)



· During super macro shooting, zoom and flash are not available.

## **Self-timer shooting**



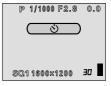
This function lets you take pictures using the self-timer. Fix the camera securely on a tripod for self-timer shooting. This function is useful for taking pictures where you want to be included in the photograph.

## Mode dial AUTO 🐧 💸 🏔 🏕 🔰 🕰 🎛 ⋒ A/S/M P

- 1 Select 🕙 by repeatedly pressing 🖒.
  - If no operation is performed for about 3 seconds, the selected mode is set and the mode selector screen is automatically exited.







Self-timer lamp

# 2 Press the shutter button fully to take the picture.

- Pressing the shutter button halfway locks the focus and exposure.
- The self-timer lamp lights for approximately 10 seconds, then starts blinking. After blinking for approximately 2 seconds, the picture is taken.
- To cancel the self-timer, press <a>\oldsymbol{O}</a>.
- The self-timer mode is automatically canceled after one shot.



 If sequential shooting is attempted in self-timer mode, the camera shoots max. 5 frames regardless of the setting.



# Sequential shooting 🔲 HI 🖳 AF 🗒 BKT

There are 4 sequential shooting modes: sequential shooting, high speed sequential shooting, AF sequential shooting and auto bracketing. Sequential shooting modes can be selected from the DRIVE mode menu.

Sequential shooting cannot be performed when the record mode is set to TIFF.

#### Drive mode

- : Shoots 1 frame at a time when the shutter button is pressed.
   (Normal shooting mode, single-frame shooting)
- : Focus, exposure and white balance are locked at the first frame.

  Approx. 11 frames at 1.4 frames/sec. (in HQ mode)
- HI : Pictures can be taken at a faster speed than normal sequential shooting. The sequential shooting speed varies depending on the record mode setting.

Approx. 3 frames at 2 frames/sec.

- AF : Focus is individually locked for each frame. The AF sequential shooting speed is slower than for normal sequential shooting.
- BKT : I "Auto bracketing" (P.84)

# Sequential shooting, high speed sequential shooting and AF sequential shooting AF AF

## Mode dial AUTO 🐧 💸 🏊 🕰 🔊 A/S/M P

- 1 In the top menu, select MODE

  MENU → CAMERA → DRIVE →
  - ☐, HI☐ or AF☐, and press ⑥. If How to use the menus" (P.33)
  - Press ( again to exit the menu.



#### 2 Take the picture.

- · Press the shutter button fully and keep it pressed. The camera will take pictures in sequence until you release the button.
- During sequential shooting, the subject does not appear on the viewfinder and monitor.



### Auto bracketing BKT

Under some conditions, you may obtain better results shooting with exposure compensation than by using the exposure setting considered optimal by the camera.

When auto bracketing is set, the exposure is changed automatically for each frame when you start shooting. The exposure differential and number of frames can be selected in the menus. The focus and white balance are locked at the first frame

Ex: When BKT is set to ±1.0 ×3













+1.0

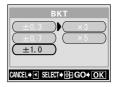


In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → DRIVE → BKT, and press 0.

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2 Select the exposure differential. Press ⊚ ⑤ to select ±0.3, ±0.7 or ±1.0, then press ℘.



- - Press (\*\*) repeatedly until the menu disappears.
- 4 Take the picture.
  - Press the shutter button fully and keep it pressed to shoot the preset number of pictures. You can stop shooting at any time by releasing the shutter button.



- Auto bracketing is not possible in **M** mode.
- Sequential shooting ( , HI , AF , BKT) is not possible in the following situations:
  - When the TIFF or SHQ record mode is set to ENLARGE SIZE
- When NOISE REDUCTION is set to ON.
   The flash does not fire in **BKT** mode.
- If there is not enough space available on the card for the number of frames you have set during auto bracketing, you cannot continue shooting.
- If the battery power is low and the battery check blinks during sequential shooting, shooting stops and the camera starts saving the pictures you have taken. Whether or not all of the shots are saved depends on how much battery power remains.
- Since the shutter speed is set to max. 1/30 sec., exposure is decreased when shooting a dark subject.

## **PANORAMA - Panorama shooting**

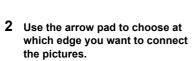
You can take advantage of panorama shooting with Olympus CAMEDIAbrand cards (xD-Picture Card). Panorama shooting lets you connect pictures with overlapping edges into a single panoramic picture, using the CAMEDIA Master software.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → PANORAMA, and press ②.

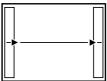
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The PANORAMA mode is set.



- The next picture is connected at the right edge
- The next picture is connected at the left edge
- The next picture is connected at the top
- The next picture is connected at the bottom





Connects pictures from left to right



Connects pictures from bottom to top

## 3 Make sure that the edges of the pictures overlap, then take pictures.

- Focus, exposure and white balance are set by the first picture. Do not select an extremely bright subject (such as the sun) for the first picture.
- You cannot adjust the zoom after the first picture.
- Panorama shooting is possible for up to 10 pictures.



The part of the previous picture where it will be joined to the next picture does not remain in the frame on the edge of the screen. You have to remember what the part in the frame looked like and take the next picture so it overlaps. Compose your shots so that the right edge of the previous picture overlaps with the left edge of the next picture if you are connecting pictures from left to right (or vice versa if you are connecting pictures from right to left).

 When you have taken 10 pictures, a warning mark appears.



### 4 Press (\*\*) to finish panorama shooting.

 The frame on the screen disappears and the camera returns to the normal shooting mode.



 The panorama mode is only available with Olympus CAMEDIAbrand cards.

Note

- Your computer's memory may be insufficient if you take too many panorama pictures in HQ or SHQ mode. You are recommended to use SQ mode for panorama shooting.
- During panorama shooting, the flash and sequential shooting are not available.
- Images are saved in JPEG format when panorama shooting is done in the TIFF mode. The size of the image does not change.
- If the mode dial is operated during panorama shooting, the camera cancels the panorama mode and returns to normal shooting.
- The camera itself cannot connect panorama pictures. The CAMEDIA Master software is necessary to connect the pictures.

## 2 IN 1 - Taking two-in-one pictures

This function allows you to combine two pictures taken in succession and store them as a single picture. You can combine two different subjects in one picture.



Picture when played back



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → 2 IN 1, and press <sup>(a)</sup>.

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The 2 IN 1 picture mode is set.



#### 2 Take the first shot.

 The subject will be positioned on the left in the combined picture.





Image when shot

## 3 Take the second shot.

- The subject will be positioned on the right in the combined picture.
- The BUSY bar is displayed during processing. After the image is saved, the camera returns to the mode menu.



- During 2 IN 1 picture shooting, the panorama and sequential shooting modes are not available.
- To cancel 2 IN 1 picture mode after the first shot has been taken, press (a). The first shot will not be saved.
- Operating the mode dial will exit 2 IN 1 picture mode.
- If the camera enters sleep mode after the first shot, 2 IN 1 picture mode will be canceled.

## **FUNCTION - Adding special effects to pictures**

This feature lets you add special effects to your pictures during shooting. 4 effects are available.

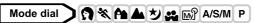
**BLACK & WHITE** Takes pictures in black and white.

**SEPIA** Gives pictures a sepia tone.

WHITE BOARD Pictures are in black and white, with black letters on a white

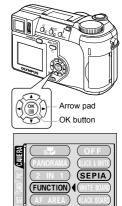
background emphasized to make them easier to read.

**BLACK BOARD** Pictures are in black and white, with white letters on a black background emphasized to make them easier to read.



In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → FUNCTION, then select a mode and press <sup>(a)</sup>.
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- Press 
   again to exit the menu.





TIPS -

Letters do not show clearly with WHITE BOARD or BLACK BOARD.

→ Use exposure compensation. 

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- When WHITE/BLACK BOARD is selected, the flash is automatically set to off.
- Note · WB, WB之 and SATURATION cannot be used in Function shooting.

# 6 Adjusting the image quality and exposure

## **Record mode**



You can select a record mode in which to take pictures or shoot movies. Choose the best record mode for your purpose (printing, editing on a PC, website editing, etc.). For details of the different record modes, resolutions and number of pictures storable on the card, refer to the table on the next page. The numbers in the table are approximate.

Record mode	Description	Quality	File size
TIFF	The highest quality mode. As the images are saved as uncompressed data, this is the best mode for printing or image-processing on a PC. This mode has different resolutions to choose from, depending on your purpose. Selecting 32 lets you print the entire image without losing its borders - almost the same image size as that used by photo labs.	Clearer	Larger
SHQ	A high quality mode using the JPEG format. Because the compression rate is very low, high quality can be maintained. Selecting 122 lets you print the entire image without losing its borders - almost the same image size as that used by photo labs. The ENLARGE SIZE function is useful when printing on large-format paper.		
HQ	A high quality mode with medium compression. Because the compression rate is higher than SHQ, file sizes are smaller, so more images can be saved to a card. Like SHQ, resolution can be changed by using or the ENLARGE SIZE function.		
SQ1 SQ2	The most compressed modes. For each resolution, you can choose HIGH (to reduce noise) or NORMAL (to save more images). Select the best setting for your purpose (printing, Internet pages, etc.).	Normal	Smaller

## Still Picture Record Modes

Record	Record Resolution		Compression	File	Memory capacity in no. of shots	
mode			Compression	format	16MB	32MB
TIFF	2048 × 1536		Uncompressed	TIFF	1	3
	3:2 2048 × 1360				1	3
	1600 × 1200				2	5
	1280 × 960				4	8
	1024 × 768				6	13
		640 × 480			16	33
SHQ	2048 × 1536		Low compression		8	16
	3:2 2048 × 1360				8	17
	ENLARGE SIZE 3200 × 2400				2	5
HQ	2048 × 1536		NORMAL		20	40
	3:2 2048 × 1360				22	45
	ENLARGE SIZE 3200 × 2400				8	17
SQ1	1600 × 1200	HIGH	*	JPEG	11	22
		NORMAL			32	64
	1280 × 960	HIGH			17	34
		NORMAL			49	99
SQ2	1024 × 768	HIGH			26	53
		NORMAL			76	153
	640 × 480	HIGH			66	132
		NORMAL			165	331

<sup>\*</sup> HIGH uses low compression/NORMAL uses normal compression

#### **Movie Record Modes**

Record mode	Resolution	16MB	32MB
HQ	320 × 240 (15 frames/sec.)	48 sec.	96 sec.
SQ	160 × 120 (15 frames/sec.)	211 sec.	424 sec.



- The card memory capacity listed in the table is approximate.
- The number of remaining pictures may change according to the subject or factors like whether print reservations have been made or not. In certain instances, the number of remaining pictures does not change even when you take pictures or stored images are erased.
- If movies are shot with VIDEO OUT set to PAL and the video cable connected, the movie recording time will differ from the time listed in the Movie Record Modes table.

#### Selecting a record mode

## Mode dial → 🐧 💸 🏔 🕭 😍 🔊 A/S/M P

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → ◀:-, and press ②.

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 If ◀:- is displayed on the top menu as a shortcut menu, press the arrow pad in the same direction as the arrow shown next to ◀: "S"SHORT CUT" (P.133)



## Mode dial AUTO



In the top menu, press ∅ to select **€:-**, then press ② to select HQ or SQ. IS Go to Step 4.



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- 2 Press ® to select the desired record mode from TIFF, SHQ, HQ, SQ1 and SQ2, then press .
- 3 Press to select the resolution. If you have selected SQ1 or SQ2, press after choosing the resolution, then choose HIGH or NORMAL by pressing .



- 4 Press <sup>(\*)</sup>
  - Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.



## Resolution

The number of pixels (horizontal × vertical) used when saving an image. If the image will be printed, higher resolutions (larger numbers) are recommended so that the image will be clearer. However, higher resolutions make the file size (amount of data) larger, so the number of pictures that can be saved will be fewer.

- Resolution and picture size on a computer screen
  When a picture is transferred to a computer, the size of the picture
  on the computer screen varies depending on the computer's
  monitor setting. For instance, a picture taken in 1024 × 768
  resolution is the same size as the screen if you set the picture to 1x
  when the monitor setting is 1024 × 768. However, if the monitor
  setting is over 1024 × 768 (such as 1280 × 1024), the picture only
  takes up part of the screen.
- Compression rate
   In record modes other than TIFF, image data are compressed. The higher the compression rate, the less clear the image will be.
- · File format

This camera saves images in either TIFF or JPEG format. In record modes other than TIFF, images are compressed in the JPEG format. The compression rate also varies in each mode. (Movies are in Motion JPEG format (.mov).)

#### 3:2 Resolution

The image aspect ratio is normally 4:3. If the aspect ratio is changed to 3:2, the image can be printed at a photo lab without losing the image borders. When 3:2 is activated, the resolution is 2048 × 1360 pixels. 3:2 resolution can be selected in the TIFF, SHQ or HQ mode. 3:2 resolution is not available in AUTO or \$100 pixels.



Monitor display when 3:2 is set

#### **ENLARGE SIZE**

When ENLARGE SIZE is selected, the actual 3.2 million pixels used by this camera can be increased to the equivalent of approx. 8 million pixels (3200  $\times$  2400). This allows you to make quality prints in larger sizes, such as A3 (297 mm  $\times$  420 mm/11.7"  $\times$  16.5"). However, file sizes also become larger. ENLARGE SIZE can be selected in the SHQ or HQ mode. ENLARGE SIZE is not available in the  $\blacksquare$ 



 If the SHQ record mode is set to ENLARGE SIZE, sequential shooting modes ( , HI , AF , BKT) are not available.

## ISO sensitivity

The higher the ISO value, the greater the camera's light sensitivity and the better its ability to shoot in low light conditions. However, higher values also introduce electrical noise into the resulting image, which may give them a grainy appearance.

AUTO

Sensitivity is automatically adjusted according to the light conditions and the subject brightness.

100/200/400

With a lower ISO setting, you can shoot clear, sharp images in daylight. With a higher ISO setting, you can use faster shutter speeds with the same amount of light.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → ISO, then choose the most suitable ISO sensitivity and press (a).

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- AUTO is not available in A/S/M mode.
- Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.







- Higher ISO settings produce more electrical noise.
- ISO is standardized based on the sensitivity of normal camera film.
   The scale is approximate.
- When ISO is set to AUTO and you are shooting in dark conditions without a flash, the sensitivity automatically increases, otherwise the shutter speed will be reduced, possibly resulting in camera movement and blurred images.
- If the subject is too far away for the flash illumination to reach when ISO is set to AUTO, the sensitivity is automatically increased.

## **Exposure compensation**



This function allows you to make fine changes to the present exposure setting using the arrow pad. In some situations, you may get better results when the exposure that the camera sets is compensated (adjusted) manually. You can adjust the exposure in the range of  $\pm 2.0$  in 1/3 steps. When the setting is changed, you can check the result on the monitor or viewfinder.



- 1 Press (1) (2) to select a setting.
  - Adjust toward + : Press to adjust up to +2.0 in 1/3 steps.
  - Adjust toward : Press (3) to adjust up to
    - -2.0 in 1/3 steps.







#### HP5

 Often bright subjects (such as snow) will turn out darker than their natural colors. Adjusting toward + makes these subjects closer to their real shades. For the same reason, adjust toward - when shooting dark subjects.



- If the flash is used, the image brightness (exposure) may differ from the intended brightness.
  - Exposure compensation cannot correct the image if the surroundings of the subject are extremely bright or dark.

Color reproduction differs depending on the light conditions. For instance, when daylight, the setting sun or tungsten lighting are reflected on white paper, the shade of white produced will be slightly different for each. By setting the WB (white balance), you can achieve more natural-looking colors.

## Mode dial → 🐧 💸 🏔 🏕 💆 🔐 A/S/M P

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → WB, and press ②.

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 If WB is displayed on the top menu as a shortcut menu, press the arrow pad in the same direction as the arrow shown next to WB.

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AUTO PRESET Press (2). Press (2) again to exit the menu.

Press (3) to display the next selection screen.

"Preset white balance" (P.99)

Press 

to display the next selection screen.

□ "One-touch white balance" (P.99)

#### Auto white balance

Automatically adjusts the white balance for any light source.

PRESET WB

<u>a</u>

CANCEL♦ SELECT → GO + OK

#### Preset white balance

Select a preset white balance setting according to the type of light. Press 

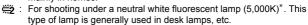
Press (a) again to exit the menu.

: For shooting on a sunny day.

: For shooting on a cloudy day.

-8: For shooting under a tungsten light  $(3000K)^*$ .

: For shooting under a daylight fluorescent lamp (6700K)\*. This type of lamp is used mainly in homes.



: For shooting under a cool white fluorescent lamp (4,200K)\*. This type of lamp is generally used in offices, etc.

\* The color temperature values (K) are approximate. They are not an accurate indication of color



 You can also preview different color tones by trying the different PRESET WB settings under the actual light source and checking the result on the monitor.

#### One-touch white balance

This function is useful when you need a more precise white balance than PRESET WB can provide. To set the optimum white balance for the shooting conditions, point the camera at a white object under the light source you want to use and adjust the white balance.

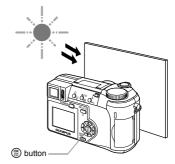
- Display \subseteq screen and point the camera at a sheet of white paper.
  - · Position the paper so that it fills the screen, making sure there are no shadows.



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#### 2 Press 🖺.

- The white balance is set and the screen returns to the mode menu.
- To cancel one-touch white balance, press ③.





One-touch white balance

# 3 Press (\*\*) repeatedly to exit the menu.



- When setting the white balance by pointing the camera at a sheet of white paper, the correct setting may not be obtained if the light reflected by the paper is too bright or too dark.
- White balance may not be effective under some special light sources.
- After setting a white balance other than AUTO, play back the picture and check the colors on the monitor.
- When the flash is fired with a white balance setting other than AUTO, colors may appear different in the resulting picture from the colors you see on the monitor.

#### White balance adjustment wbz

This function lets you make fine changes to the current white balance setting.

Mode dial ↑ 🖎 🏫 🛦 🔰 🔐 🔐 A/S/M P

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → WB½, and press ℘.

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- The white balance adjustment indicator appears on the screen.
- 2 The color becomes bluer each time you press ⊚, and redder each time you press ⑤, depending on the original white balance conditions. Press ⑧ to save your adjustment.
  - The white balance can be adjusted in 7 increments in both red and blue directions.
  - After saving the adjustment, press (3) again to exit the menu.







This function adjusts the sharpness of the image.

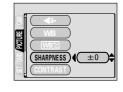
Mode dial → 💸 🏔 ಶ 🚓 🍄 🔊 A/S/M P

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → SHARPNESS, and press ②.

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2 Press (26) to adjust the sharpness between +5 and -5.



- To reduce the sharpness (–):
   Press ③. The image contours are softened. Use this setting when you want to edit images on a PC.



 If you adjust the sharpness too far toward +, noise may become conspicuous in the picture.

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## **CONTRAST**



This function adjusts the contrast of images. For example, you can make images with marked differences in light and shadow softer, and those with less differences more vivid.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → CONTRAST, and press ②.

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- 2 Press (25) to adjust the contrast between +5 and -5.
  - To increase the contrast (+):
     Press . The light and dark areas are defined more clearly, making the image look crisper.
  - To reduce the contrast (–):

    Press ③. The light and dark areas become less defined, giving the image a softer impression. Use this setting when you want to edit images on a PC.

This function adjusts the color depth.

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In the top menu, select MODE MENU → PICTURE → SATURATION, and press ().

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- 2 Press to adjust the saturation between +5 and -5.
  - To increase the saturation (+): Press . Colors become darker and more intense.
  - To reduce the saturation (-): Press . Colors become lighter.



• When you have finished setting the saturation, press (\*\*). Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.

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## **NOISE REDUCTION**

This function reduces the noise that is generated during long exposures. When shooting night scenes, shutter speeds become slower and noise tends to appear on images. When noise reduction is set to ON, the camera automatically reduces noise to produce clearer images. However, shooting time is approximately twice as long as usual.

Noise reduction can only be used when the shutter speed is set slower than 1 sec.







Noise Reduction: ON

The purpose of these pictures is to illustrate the effects of noise reduction. They are not actual pictures.

Mode dial **)**MP A/S/M P

In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → NOISE REDUCTION → ON or OFF, and press (16). **I** Far "How to use the menus" (P.33)

• Press ( ) again to exit the menu.





- Noise reduction is always enabled in the mode.
- When noise reduction is set to ON, the camera implements noisereducing processes after each shot to produce clearer images. Note However, shooting time is approximately twice as long as usual. During this time, the next shot cannot be taken.
  - When noise reduction is set to ON, sequential shooting (□I, HI□I, AF □I, BKT) is not possible.
  - This function may not work effectively with some shooting conditions or subjects.
  - · As the shutter speed is relatively slow, the use of a tripod is recommended

## Histogram display

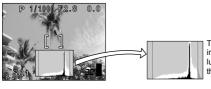


During shooting and playback, you can display a histogram showing the brightness and contrast of your subject in the monitor or viewfinder. Checking the histogram enables precise exposure control when taking pictures.

During playback, you can display a histogram showing the brightness and contrast of recorded pictures.

The histogram display can be set separately for shooting mode and playback mode.

Ex: When a histogram is displayed in P mode



The part indicated in green in the histogram shows the luminance distribution within the AF target mark.

#### When the image is bright



If the peak fills too much of the right frame, the image will appear mostly white.

#### When the image is dark





If the peak fills too much of the left frame, the image will appear mostly black

#### Mode dial



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CAMERA → IIII → ON or OFF, and press (a).

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- When ON is selected, the histogram is displayed.
- Press (2) again to exit the menu.

## Mode dial

Press ☺ in the top menu.

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- The histogram is displayed.
- To return to the normal playback screen, press (a) again to display the top menu and press (a).



Playback mode



- The histogram is not displayed in the following situations even if histogram display is set to ON.
  - During **M** mode, panorama shooting, 2 IN 1 shooting and multimetering
- The histogram displayed during shooting may differ from the histogram displayed during playback.
- A histogram may not appear when you play back pictures shot on another camera.



Mode dial

1 Set the mode dial to ▶ and press the power switch.

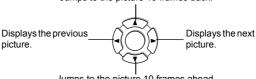
Power on/off" (P.24)

 The monitor turns on and displays the last picture taken. (Single-frame playback)



2 Use the arrow pad to play back other pictures.

Jumps to the picture 10 frames back.



Jumps to the picture 10 frames ahead.



 If the camera is not used for over 3 minutes, the camera enters the sleep mode and the monitor turns off.

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Playback

#### **QUICK VIEW**

This function lets you play back pictures while the camera is in the shooting mode. This is useful when you want to check shooting results and resume shooting quickly.

Functions available in normal playback mode are also available in QUICK VIEW.



- 1 Press twice quickly (doubleclick) while in the shooting mode.
  - The camera immediately enters the playback mode and displays the last picture taken. (Single-frame playback)



2 Press the shutter button halfway to return to the shooting mode.



Pictures displayed on the monitor can be enlarged 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5 or 4 times.

#### Mode dial



- Select the still picture you want to enlarge.
  - You cannot enlarge pictures with 

    →.
- Pull the zoom lever toward T (Q).
  - · Each time you pull the zoom lever, the picture is enlarged gradually.
  - · By using the arrow pad while the enlarged picture is displayed, you can shift the picture in the desired direction, enabling you to view a different portion.
  - To return the picture to the original size (1x), push the zoom lever toward W



Playback



Note



· Pictures cannot be stored in an enlarged state.

### **Index display**



This function lets you show several pictures at the same time on the monitor. The number of pictures shown can be 4, 9 or 16. See "Selecting the number of pictures" (P.112)

### Mode dial

- - Use the arrow pad to select the picture.
    - Moves to the previous frame.
    - (i) : Moves to the next frame.
    - Jumps to the previous index display (the frames before the top left frame).
    - Jumps to the next index display (the frames following the bottom right frame).
  - To return to the single-frame playback, pull the zoom lever toward T.





#### Selecting the number of pictures

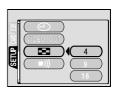
This function lets you select the number of pictures in an index display from 4,9 and 16.



- 1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → ➡ → 4, 9 or 16, and press ⑤.
  - Press ( again to exit the menu.

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### **Slideshow**



This function displays still pictures stored in the card one after another. Only the first frame of movies is played back.

#### Mode dial



1 Select a still picture, then press (a) to display the top menu.



2 Press to start the slideshow.



- 3 Press (a) to stop the slideshow.
  - The slideshow will not stop until you cancel it by pressing (\*\*).





 You are recommended to use the optional AC adapter when running a slideshow for a long period of time. If batteries are used, the camera will enter the sleep mode after about 30 minutes and stop the slideshow automatically.







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- 2 Press 🖺.
  - The top menu is displayed.
  - 3 Press (a) to select MOVIE PLAY.



MOVIE PLA

INDEX

CANCEL→ SELECT → GO → OK

- 4 Press (25) to select MOVIE PLAYBACK, then press (26).
  - The movie is played back. When playback ends, the display automatically returns to the beginning of the movie.
  - Fast forward/fast rewind functions are available during playback.
    - Fast forward. Each press switches the speed between ×1. ×2 and ×20.
    - Fast rewind. Each press switches the speed between ×1, ×2 and ×20.





GO+ OK

MOVIE PLAYBACH

FRAME BY FRAME

Press 
 again after playback ends to display the menu.

**PLAYBACK** Plays back the entire movie again.

#### FRAME BY FRAME

Plays back the movie manually one frame at a

time.

**EXIT** Leaves the movie playback mode.



#### ■When FRAME BY FRAME is selected

- Displays the first frame of the movie.
- Tisplays the last frame of the movie.
- Significant : Displays the next frame. The movie can be played continuously by holding the button down.
- Simple : Displays the previous frame. The movie can be played continuously in reverse by holding the button down.
- (\*): Displays the MOVIE PLAYBACK menu.



#### TIPS-

 Movies can also be played back in the shooting mode using QUICK VIEW. (P.109)



 The card access lamp blinks while the camera is reading the movie from the card. Reading of movies may take considerable time. Do not open the card cover while the card access lamp is blinking, as this may cause not only the data on the card to be damaged, but may also render the card unusable.

### **Editing movies**

This function lets you create indexes as well as edit movies. You cannot edit movies longer than approximately 35 seconds in HQ mode and 150 seconds in SQ mode.

INDEX 9 frames extracted from a movie are displayed as an index to show the movie at a glance. Indexes can be stored on the card as a still picture.

EDIT This function lets you erase parts of the movie that you do not want.



2 In the top menu, select MOVIE PLAY, then choose each item.

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- Select INDEX 
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- Select EDIT 
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#### **INDEX - Creating an index**

- 3 Press to select INDEX, then press .
  - When there is insufficient card memory, a warning screen appears and the display returns to the setting screen.

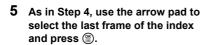




# 4 Use the arrow pad to select the first frame of the index and press (a).

: Jumps to the first frame of the movie.

- (3): Jumps to the last frame of the movie.
- Significant : Displays the next frame. The movie can be played continuously by holding the button down.
- Dutton down.
   Displays the previous frame.
   The movie can be played continuously in reverse by holding the button down.







- 6 Press ⋄♥ to select OK, then press ⑤.
  - The 9 frames extracted from the movie appear as an index display, then the camera returns to the playback mode. The index is stored as a new picture.

  - To guit the editing function, select CANCEL and press (3).





#### TIPS-

• The index is stored as a still picture in a different record mode from the original movie.

Record mode when the movie was shot	Record mode when stored as an index	
HQ	SQ2 (1024 × 768 pixels: HIGH)	
SQ	SQ2 (640 × 480 pixels: HIGH)	



- The interval between the frames that are automatically picked out varies depending on the length of the movie.
- · An index consists of 9 frames.
- You cannot create an index if there is insufficient memory space on the card.

#### EDIT - Editing a movie

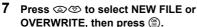
- 3 Press to select EDIT, then press .
- 4 Use the arrow pad to select the first frame of the part you want to keep and press (a).
  - Jumps to the first frame of the movie.
  - : Jumps to the last frame of the movie.
  - (i): Displays the next frame. The movie can be played continuously by holding the button down.
  - Statistics of the state of t
- 5 As in Step 4, use the arrow pad to select the last frame of the part you want to keep and press <sup>(a)</sup>







- 6 Press ⇔ to select OK, then press ⊜.
  - If you want to select different frames, select RESET and press (\*\*) and repeat the procedure from Step 4.
  - To quit the editing function, select CANCEL and press (\*).



NEW FILE Stores the edited movie as

a new movie.

**OVERWRITE** Stores the edited movie with the same name as the

original. The original movie

is not stored.





 The edited movie is stored and the screen returns to the playback mode.



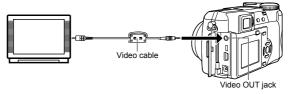
- You cannot edit movies with sound which were taken with another digital camera.
- You cannot select NEW FILE if there is insufficient memory space on the card.

### Playback on a TV

Use the video cable provided with the camera to play back recorded images on your TV. You can play back both still pictures and movies on your TV.



Make sure that the TV and camera are turned off. Connect the Video OUT jack on the camera to the Video input terminal on the TV using the video cable.



- 2 Turn the TV on and set it to the video input mode.
  - For details of switching to video input, refer to your TV's instruction manual
- Set the mode dial to \rightarrow and turn the camera on.
  - The last picture taken is displayed on the TV. Use the arrow pad to select the picture you want to display.
  - The close-up playback, index display and slideshow functions can also be used on a TV screen.



· You are recommended to use the optional AC adapter when using the camera with a TV



- Make sure that the camera's video output signal type is the same as the TV's video signal type. I "VIDEO OUT - Video output selection" (P.151)
- · The camera's monitor or viewfinder turns off automatically when the video cable is connected to the camera.
- Be sure to use the video cable provided to connect the camera to the TV
- The picture may appear off-center on the TV screen.

• When pictures are compressed in order to fit the entire picture on the TV screen, a black frame appears around the picture. If the picture is output to a video printer via the TV, the black frame may be printed.

#### Picture rotation (

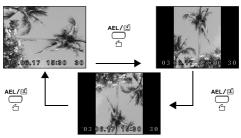
Pictures taken with the camera held vertically are displayed horizontally. This function lets you turn such pictures 90 degrees counterclockwise or clockwise so that they are displayed vertically.





- In the single-frame playback mode, press 🗀.
  - · Each pressing rotates the image in the following sequence: 90 degrees counterclockwise, 90 degrees clockwise, and back to the original.







- The following pictures cannot be rotated.
  - Movies, protected pictures, pictures that have been edited on a PC. and pictures taken with another camera.
- New picture orientations are saved even when the power is turned off.

This function lets you edit still pictures and store them as new pictures. The following editing operations are possible.

Resizing -

Changes the picture size to 640 × 480 or 320 × 240 and stores the picture as a new file.

Trimming 🖈 Crops part of a picture and saves it as a new file.

Mode dial



- Use the arrow pad to select the still picture you want to edit.
- 2 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → EDIT. then choose each item.

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- Select 🖫 🕸 P.122



#### Resizing -

Select , then press .

Press (26) to select the picture size, then press (18).

- . The BUSY bar is displayed during resizing. After the image is saved, the camera returns to the playback mode.
- · To guit the resizing function, select CANCEL, then press (11).





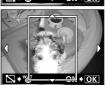
- Resizing is not possible in the following cases.
  - Movies, pictures that have been edited on a PC, or when there is insufficient memory space on the card.
- If the size of the selected picture is 640 × 480, you cannot select  $640 \times 480$

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- 3 Select ⊥ , then press છ.
- 5 Use the arrow pad and zoom lever to decide the trimming position and size.
  - Press △⑤⑥ to move the trimming frame.
  - Use the zoom lever to decide the trimming size. The trimming frame changes from horizontal to vertical and vice versa when the maximum or minimum size is reached.







- 6 Press <sup>(\*)</sup>.
- 7 Press 🕸 🕏 to select OK, then press 🖺.
  - press (≝).The BUSY bar is displayed during trimming. After the image is saved, the
  - camera returns to the playback mode.
    The trimmed picture is stored as a separate picture from the original.
  - If you want to trim the picture again, select
     RESET and press 
     and repeat the procedure from Step 5.
  - To quit the trimming function, select CANCEL and press (26).





- · Trimming is not possible in the following cases.
  - Movies, when there is insufficient memory space on the card, or when the picture was taken with the record mode set to ENLARGE SIZE
- It may not be possible to trim pictures taken with another camera.
- If pictures recorded in 3:2 are trimmed, the image proportions are changed to the standard 4:3 aspect ratio.
- If a trimmed picture is printed out, it may appear grainy.

### **Protecting pictures**



You are recommended to protect important pictures to avoid accidentally erasing them. Protected pictures cannot be erased by the single-frame/all-frame erase function



1 Use the arrow pad to display the picture you want to protect.

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#### 2 Press On.

• To cancel protection, press On again.



Displayed when a picture is protected.



 Protected pictures cannot be erased by the single-frame/all-frame erase function, but they are all erased by formatting.



This function erases recorded pictures. Pictures can be erased either one frame at a time or all the pictures in the card.



- · You cannot erase protected pictures. Cancel protection before erasing such pictures.
- Once erased, pictures cannot be restored. Check each picture before erasing to avoid accidentally erasing pictures you want to keep. Protecting pictures" (P.125)

### Single-frame erase







Use the arrow pad to display the picture you want to erase. "Viewing still pictures" (P.108)



- Playback
- 2 Press 🛣.
  - The A ERASE screen is displayed.
- Press (26) to select YES, then press (11).
  - · The picture is erased and the menu is closed



### All-frame erase 谷

This function erases all the pictures on the card.

Mode dial

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CARD → CARD SETUP and press <a>\hat{\rho}</a>.

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- 2 Press to select ALL ERASE, then press .
- 3 Press ⇔ to select YES, then press ⊕.
  - All the pictures are erased.







# 8 Useful functions

### ALL RESET - Saving the camera's

This function lets you choose whether or not to save the current camera settings after the power is turned off. The settings affected by ALL RESET are listed on the next page.

The All Reset setting (ON/OFF) applies to all the modes. If ALL RESET is set to OFF in one shooting mode, this setting applies to all the other modes, both shooting and playback.

ON All settings are returned to the factory default settings after the power is turned off.

**OFF** The settings made before the power is turned off are saved.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → ALL RESET → OFF or ON, and press <sup>(a)</sup>

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 My Mode settings and the settings in the SETUP tab in the MODE MENU (ALL RESET, ♠(≡), ■)), etc.) are saved even when ALL RESET is set to ON.

#### ●Functions that All Reset affects

Function	Factory default setting	Ref. Page	Function	Factory default setting	Ref. Page
F No	F2.8	P.64	DIGITAL ZOOM	OFF	P.54
SHUTTER	1/1000	P.65	FULLTIME AF	OFF	P.69
72	±0	P.97	AF MODE	iESP	P.68
FLASH MODE	AUTO	P.55	s	OFF	P.81
<b>5</b> ½	±0	P.62	FUNCTION	OFF	P.90
AF/MF	AF	P.73	INFO	OFF	P.141
₩/•	OFF	P.75, 80	athin	OFF	P.106
<b>৩</b>	OFF	P.82	<b>4</b> :-	HQ	P.91
LCD*	OFF	-	WB	AUTO	P.98
OPTICAL ZOOM	WIDE	P.53	WB½	±0	P.101
DRIVE		P.83	SHARPNESS	±0	P.102
BKT	±1, 3 pictures	P.84	CONTRAST	±0	P.103
ISO	AUTO/100	P.96	SATURATION	±0	P.104
A/S/M	Α	P.63	TIFF, SHQ, HQ	2048 × 1536	P.93
<b>\$</b> SLOW	<b>\$</b> SLOW1	P.61	SQ1	1280 × 960 NORMAL	P.93
NOISE REDUCTION	OFF	P.105	SQ2	640 × 480 NORMAL	P.93
MULTI METERING	OFF	P.76	INFO	OFF	P.141

<sup>\*</sup> This sets whether the monitor turns on or not when the camera is turned on.

### **CUSTOM BUTTON**



Functions listed in the table below can be assigned to the custom button on the camera. This makes it easy to jump to frequently used functions simply by pressing the custom button without having to select a shortcut menu or MODE MENU from the top menu.



Available functions	Settings	Ref. Page
AE LOCK (factory default setting)	-	P.78
AF LOCK	-	P.71
DRIVE	□, □, <b>HI</b> □, <b>AF</b> □, BKT	P.83
ISO	AUTO, 100, 200, 400	P.96
A/S/M	A, S, M	P.63
<b>\$</b> SLOW	\$SLOW1, <b>\$</b> \$LOW1, \$\$SLOW2	P.61
NOISE REDUCTION	OFF, ON	P.105
DIGITAL ZOOM	OFF, ON	P.54
FULLTIME AF	OFF, ON	P.69
AF MODE	iESP, SPOT	P.68
si	OFF, ON	P.81
FUNCTION	OFF, BLACK & WHITE, SEPIA, WHITE BOARD, BLACK BOARD	P.90
INFO	OFF, ON	P.141
aillia	OFF, ON	P.106
<b>♦</b> :	TIFF, SHQ, HQ, SQ1, SQ2	P.91
WB	AUTO, ※, 凸, ♣, 黨, 黨	P.98

#### Setting the custom button

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1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → CUSTOM BUTTON, and press ②.

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- 2 Press (2) to select a function, then press (2).
  - Press ( again to exit the menu.



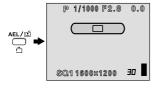
#### Using the custom button



- 1 Press AEL/≝.
  - The monitor turns on and the function currently set to the custom button appears.



Ex: When DRIVE is set on the custom button



AEL/E



### 2

TIPS-

When ISO is set to the custom button but you want to use AE lock

→ The AE lock function cannot be used when a different function is set to the custom button. Reset AE lock to the custom button by following "Setting the custom button" (P.131).

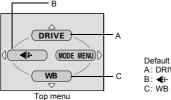


• You cannot set the custom button separately in each mode.

## **SHORT CUT**

You can set three shortcut menus (A, B, C) on the top menu in a still picture shooting mode (except AUTO).

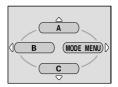
This is useful when you want to go quickly to frequently used functions.



Default setting A: DRIVE

Functions that can be set in the shortcut menu	Ref. Page	Functions that can be set in the shortcut menu	Ref. Page
DRIVE	P.83	PANORAMA	P.86
ISO	P.96	2 IN 1	P.88
A/S/M	P.63	FUNCTION	P.90
<b>™ു</b> 1/2/3/4	P.67	AF AREA	P.70
\$ <del>*</del> 2	P.62	INFO	P.141
<b>≴</b> SLOW	P.61	بالله	P.106
NOISE REDUCTION	P.105	<b>4</b> :	P.91
MULTI METERING	P.76	WB	P.98
DIGITAL ZOOM	P.54	WB½	P.101
FULLTIME AF	P.69	SHARPNESS	P.102
AF MODE	P.68	CONTRAST	P.103
s	P.81	SATURATION	P.104

You can set the three shortcut menus designated by A, B and C on the diagram shown right.



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1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → SHORT CUT, and press <a>®</a>.

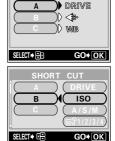
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2 Press ⊚ to select A, B or C, then press ∅.



- · The shortcut menu is set.
- Press ( again to exit the menu.



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Useful functions

#### Using the shortcut menu

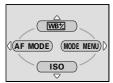
When you have set a shortcut menu, you can use it to jump to the setting screen for that function.



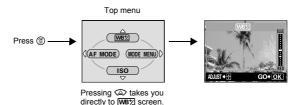
- 1 Press (a) to display the top menu.
  - The shortcut menu you have set appears on the top menu.



- 2 Press 🖎 🕅 or 🖾 to select the shortcut menu.
  - The monitor jumps directly to the setting screen for that function.



Ex: When WB1 is set in shortcut menu A





• You cannot set the custom button separately in each mode.

### **MY MODE SETUP**



You can set shooting-related functions in MY MODE. When the camera is in P, A, S or M mode, you can also save the current settings in MY MODE. When the mode dial is set to  $\overrightarrow{\mathbb{M}}$ , your customized settings are activated. You can save up to 4 different settings in MY MODE 1 to 4. Only MY MODE 1 has a factory default setting.

#### ●Functions affected by MY MODE SETUP

Functions that can be set in MY MODE	Default setting	Ref. Page	Functions that can be set in MY MODE	Default setting	Ref. Page
P/A/S/M/S-Prg	Р	P.44	DIGITAL ZOOM	OFF	P.54
F No	F 2.8	P.64	FULLTIME AF	OFF	P.69
SHUTTER	1/1000	P.65	AF MODE	iESP	P.68
72	±0	P.97	siz	OFF	P.81
LCD *1	OFF	-	PANORAMA	OFF	P.86
ZOOM *2	38 mm	-	2 IN 1	OFF	P.88
FLASH MODE	AUTO	P.55	FUNCTION	OFF	P.90
₩/•	OFF	P.75, 80	INFO	OFF	P.141
<b>ઇ</b>	OFF	P.82	الألاء	OFF	P.106
DRIVE		P.83	<b>€</b> :	HQ	P.91
AF/MF	AF	P.73	WB	AUTO	P.98
ISO	AUTO	P.96	WB½	±0	P.101
5½	±0	P.62	SHARPNESS	±0	P.102
<b>≴</b> SLOW	<b>\$</b> SLOW1	P.61	CONTRAST	±0	P.103
NOISE REDUCTION	OFF	P.105	SATURATION	±0	P.104

<sup>\*1</sup> This will set the monitor to ON or OFF when the camera is turned on.
\*2 In the 🔊 mode, available zoom positions are 38 mm/50 mm/100 mm/

<sup>2</sup> In the My mode, available zoom positions are 38 mm/50 mm/100 mm/ 200 mm and 380 mm (these numbers are based on the focal length of a 35 mm camera).

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1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → MY MODE SETUP, and press ⑤.

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MY MODE SETUP) ◀(

RESET

2 Press © to select the type of setting, then press  $\emptyset$ .

PRESENT Saves the current camera

settings.

**RESET** Restores the factory default

settings.

**CUSTOM** Saves settings one by one.

• The MY MODE SETUP screen appears.

#### 3 Select a MY MODE number.

 Press to select MY MODE number from 1 to 4, then press .

#### ●When selecting PRESENT in Step 2

- 4 Press (26) to select SET, then press (26).
  - The current camera settings are saved in the selected MY MODE.



#### ●When selecting RESET in Step 2

- 4 Press ( to select ALL RESET, then press ().
  - The settings in the selected MY MODE are reset.

If no settings are saved, MY MODE settings cannot be selected.



#### ●When selecting CUSTOM in Step 2

- - For the available items, see "Functions affected by MY MODE SETUP" (P.136).

# Press 3 to change the setting, then press 3.

- · The setting is saved.
- You can also change the other custom settings.





- 5 When you have made all the settings you want, press (\*).
  - The screen displayed in Step 2 appears.
  - Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.



Although the settings you are using can be saved, the zoom position
you are currently using may not be saved. The zoom position will be
the closest of the 5 zoom settings in MY MODE to the position
currently being used.

# CARD SETUP - Formatting Cards 📆

This function lets you format a card. Formatting prepares cards to receive data. Before using non-Olympus cards or cards which have been formatted on a PC, you must format them with this camera.

All existing data, including protected pictures, are erased when the card is formatted. Make sure that you save or transfer important data to a PC before formatting a used card.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → CARD → CARD SETUP, and press <a>\hat{\rho}</a>.

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• The T FORMAT screen is displayed.



### Mode dial AUTO

In the top menu, press (a) to select CARD SETUP.



In the top menu, select MODE MENU  $\rightarrow$  CARD  $\rightarrow$  CARD SETUP, and press  $\lozenge$ . Press 3 to select 7 FORMAT, then press 8.

- 2 Press to select YES, then press ®.
  - The BUSY bar is displayed and the card is formatted.





Never do the following during formatting, as they may cause the card to malfunction.

Note

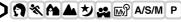
- · Open the card cover. · Remove the battery.
- · Connect or disconnect the AC adapter.

### Information display



This function lets you display detailed shooting information on the monitor for approx. 3 seconds in the playback mode. For details of the information displayed, see "Viewfinder and monitor indications" (P.12).





1 In the top menu, select MODE

MENU → CAMERA → INFO → ON

or OFF, and press ⑤.

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#### Mode dial



Pressing (3) in the top menu displays the full amount of shooting information on the monitor (ON).

• To turn INFO off, press (a) to display the top menu and press (a) again.

#### Ex. Playback mode



When INFO is ON



When INFO is OFF



- If the picture has been taken with a different camera, setting INFO to ON in mode may still not display all the information.
- If is set, the histogram is displayed regardless of whether INFO is set to ON or OFF.

### Monitor/viewfinder brightness adjustment



This function lets you adjust the brightness of the monitor and viewfinder respectively.

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- 2 Press to adjust the brightness while looking in the monitor or viewfinder, and when you have set the desired level, press .
  - Pressing brightens the monitor or viewfinder, and pressing darkens it.
  - Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.



### **REC VIEW**

You can choose whether or not to display the picture you have just taken on the monitor.

- ON The picture being recorded to the card is displayed. This is useful for making a brief check of the picture you have just taken. Pressing the shutter button halfway during Rec View lets you resume shooting immediately.
- OFF The picture being recorded to the card is not displayed. This is useful when you want to prepare for your next shot while the previous picture is being recorded.



- 1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → REC VIEW → OFF or ON, and press <sup>(a)</sup>
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  - Press (28) again to exit the menu.



## **SLEEP - Sleep Timer**

The camera automatically enters the sleep mode and stops the operation when the preset time has elapsed with no operations performed. The camera activates again as soon as you touch the shutter button or arrow pad.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → SLEEP → 30 SEC, 1 MIN, 3 MIN, 5 MIN or 10 MIN, and press <sup>(2)</sup>

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• Press (2) again to exit the menu.





- The sleep mode is not activated when using the AC adapter.
- In mode, the sleep mode is activated after 3 minutes regardless of the setting and the monitor turns off.
  - If a slideshow lasts more than 30 minutes, the camera automatically enters the sleep mode and the monitor turns off.

## Beep



You can turn off the beep sound used for button operations or warnings.

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1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → ■)) → OFF, and press (\*\*).

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• Press ( again to exit the menu.



## POWER ON/OFF SETUP - Power on/off display setting

You can select a picture to be displayed when the power is turned on and off. It is also possible to register your favorite picture. "S" "SCREEN SETUP" (P.147)

OFF No picture is displayed.

- 1 Factory default setting
- Selects a picture already registered. If there is no picture registered, nothing is displayed when the power is turned on or off.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → PW ON/OFF SETUP → OFF, 1 or 2, and press ⑥.

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• Press (a) again to exit the menu.



## **SCREEN SETUP**

You can register your favorite picture to be displayed when the power is turned on and off. The desired picture can be registered from the card. Make the POWER ON/OFF SETUP to display the registered picture.

"POWER ON/OFF SETUP - Power on/off display setting" (P.146)

# Mode dial

1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → SCREEN SETUP, and press ∅.

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 If a picture is already registered, the IMAGE EXISTING screen is displayed asking if you want to cancel the currently registered picture and register a new one. To register a new picture, select RESET and press (a). If you select KEEP, the screen returns to the menu.





- 2 Select the picture you want to register using the arrow pad and press <sup>(a)</sup>
- 3 Press ☺️ to select OK, then press ☺️.
  - The picture is registered and the screen returns to the menu.
  - Press ( again to exit the menu.





 You cannot register pictures and movie frames that cannot be played back on this camera.

## **FILE NAME**

The camera automatically creates file names and folder names for images to be stored in. Files can be numbered from 0001 to 9999 and folders can be numbered from 100 to 999. Examples are shown below.

There are two settings from which you can choose: RESET or AUTO. Choose the one that is best for you when transferring images to a PC.

#### File name settings

**RESET** The file number and folder number are reset every time a new card is inserted in the camera. The folder number returns to No. 100 and the file number returns to No. 0001. This method is useful when

grouping files on separate cards.

AUTO

Even if a new card is inserted, the folder number and file number are retained from the previous card, so the same file number is not used on different cards. This helps you to manage multiple cards. This method is useful when you want to manage all your files with sequential numbers.



- 1 In the top menu, select MODE
  MENU → SETUP → FILE NAME →
  RESET or AUTO, and press ③.

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- When the File No. reaches 9999, the file number returns to 0001 and the folder number changes.
- When both the Folder and File No. reach their respective maximum number (999/9999), the number of storable pictures becomes 0 even if the card is not full. No more pictures can be taken. Replace the card with a new one.

## PIXEL MAPPING

The Pixel Mapping feature allows the camera to check and adjust the CCD and image processing functions. It is not necessary to operate this function frequently. Approximately once a year is recommended. Wait a few minutes after the monitor is used or continuous shots are taken to allow for proper performance of the Pixel Mapping function.



- 1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → PIXEL MAPPING, and press ().

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  - · START appears.
- 2 Press .
  - The BUSY bar is displayed during Pixel Mapping. When Pixel Mapping is finished, the screen returns to the mode menu.







• If you accidentally turn the camera off during Pixel Mapping, start again from Step 1.

## **Measurement units**

m/ft

The measurement unit can be selected from either meters or feet in the manual focus mode.

- m At long ranges, the camera measures in meters, and at shorts ranges in centimeters.
- ft At long ranges, the camera measures in feet, and at short ranges in inches.



1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → m/ft → m or ft, and press <sup>(a)</sup>

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• Press (\*\*) again to exit the menu.



## **VIDEO OUT - Video output selection**

You can select NTSC or PAL according to your TV's video signal type. Select the video signal type before connecting the video cable. If you select the wrong video signal type, you will not be able to play back the recorded pictures properly on the TV.

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- 1 In the top menu, select MODE MENU → SETUP → VIDEO OUT → NTSC or PAL, and press ⑤.
  IST "How to use the menus" (P.33)
  - 1 :55)
  - Press (2) again to exit the menu.
  - The factory default setting varies depending on the area where you purchased this camera.





#### TIPS-

#### TV video signal types & main regions

Check the video signal type before using the camera. NTSC Japan, Taiwan, Korea, North America

PAL European countries, China

# 9 Print setting

## How to print pictures



Several different printing options are available when you want to print out pictures.

#### Printing at a photo lab that supports DPOF or printing on a DPOF-compatible printer

Store the print reservation data on the card. Print reservation allows you to save printing data (number of prints, date/time information, etc.) with the pictures stored on the card.

· What is DPOF?

DPOF is short for Digital Print Order Format. DPOF is the format used to record automatic print information from digital cameras.

If a card containing print reservation data is taken to a photo lab that supports the DPOF format, the pictures can be printed according to the DPOF reservations. Or pictures can be printed out at home on a personal DPOF-compatible printer.

#### Printing on an Olympus CAMEDIA P-400 or P-200 digital printer

Printing is possible directly from a card containing print reservation data without using a PC. For more details, refer to the printer's instruction manual. The xD-Picture Card cannot be inserted directly into the printer. Use the card adapter (sold separately).

#### Transferring pictures to a PC and printing them from a printer connected to the PC

If your PC has software applications installed that support JPEG images (internet browser, Paint Shop Pro, Photoshop, etc.), you can print out your pictures on a printer connected to the PC. (Printing is also possible using CAMEDIA Master software.) Check your software before printing. For details, refer to the application software's instructions.

For instructions on how to transfer images, or connect the camera to a PC, see "DIGITAL CAMERA-PC CONNECTION OPERATION MANUAL" on the CD-ROM.



#### IIPS-----

Picture size and printing

The resolution of a computer/printer is generally based on the number of dots (pixels) per square inch. This is called dpi (dots per inch). The higher the dpi value, the better the printed results. Keep in mind, however, that the dpi of the picture does not change. This means that when you print an image with a higher resolution, the size of the printed picture will be smaller. Although you can print magnified images, picture quality will decrease.

If you want to print large, high-quality pictures, set the record mode as high as possible when taking the pictures. \*\* "Record mode" (P.91)



- DPOF reservations set by another device cannot be changed by this camera. Make changes using the original device.
- If a card contains DPOF reservations set by another device, entering reservations using this camera may overwrite the previous reservations.
- You may not be able to enter print reservations if there is insufficient memory space available on the card. (The "CARD FULL" message is displayed.)
- You can print up to 999 images from one card using the DPOF reservation function.
- Even if an image appears with the message "PICTURE ERROR", it
  may be possible to make print reservations. In this case, the print
  reservation icon (△) does not appear when an image is displayed
  for full view. △ appears when multiple images are displayed (index
  display), allowing you to confirm the print reservation.
- Not all functions may be available on all printers or at all photo labs.
- Some TIFF images cannot be printed.
- Print reservation may take considerable time when saving printing data to a card.



Use this feature to print all the pictures stored on the card. Select the desired number of prints and whether you want the date and time included.

#### Mode dial



- 1 Play back a still picture.



- 2 Press ☐. The ☐ PRINT ORDER screen appears. Press ☺♡ to select ඌ, then press ⑤.

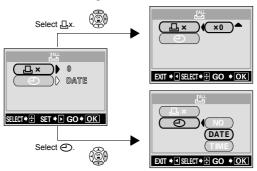


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Print setting

3 Press ⊚ to select L× (number of prints) or ⊕ (date/ time), then press ②.

#### 4 Perform each setting as illustrated.



#### •Set the number of prints

Press (4) to set the number of prints, then press (4).

- : Decreases the number.

#### Set the date/time printing data

Press (4) to select NO, DATE or TIME, then press (4).

**NO** The pictures are printed without the date and time.

**DATE** All the pictures are printed with the shooting date.

**TIME** All the pictures are printed with the shooting time.



Use this feature to print only selected pictures. Display the picture to be printed and select the desired number of prints.

#### Mode dial



- Play back a still picture.
  - · You cannot make the print reservation for pictures with \( \text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{pictures}}}}}} \).



- **2** Press  $\square$ . The  $\square$  PRINT ORDER screen appears. Press @ 🗇 to select 🗓, then press 🕾.
  - If data is already stored on the card, the  $\square$ PRINT ORDER SETTING screen appears, giving you the choice of resetting the data or keeping it.
- Select the frame you want to print using the arrow pad and press (4).





#### 4 Select the appropriate item using the arrow pad.

MORE Sets the number of prints.

date/time and trim size.

→ Go to Step 5.

SINGLE PRINT Sets single-frame print.

The date/time and

trimming settings are not

available

→ Go to Step 8.

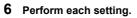
CANCEL Cancels the print reservation for the displayed picture.

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Completes the print reservation.

→ Go to Step 10.

of prints), (date/time) or # (trimming), then press (2).



#### Set the number of prints

Press @ to set the number of prints, then press (18).

: Increases the number.

END

Decreases the number.

#### Set the date/time printing data

Press @ to select NO. DATE or TIME, then press (18).

NO The pictures are printed without the date and time

**DATE** All the pictures with print reservation are printed with the shooting date.

TIME All the pictures with print reservation are printed with the shooting time.



Single-frame reservation menu







#### ●Trim the picture

Trimming" (P.159)

- 7 After setting all the print reservations, press (\*\*) to complete the reservations.
  - The screen in Step 3 is restored and ☐ appears on the displayed picture.
- 8 Press 
  to display the single-frame reservation menu.
- 9 Press (3 to select END.
  - The ☐ PRINT ORDER screen appears.
- 10 Press ( repeatedly until the playback screen appears.





## **Trimming**



This function enables you to crop part of a recorded picture and print out the enlarged section only.

#### Mode dial



Press (26) on the single-frame reservation screen to select  $\perp$  (trimming) and press  $\lozenge$ .

"Single-frame reservation" (P.156)

screen appears. Press @ to select RESET, then press (#).



- 2 Use the arrow pad and zoom lever to decide the trimming position and size.
  - frame.
  - · Use the zoom lever to decide the trimming size. The trimming frame changes from horizontal to vertical and vice versa when the maximum or minimum size is reached



3 Press (S).



4 Press (25) to select OK, then press (18).

> OK Saves the current trimming size and returns to the single-frame

> > reservation screen.

RESET Sets a new trimming size. →Go

to Step 2.

CANCEL Cancels the current trimming setting and returns to the

single-frame reservation screen.

Press (\*\*) to complete the print reservations and return to the picture selection screen. Press (iii) again.

- 6 Press (3 to select END.
  - The □ PRINT ORDER screen appears.
  - Press (repeatedly until the playback screen appears.



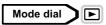
GO ♦ OK



- The size of the printed picture varies depending on the printer settings. If the trimmed picture size is small, printing magnification increases accordingly, resulting in a printed picture with lower resolution.
- For best results with trimmed pictures, you are recommended to use the TIFF. SHQ or HQ mode.
- The original picture is not trimmed. If your printer does not have the trimming function, the picture will be printed untrimmed.
- Do not rotate pictures that have been trimmed, otherwise the cropped area will change.
- If images recorded in 3:2 are trimmed, the ratio is fixed at 4:3.

## Resetting print reservation data

This function allows you to reset the print reservation data for pictures stored on the card. There are two ways to reset print reservation: you can reset all print reservation data or you can reset the print reservation data for only the frames you do not need.



- 1 Play back a still picture with □.
- 2 Press □.
  - If print reservation data is already stored on the card, the ☐ PRINT ORDER SETTING screen appears.





- 3 To reset all print reservation data, press ⊚ to select RESET, then press ③. Press ⓓ to return to the playback screen.
  - To reset only the print reservation data for the frames that you do not need, press (25) to select KEEP, then press (26).
- 4 Press ⇔ to select □ on the □ PRINT ORDER screen, then press ⊜.

- - The single-frame reservation menu is displayed.
- 6 Press ( to select CANCEL.
  - Print reservation is canceled, and the screen in step 5 is restored.
- 7 If you are finished resetting print reservation data, press 
  ⑤ to display the single-frame reservation menu. Press ⑥.



8 Press @ repeatedly until the playback screen appears.

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# Error codes

Monitor indication	Possible cause	Corrective action
[] NO CARD	The card is not inserted, or it cannot be recognized.	Insert a card or insert a different card. Wipe the gold contacts with a commercially available cleaning paper and insert the card again. If the problem persists, format the card. If the card cannot be formatted, it cannot be used.
[] CARD ERROR	There is a problem with the card.	Use a different card. Insert a new card.
[] WRITE- PROTECT	Writing to the card is prohibited.	The recorded image has been protected (read-only) on a PC. Download the image to a PC and cancel the read-only setting.
[] CARD FULL	The card is full. No more pictures, movies or information such as print reservation can be recorded.	Replace the card or erase unwanted pictures. Before erasing, download important images to a PC.
NO PICTURE	There are no pictures on the card.	The card contains no pictures. Record pictures.
PICTURE ERROR	The recorded image cannot be played back with this camera.	Use image processing software to view the picture on a PC. If that cannot be done, the image file is damaged.
CARD COVER OPEN	The card cover is open.	Close the card cover.
CARD SETUP  (POMER OFF)  (I) FORMAT  SELECT + H GO+ [OK]	The card is not formatted.	Format the card.

## **Troubleshooting**

#### ●The camera does not work

Possible cause	Corrective action	Ref. Page
The camera does	s not turn on or function buttons do not	respond.
The power is off.	Press the power switch and turn on the camera.	P.24
The batteries are loaded incorrectly.	Reload the batteries correctly.	P.18
The batteries are exhausted.	Replace the batteries with new ones.	P.15
The batteries are temporarily unable to function because of the cold.	Warm the batteries by putting them in your pocket for a while.	_
The camera is in the sleep mode.	Operate the camera (press the shutter button or the zoom lever).	P.24
There is condensation* inside the camera.	Wait until the camera dries before turning it on again.	_
The camera is connected to a PC.	The camera will not operate while it is connected to a PC.	_

<sup>\*</sup> Condensation: When it is cold outside, the water vapor in the air is rapidly cooled and turns to droplets of water. Condensation occurs when the camera is suddenly taken from a cold place into a warm room.

No picture is taken when the shutter button is pressed.		
The camera is in the playback mode.	Set the mode dial to any position except .	P.42
The flash has not finished charging.	Remove your finger from the shutter button, and wait until the <b>\$</b> (flash standby) indication stops blinking. Press the shutter button again.	P.57
The card is full.	Erase unwanted pictures or insert a new card. Before erasing, download important images to a PC.	P.22, 126
The batteries ran out of power during shooting or while the images were being written to the card. (Monitor turns off, or the battery check indicator blinks.)	Replace the batteries with new ones. (If images are being recorded on the card, wait until recording is finished.)	P.18

Possible cause	Corrective action	Ref. Page	
The memory gauge is full.	Wait until there is room in the memory gauge.	P.15	
There is a problem with the card.	Refer to "Error codes".	P.163	
The flash does n	ot fire.		
The flash is retracted.	Push the flash lever up to make the flash pop up.	P.55	
The subject is illuminated.	If you want the flash to fire on a brightly illuminated subject, set the flash to fill-in mode.	P.55	
Auto bracketing is set.	The flash does not fire in the auto bracketing mode. Set anoter mode in the DRIVE menu.	P.83	
The camera is in the movie mode.	The flash does not fire in the movie mode. Set a different shooting mode.	P.51	
FUNCTION is set to BLACK/WHITE BOARD.	The flash does not fire in the BLACK/WHITE BOARD mode.	P.90	
Super macro mode is set.	The flash does not fire in the super macro mode. Set the super macro mode to OFF.	P.81	
Panorama mode is set.	The flash does not fire in the panorama mode. Cancel the panorama mode.	P.86	
The viewfinder does not turn on.			
The monitor is turned on.	Press  to switch to the viewfinder.	P.46	
The camera is in the sleep mode.	Operate the camera (press the shutter button or the zoom lever).	P.24	
The monitor doe	s not turn on.		
The viewfinder is turned on.	Press  to turn the viewfinder off.	P.46	
The camera is in the sleep mode.	Operate the camera (press the shutter button or the zoom lever).	P.24	

Possible cause	Corrective action	Ref. Page	
The viewfinder or monitor is hard to see.			
The diopter is not adjusted properly.	Adjust the diopter so that the AF target mark is clearly visible.	P.30	
The brightness of the viewfinder or monitor is not adjusted properly.	Select 🛄 in the mode menu and adjust the brightness.	P.142	
The monitor is exposed to direct sunlight.	Block the sunlight with your hand or use the viewfinder.	_	
Vertical lines appear on the image in the viewfinder or monitor.	Bright light, such as direct sunlight, may cause vertical lines to appear on the image. This is not a malfunction.	_	
Pictures you hav	e taken do not appear on the monitor.		
The power is off.	Set the mode dial to before pressing the power switch to turn the camera on.	P.108	
The camera is in the shooting mode.	Press twice quickly, or set the mode dial to .	P.108, 109	
There are no pictures on the card.	"NO PICTURE" appears on the monitor. Record pictures.	_	
There is a problem with the card.	Refer to "Error codes".	P.163	
The camera is connected to a TV.	The monitor does not function when the video cable is connected to the camera.	P.120	
The date recorde	ed with the image data is wrong.		
The date/time is not set.	Set the date/time. The clock adjustment is not factory-preset.	P.28	
The batteries are exhausted.	When the batteries run out, the date/time setting may be canceled. Replace the batteries with new ones and set the date/time again.	P.18, 28	
The camera has been left with the batteries removed.	If the camera is left for several hours with the batteries removed, the date/time setting is canceled. Set the date/time again.	P.18, 28	
Single-frame erase or all-frame erase cannot be performed.			
The picture you want to erase is protected.	Display the protected image (with On) and press On to cancel the protection.	P.125	

Possible cause	Corrective action	Ref. Page	
The settings are returned to the factory default settings when the camera is turned off.			
ALL RESET is set to ON.	Select the SETUP tab in the mode menu and set ALL RESET to OFF.	P.128	
No picture is displayed on the TV when connected to the camera.			
The video output signal is incorrect.	Set the video output signal according to the region where used.	P.151	
The camera is not in the playback mode.	Set the mode dial to any position except .	P.120	
The TV video signal setting is incorrect.	Set the TV to the video input mode.	P.120	

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#### •The image quality is poor. Possible cause Corrective action Ref. Page The picture is too bright. Select a flash mode other than fill-in flash P 55 The flash was set to the fill-in flash mode The subject was Adjust the exposure compensation toward minus P.97 excessively (-) or change the camera position. illuminated. The picture is too dark. The flash was Hold the camera correctly, keeping your fingers P 31 blocked by your away from the flash. finger. The subject was out P 56 Shoot within the flash working range. of the working range of the flash. The flash was not Push the flash lever up to make the flash pop up. P.55 enabled. The subject was too Set the flash to fill-in mode, or use the spot P.55, 75 small and was metering mode. backlit The sequential Higher shutter speeds are used when the P 83 shooting mode was sequential shooting mode is selected, which may used result in pictures that are darker than usual. Select in the DRIVE menu. When shooting a Adjust the exposure compensation toward plus P.97 bright subject such (+).as a landscape, the picture comes out darker than the actual colors. The colors of pictures taken indoors look unnatural. Indoor lighting can Set the white balance according to the lighting. P 98 affect the picture's colors. No white in frame. P.55 Include something white in the picture, or shoot using the fill-in flash mode. The white balance Adjust the white balance according to the light P.98 setting is wrong. source.

Possible cause The picture has	Corrective action  obscured edge(s).	Ref. Page
The lens was partly blocked by your finger or the strap.	Hold the camera correctly, keeping your fingers and the strap away from the lens.	P.31
The picture is ou	t of focus.	
The camera moved when the shutter button was pressed.	Hold the camera correctly and press the shutter button gently.	P.31
The subject was too close.	Move further away from the subject. To take pictures closer than 7 cm (2.8") with the zoom in the maximum WIDE position, use the super macro mode.	P.80, 81
The flash was not enabled in a lighting condition requiring use of the flash.	Push the flash lever up to make the flash pop up. Camera movement occurs easily with slower shutter speeds. Use a tripod, or hold the camera firmly.	P.55
The lens was dirty.	Clean the lens. Use a commercially available blower blush and then wipe with a lens cleaner to remove dust. Mold may form on the lens surface if the lens is left dirty.	P.183
The picture was out of focus even though the green lamp was lit.	Focus the camera on an object at the same distance as the intended subject using the focus lock function before composing your shot.	P.49
Halation produce	es unnatural colors in the picture.	
This may be caused by excessively bright ultraviolet light on the subject, such as sunlight shining through the leaves of trees, window frames in bright light at night, reflection of metal in direct sunlight, etc.	Use a UV filter. As this may upset the overall color balance, it should only be used in the conditions described on the left.     Process the picture on a PC using a graphics application (Photoshop, Paint Shop Pro, etc.). For example, after picking up unnatural colors with a syringe tool, etc. you can select color areas, and try color conversion or saturation adjustment. For details, refer to the manual for the graphics application you are using.	_

Possible cause

used in a cold environment.

power.

The camera is being

The camera misread

the remaining battery

The batteries soon run down.

Corrective action

Battery performance deteriorates in low temperatures. Keep the camera warm by putting

When the power consumption fluctuates greatly,

the camera may turn off without displaying the low

battery warning. Replace with new batteries.

it inside your coat or clothing.

Ref. Page

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# List of menus

#### ● AUTO mode

Top menu	Setting	Ref. Page
- DRIVE	─── □, □, HI□, AF□, BKT	P.83
<b>- ∢</b> :	SHQ 2048 × 1536, HQ 2048 × 1536, SQ1 1280 × 960, SQ2 640 × 480	P.91
- <del>(</del> )		P.28
-CARD SETUP-	YES, NO	P.139

Tab

Function

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Top menu	Tab	Function	Setting	Ref. Page
MODE MENU	— SETUP —	ALL RESET*8	- OFF, ON	P.128
		- 6=	- ENGLISH, FRANCAIS, DEUTSCH, ESPAÑOL,	P.26
		— PW ON/OFF SETUP—	- OFF, 1, 2	P.146
		- REC VIEW-	- OFF, ON	P.143
		— SLEEP—	<ul> <li>30 SEC, 1 MIN, 3 MIN, 5 MIN, 10 MIN</li> </ul>	
		— MY MODE SETUP——	- PRESENT, RESET, CUSTOM	P.136
		— FILE NAME———	- RESET, AUTO	P.148
		- PIXEL MAPPING		P.149
		— <u>!!!</u>		P.142
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		- m/ft	m, ft	P.150
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		— SHORT CUT—	- A, B, C	P.133
		— CUSTOM BUTTON		P.130
		<b>■</b> 1))	- OFF, ON	P.145
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-(DRIVE)			Functions set as shortcuts	
-(110)				1

<sup>\*1</sup> Not available in 🔊 mode.

<sup>\*2</sup> Only available in A/S/M modes.

<sup>\*3</sup> Only available in My mode.

<sup>\*4</sup> Not available in 🐧 🗞 🏔 🗗 🔛 modes.

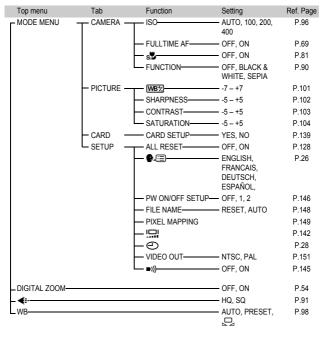
<sup>\*5</sup> Not available in M mode.

<sup>\*6</sup> Not available in A mode.

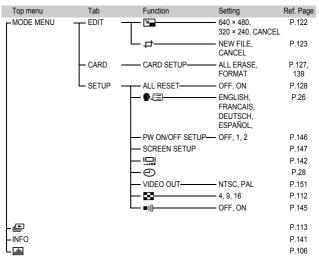
<sup>\*7</sup> Not available in A/S/M modes.

<sup>\*8</sup> Not available in My mode.

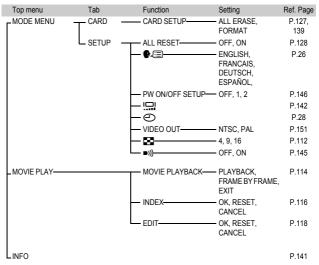
#### ● pmode



#### ● mode (still pictures)



#### ● mode (movies)



# List of factory default settings

The functions are set as follows when the camera leaves the factory.

#### Shooting mode

F No.	F2.8
SHUTTER	1/1000 sec.
ZOOM	WIDE
LCD	OFF
Z	±0
FLASH	AUTO (S, M: <b>\$</b> SLOW1, <b>№</b> : <b>3</b> )
₩/•	OFF
AF/MF	AF
<b>ઇ</b>	OFF
DRIVE	
BKT	±1 EV, 3
ISO	AUTO (A, S, M: 100)
A/S/M	A
™ു 1/2/3/4	MY MODE 1
<b>\frac{1}{2}</b>	±0
<b>\$</b> SLOW	\$SLOW1
NOISE REDUCTION	OFF (항: fixed on ON)
MULTI METERING	OFF
DIGITAL ZOOM	OFF
FULLTIME AF	OFF (≌: ON)
AF MODE	iESP (₩: fixed on iESP)
s.D	OFF
PANORAMA	OFF
2 IN 1	OFF
FUNCTION	OFF
AF AREA	CENTER
INFO	OFF
allu	OFF
<b>⊕</b>	HQ (2048 × 1536, 🎛: 320 × 240)

TIFF	2048 × 1536
SHQ	2048 × 1536
HQ	2048 × 1536
SQ1	1280 × 960 NORMAL
SQ2	640 × 480 NORMAL
WB	AUTO
WB½	±0
SHARPNESS	±0
CONTRAST	±0
SATURATION	±0
REC VIEW	ON
SLEEP	3 MIN
FILE NAME	RESET
m/ft	m
SHORT CUT	A: DRIVE, B: <b>∢:</b> - C: WB
CUSTOM BUTTON	AE LOCK

#### ●Playback mode

INFO	OFF
allin	OFF
Оп	OFF
<u>6</u>	0°
Д	OFF
<b>E</b>	9

#### ●Others

ALL RESET	ON
€.≡	ENGLISH
PW ON/OFF SETUP	1
<u></u>	NORMAL
0	Y-M-D 2003.01.01 00:00
VIDEO OUT	*
<b>■</b> )))	ON

Settings differ according to the region where the camera is sold.

# **Modes and Shooting Functions**

In  $\underline{\mathbb{M}}$  mode, available functions vary depending on the modes set in the MY MODE SETUP menu.

_	Mode		O % A	-	\/S/I	VI		
Function		AUTO	♠ॐ♠ ▲⊎≅	Α	S	М	Р	₩
A/S/M			_		✓	•	_	_
Zoo	om	✓						
DIC	GITAL ZOOM	— <b>✓*</b> 1						
AF		<b>√</b>						
Focus lock		✓						
AF MODE		_	· -					_
FULLTIME AF		_						
AF	AREA	_	✓					_
Ма	nual focus	_		✓				_
	AUTO		✓		-	_	✓	_
ш	<b>③</b>		✓		-	_	✓	_
FLASH MODE	<b>‡</b>	_	✓		-	_	✓	_
≥ I	\$SLOW1	_		✓				_
AS	<b>③</b> \$SLOW	_	✓		-	_	✓	_
교	\$SLOW2						_	
	3			✓				
<u>\$½</u>		_		✓				_
\$5	SLOW	_		✓				_
•	)	_		✓				_
MULTI METERING		_	✓			_	✓	_
AEL		_	✓			_		
AF lock		_					_	
#				✓				
si		_	<b>√</b> *1					
<b>ઇ</b>				✓				

_	Mode		0 % A	A/S/M				
Fui	nction	AUTO		Α	S	М	Р	8
□, HI□, AF□			√*2					_
ВКТ		_	√*2			_	✓	_
PANORAMA		_	<b>√</b> *1		_		✓	_
2 11	N 1	_		✓		1		_
z	BLACK&WHITE	_		✓				
FUNCTION	SEPIA	_		✓				
S	WHITE BOARD	_		✓				_
교	BLACK BOARD	_		✓				_
<b>€</b>	-			✓				
ISC	)	_		✓				
Z		_	✓			_		✓
WE	3	_		✓				
WE	艺	_	<b>√</b>					
SH	ARPNESS	_		✓				
CC	NTRAST	_		✓				
SA	TURATION	_		✓				
NC	ISE REDUCTION		_			✓		_
INF	0	_		✓				_
allh		_	✓			_	✓	_
AL	L RESET	_		✓*:	3			
<b>₽</b> .≡		_		✓				
PW ON/OFF SETUP		_		✓				
REC VIEW		_		✓				_
SLEEP		_		✓				•
MY MODE SETUP		_		✓				_

Mode		O ≪ ♠ A/S/M					
Function	AUTO	♠≫₽ ♣⊎₩	Α	S	М	Р	20
FILE NAME	_		✓				
PIXEL MAPPING	_		✓				
묘	_		✓				
<b>(</b>			✓				
m/ft	_		✓				_
VIDEO OUT	_		✓				•
SHORT CUT	_		✓				_
CUSTOM BUTTON	_		✓				_
<b>■</b> 1))	_		✓				

✓ : Available — : Not available

<sup>\*1</sup> Cannot be selected in M mode.

<sup>\*2</sup> Cannot be selected in 💆 mode.

<sup>\*3</sup> Cannot be selected in My mode.

# **Camera maintenance**

#### After use

Turn off the power and fit the lens cap on the lens.

If you are not going to use the camera for a long time, remove the batteries.

# Cleaning the camera

- 1 Turn off the camera. I P.24
- 2 Remove the batteries. See P.18 (If you are using an AC adapter, unplug the AC adapter from the camera first before removing the plug from the AC outlet.)
- 3 Exterior:
  - → Wipe gently with a soft cloth. If the camera is very dirty, soak the cloth in mild soapy water and wring well. Wipe the camera with the damp cloth and then dry it with a dry cloth. If you have used the camera at the beach, use a cloth soaked in clean water and well wrung.

#### Monitor and viewfinder:

→ Wipe gently with a soft cloth.

#### Lens:

→ Blow dust off the lens with a commercially available blower, then wipe gently with a lens cleaning paper.

# Card:

→ Wipe gently with a soft, dry cloth.



- Do not use strong solvents such as benzene or alcohol, or chemically treated cloth.
- Cleaning should be done only after the batteries have been removed or the AC adapter has been disconnected.
- Mold may form on the lens surface if the lens is left dirty.

Product type : Digital camera (for shooting and displaying)

Recording system

Still picture : Digital recording, TIFF (non-compression), JPEG

(in accordance with Design rule for Camera File system (DCF)), Exif 2.2, Digital Print Order Format (DPOF), and Print Image Matching II

Movie : QuickTime Motion JPEG support
Memory : xD-Picture Card (16 – 256 MB)

Resolution : 3200 × 2400 pixels (ENLARGE SIZE: SHQ, HQ)

2048 × 1536 pixels (TIFF, SHQ, HQ) 2048 × 1360 pixels (3:2 TIFF, SHQ, HQ)

1600 × 1200 pixels (TIFF, SQ1) 1280 × 960 pixels (TIFF, SQ1) 1024 × 768 pixels (TIFF, SQ2) 640 × 480 pixels (TIFF, SQ2)

No. of storable pictures

(When using a 32 : Approx. 3 frames (TIFF: 2048 × 1536)

MB card) Approx. 16 frames (SHQ: 2048 × 1536) Approx. 40 frames (HQ: 2048 × 1536)

Approx. 40 frames (AQ. 2046 \* 1336)

Approx. 99 frames (SQ1: 1280 \* 960 NORMAL)

Approx. 331 frames (SQ2: 640 \* 480 NORMAL)

No. of effective : 3,200,000 pixels pixels

Image pickup

device

: 1/2.5" CCD solid-state image pickup, 3,340,000

pixels (gross)

Lens : Olympus lens 6.3 mm to 63 mm, f2.8 to f3.7,

11 elements in 7 groups

(equivalent to 38 mm to 380 mm lens on a 35 mm camera)

Photometric system : Digital ESP metering, Spot metering system

Aperture : f2.8 to f8.0

Shutter speed : 16 to 1/1000 sec.

Shooting range :  $0.6 \text{ m to } \infty \text{ (W)}, 2 \text{ m to } \infty \text{ (T) (NORMAL)}$ 

0.07 m to  $\infty$  (W), 1.2 m to  $\infty$  (T) (macro mode)

Viewfinder : 0.44" TFT color LCD display, 180,000 pixels

Monitor : 1.5" TFT color LCD display, 114,000 pixels

Auto focus : TTL system autofocus

Contrast detection system

Outer connector : DC-IN jack, USB connector (mini-B), Video OUT

jack

Automatic calendar : Up to 2099

system

Operating environment

Temperature : 0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F) (operation)

-20°C to 60°C (-4°F to 140°F) (storage)

Humidity : 30% to 90% (operation)/10% to 90% (storage)
Power supply : 2 CR-V3 lithium battery packs, or 4 AA (R6)

alkaline batteries, lithium batteries, NiMH batteries

or NiCd batteries.
AC adapter (optional)

Manganese (zinc-carbon) batteries cannot be

used.

Dimensions : 107.5 mm (W) × 66 mm (H) × 68.5 mm (D)

 $(4.2" \times 2.6" \times 2.7")$ 

(excluding protrusions)

Weight : 295 g (0.6 lb.) (without batteries or card)

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# **Glossary of terms**

# A (Aperture Priority) Mode

You set the aperture yourself and the camera automatically varies the shutter speed so that the picture is taken with the best exposure.

# **AE (Automatic Exposure)**

The camera automatically sets the exposure. The 3 AE modes available on this camera are  $\bf P$  mode, in which the camera selects both the aperture and shutter speed,  $\bf A$  mode, in which the user selects the aperture and the camera sets the shutter speed, and  $\bf S$  mode, in which the user selects the shutter speed and the camera sets the aperture.

In **M** mode, the user selects both the aperture and the shutter speed.

# **Aperture**

The adjustable lens opening which controls the amount of light that enters the camera. The larger the aperture, the shorter the depth of field and the fuzzier the background. The smaller the aperture, the greater the depth of field and the sharper the background. Aperture is measured in f/stops. Larger aperture values indicate smaller apertures, and smaller aperture values indicate larger apertures.

# **CCD (Charge-Coupled Device)**

This converts light passing through the lens into electrical signals. On this camera, light is picked up and converted into RGB signals to build a single image.

# **Contrast Detection Method**

This is used to measure the distance to the subject. The camera determines if the image is focused by the level of contrast in the subject.

# **Conventional Photograph**

This refers to recording images using silver halide (the method for recording images in conventional, non-digital photography). This system is in contrast to still video and digital photography.

# DCF (Design rule for Camera File system)

A standard for image files by the Japan Electronics and Information Technology Industries Association (JEITA).

# Digital ESP (Electro-Selective Pattern) Light Metering

This determines the exposure by metering and calculating the light levels in the center and other areas of the image separately.

# **DPOF (Digital Print Order Format)**

This is for saving desired print settings on digital cameras. By entering which images to print and the number of copies of each, the user can easily have the desired images printed by a printer or print lab that supports the DPOF format.

# **Eclipsing (Vignetting)**

This refers to when an object obscures part of the field of view so that the whole subject is not photographed. Vignetting also refers to when the image seen through the viewfinder does not exactly match the image shot through the objective lens, so the photographed image includes objects not seen through the viewfinder. In addition, vignetting can occur when an incorrect lens hood is used, causing shadowing to appear in the corners of the image.

#### Effective Pixel Resolution

The number of pixels used in the CCD to create the image.

### EV (Exposure Value)

A system for measuring exposure. EV0 is when the aperture is at F1 and the shutter speed is 1 second. The EV then increases by 1 each time the aperture increases by one F stop or the shutter speed increases by one increment. EV can also be used to indicate brightness and ISO settings.

## **Exposure**

The amount of light used to capture an image. The exposure is determined by the time the shutter is open (shutter speed) and the amount of light that passes through the lens (aperture).

# **Gross Pixel Resolution**

The total number of pixels in a CCD. Not all pixels are used to create the image.

### ISO

A method for indicating film speed by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) (e.g. "ISO100"). Higher ISO values indicate greater sensitivity to light, so images can be exposed even in low-light conditions.

# JPEG (Joint Photographic Experts Group)

A compression format for color still images. Photographs (images) shot using this camera are recorded onto the card in JPEG format when the Record mode is set to SHQ, HQ, SQ1 or SQ2. By downloading these images to a personal computer, users can edit them using graphics application software or view the images using an Internet web browser.

# M (Manual) Mode

The user sets both the aperture and shutter speed.

# NTSC (National Television Systems Committee) / PAL (Phase Alternating Line)

Television formats. NTSC is mainly used in Japan, North America and Korea. PAL is mainly used in Europe and China.

# P (Program) Mode

Also called Program AE mode. The camera automatically sets the best shutter speed and aperture for the shot.

#### **Pixels**

A pixel is the smallest unit (dot) used to make up an image. Clear large-sized printed images require millions of pixels.

# S (Shutter Priority) Mode

Also called Shutter Priority AE mode. The user selects the shutter speed and the camera automatically varies the aperture so that the picture is taken with the best exposure.

# Sleep Mode

A mode designed to save battery life. The camera automatically enters the sleep mode if you do not operate it for a certain time. To get out of the sleep mode, use any button on the camera (shutter button, arrow pad, etc.).

# **TIFF (Tagged Image File Format)**

An uncompressed format used for saving highly detailed black and white or color image data. TIFF image files can be handled by software programs for scanners and graphics applications.

# TFT (Thin-Film Transistor) Color Monitor

A color monitor constructed using thin-film transistor.

# TTL (Through-The taking-Lens) System

To help adjust exposure, a light receptor built into the camera directly measures the light passing through the lens.

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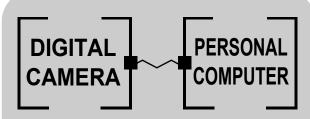
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DIGITAL CAMERA — PC CONNECTION

OPERATION MANUAL

How to use your PC to get the most from images taken with your digital camera.

- Thank you for purchasing an Olympus digital camera.
- This manual provides instructions on how to install the USB driver. To ensure correct installation, refer only to these installation procedures.

# Introduction

This manual explains in detail how to connect your Olympus digital camera to a computer. Read it carefully and keep it in a safe place for future reference.

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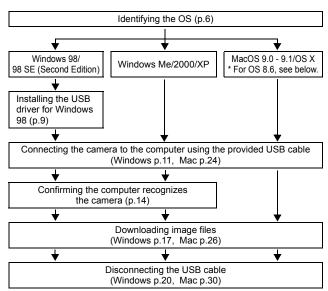
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# **Flowchart**

By connecting the camera to a computer with the provided USB cable, images on a card can be transferred to the computer. Some OS's (operating systems) may need a special setup before connecting to the camera for the first time. Follow the chart below.



- Even if your computer has a USB connector, data transfer may not function correctly if you are using one of the operating systems listed below or if you have an add-on USB connector (extension card, etc.).
- Windows 95/NT 4.0
- Windows 98/98 SE upgrade from Windows 95
- Mac OS 8.6 or lower (except Mac OS 8.6 equipped with USB MASS Storage Support 1.3.5 installed at the factory)
- Data transfer is not guaranteed on a home-built PC system or PCs with no factory installed OS.



- When connecting the camera to the computer, make sure that there is sufficient remaining battery power. When connected (transmitting) to the computer, the camera does not enter the sleep mode nor will the camera's power turn off automatically. Depending on the camera model, when the battery power runs out or the internal temperature rises, the camera may stop operating automatically. This could cause the computer to malfunction, and any image data (file) being transmitted may be lost. Be careful when downloading files for a long period of time. Use the AC adapter (optional) when downloading files.
- If you connect or disconnect the AC adapter when the camera is connected
  to the computer and is running on battery power, it may result in the loss of
  image data on the card or cause a malfunction in the computer. Before
  connecting or disconnecting the AC adapter, disconnect the camera from
  the computer and make sure that the camera is turned off.
- To avoid computer malfunctions, do not turn off the camera when the camera is connected to a computer.
- If the camera is connected to the computer via a USB hub, operation may not be stable if there are any compatibility problems between the computer and the hub. In such cases, do not use the hub and connect the camera directly to the computer.



- You can view images using: graphics applications that support the JPEG file format (Paint Shop Pro, Photoshop, etc.); Internet browsers (Netscape Communicator, Microsoft Internet Explorer, etc.); CAMEDIA Master software; or other software. For details on using commercial graphics applications, refer to their instruction manuals.
- QuickTime is needed for playing back movies. QuickTime is included on the provided software CD.
- If you want to process images, make sure to download them to your computer first. Depending on the software, image files may be destroyed if the images are processed (rotated, etc.) while they are on the card.

# **Identifying the OS**

Identify the OS on your computer before connecting the camera. How to identify the OS depends on the computer.

# Windows

Double-click the "My Computer" icon on your desktop.

When the "My computer" icon is not on your desktop, click "Control Panel" from the "Start" menu.



2 Double-click the "Control Panel" icon.



3 Double-click the "System" icon.



Note

The way the file icons inside the folder appear may vary depending on your version of Windows. If you don't see the icon you are looking for, click on "view all Control Panel options" on the left of the window.



# A System Properties window will appear. Note and record the "System:" information.

Confirm that your system is Windows 98, 98 SE, Me, 2000 Professional or Windows XP, then press "OK" to close the window.



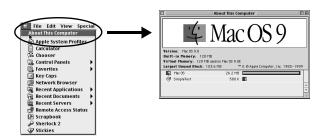
If your OS is Windows 98/98 SE, proceed to "Installing the USB driver for Windows 98" (137 p.9).

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# Mac OS (Macintosh)

Select "About This Computer" from the Apple menu on the menu bar. A window appears with the name of the computer's OS. Confirm that the OS is OS 9 0-9 1 or OS X



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# **Windows**

# Using Windows 98/Me/2000/XP

## Make sure that:

- Your computer is turned on and Windows is running.
- If you are running any applications, quit them all.
- You are recommended to power the camera using the optional AC adapter. If the battery power runs out while the computer is accessing the card in the camera, the camera will turn off in the middle of the operation and this could destroy image files (data). If you are using batteries, make sure that there is sufficient remaining battery power.

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# Installing the USB driver for Windows 98 (When using Windows 98/98 SE)

If your OS is Windows 98/98 SE, you must install the USB driver. Follow the instructions below to install the USB driver in your computer. Once it is fully installed, you do not need to repeat the procedure again.

If your OS is Windows Me/2000/XP, you do not need to install the USB driver. Proceed to "Connecting the camera to the computer" ( ) 11).

Insert the provided software CD into your CD-ROM drive.



The Olympus Windows Installer should automatically launch. Click "USB Driver".

If the USB driver is already installed in your computer, this option will not appear.

 This option will not appear if you are using Windows Me/2000/XP.



If the installer is not automatically launched, select "Run.." on the "Start" menu and then execute "(drive letter):/ Information.exe".



The drive letter of the CD-ROM varies depending on the computer. To identify the drive letter, double-click "My Computer" on the desktop.

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3 Click "Continue". The installation of the USB driver will start.



4 Click "OK" to restart your computer and the installation is complete.

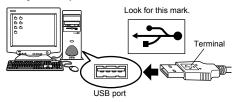


When the computer has restarted, installation is complete. If the Olympus Windows Installer screen appears, click "Close" and remove the CD-ROM from the CD-ROM drive.

# Connecting the camera to the computer

Users running Windows 98/98SE need to install the USB drive before connecting the camera to your computer for the first time. (1287 p.9)

Insert the marked end of the provided USB cable into the USB port on your computer as shown below.

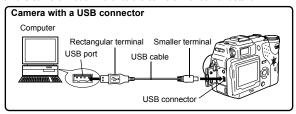


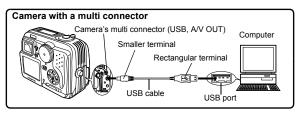


The location of the USB port varies depending on the computer. For details, refer to your computer's manual.

After making sure that the camera is turned off, connect the end of the USB cable to the USB connector on the camera.

The location of the USB connector or multi connector varies depending on the camera model. Refer to the camera manual for details.





# 3 Turn the camera on.

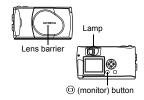
#### Camera with a lens barrier

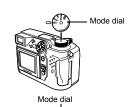
The power turns on automatically, with the exception of some models which require you to press the (9) (monitor) button.

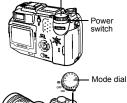
When the camera is turned on, the lamp on the right of the viewfinder lights up.

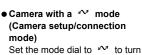
● Camera with a mode

Set the mode dial to . (If the camera has a power switch as well as a mode dial, turn the power switch to ON.)









the camera on

Power switch



# The computer recognizes the camera as a new device.

When you connect the camera to the computer for the first time, the computer automatically recognizes the camera. Click "OK" when the message saying that the installation is completed appears. The computer recognizes the camera as a "Removable Disk".

#### Windows XP

You can download image files from the camera easily. Select "Copy pictures to folder on my computer using Microsoft Scanner and Camera Wizard", then follow the on-screen instructions. You may also select "take no action" to bypass the Microsoft Scanner and Camera Wizard. You may then use a more advanced image viewing/editing program such as Olympus CAMEDIA Master software. For detailed instructions on downloading, refer to the CAMEDIA Master software user's guide.



When the camera is connected to the computer, none of the camera buttons are functional.

# Confirming the computer recognizes the camera

Double-click the "My Computer" icon on the desktop.

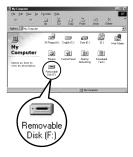
For users running Windows XP, click "My Computer" from the "Start" menu.



Make sure the "Removable Disk" icon appears in the window.

There may already be other "Removable Disk" icons for other devices, such as a removable media drive or USB SmartMedia Reader/ Writer. In this case, the digital camera is recognized as another "Removable Disk".

If you cannot find the icon, the camera and computer are not connected properly. Turn the camera off, disconnect the camera from the



computer and connect again, or proceed to "Confirming the USB driver is installed" (1258 p.15) to make sure that the USB driver is fully installed.

# **Confirming the USB driver is installed**

If the computer does not recognize the camera as a Removable Disk, follow the procedure below to check whether the USB driver has been fully installed.

1 Open "My Computer" and double-click the "Control Panel" icon. For users running Windows XP, open "Control Panel" from the "Start" menu.



2 Double-click the "System" icon.



3 The System window will appear. Click the "Device Manager" tab.





# Confirm that "OLYMPUS Digital Camera" is in the "Universal Serial Bus Controller" category.

If you cannot find the "OLYMPUS Digital Camera", turn the camera off, disconnect the camera from the computer and start again.
Users running Windows 98/98 SE start again from "Confirming the USB driver is installed", and Users running Window Me/2000/XP start from "Connecting the camera to the computer".





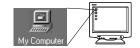
If the USB driver was successfully installed, you can find the following in the "Device Manager".

- the name of the camera you have connected listed under "Disk drives"
- "OLYMPUS Digital Camera" listed as one of the items in the "Universal Serial Bus Controller" category

# **Downloading images to your computer**

Double-click the "My Computer" icon on the desktop.

For users running Windows XP, click "Control Panel" from the "Start" menu.



2 Double-click the "Removable Disk" icon.

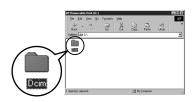
A new "Removable Disk" icon appears when the camera is connected to the computer, as the digital camera is recognized as a "Removable Disk".





If an error message appears when you double-click the icon, there may be a problem with one of the following:

- the camera's power source (the AC adapter is not properly connected or the battery power is low)
  - Make sure that the AC adapter is correctly connected or that the batteries are not running low.
- ② the card (there is no card in the camera or there is a problem with the card)
  Check that you can play back pictures stored on the card on the monitor of your digital camera.
- 3 Double-click the "Dcim" folder.



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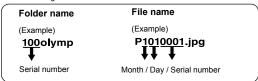
# Double-click the "100olymp" folder.

Image files (JPEG files) with files names such as "P1010001.jpg" are displayed.





 The camera automatically assigns folder names and file names according to the following rules.



- · Serial numbers of image files run from 0001 to 9999.
- · Serial numbers of folders run from 100 to 999.
- When file number 9999 is reached, a new folder is created and assigned the next number.
- Months January through September are expressed by the numbers 1 through 9, October by the letter A, November by B and December by C.

# 5 Double-click the "My Documents" icon on the desktop.

If you cannot find the icon on the desktop, select "Explorer" on the Start menu and double-click the "My Documents" icon.



The "My Documents" window is displayed.



Drag & drop the image you want to save in the computer (in this case, P1010012.jpg) to the "My Documents" window.

The image is saved in the computer (in My Documents folder).

• To select all files, choose Edit > Select all.



When the image file has been downloaded to the computer, you can view images by double-clicking the image files downloaded to your computer. The files will be opened in the default image viewer of the operating system. If you want to view the image a different size or process it, you will need to open the image with software that supports JPEG or TIFF images files, such as Paint Shop Pro, Photoshop or CAMEDIA Master software.



The lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp blinks while the image is being copied. Never open the card cover on the camera, load or remove the batteries, or connect or disconnect the AC adapter while the lamp is blinking as the image files may be destroyed.



# **Disconnecting the camera from your computer**

If your OS is Windows Me/2000, proceed to "Windows Me/2000/XP" ( P p.21).

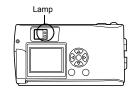
# Windows 98

- Make sure that the lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp is not blinking. Some camera models have either a lamp on the right of the viewfinder or a card access lamp, and the location varies depending on the model. Refer to your camera's reference manual.
- 2 Double-click the "My Computer" icon and right-click the "Removable Disk" to display the menu.
- $\it 3$  Click "Eject" on the menu.





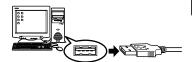
Make sure that the lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp is not blinking.



5 Remove the USB cable from the camera.



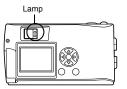
6 Remove the USB cable from your computer.



# Windows Me/2000/XP

Make sure that the lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp is not blinking.
Some camera models have either a

Some camera models have either a lamp on the right of the viewfinder or a card access lamp, and the location varies depending on the model. Refer to your camera's reference manual.



Click the "Unplug or Eject Hardware" icon on the task bar.

The message saying that the drive has been stopped appears.

3 Click on the message. The "Unplug or Eject Hardware" window appears.

4 When a message appears, click "OK".

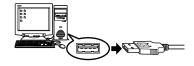




5 Remove the USB cable from the camera.



 $oldsymbol{6}$  Remove the USB cable from your computer.





If the window returns the following message when you click "Unplug or Eject Hardware", first make sure that no image data is being downloaded from the camera, and then remove the USB cable.



# **Macintosh**

# Using Mac OS (9/X)

### Make sure that:

- Your computer is turned on and Mac OS is running.
- If you are running any applications, quit them all.
- You are recommended to power the camera using the optional AC adapter. If the battery power runs out while the computer is accessing the card in the camera, the camera will turn off in the middle of the operation and this could destroy image files (data). If you are using batteries, make sure that there is sufficient remaining battery power.

If you are running Mac OS X, the connection to the computer and downloading the image data are verified. Restrictions such as the following may occur due to the OS.

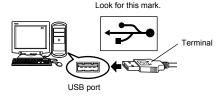
- The image file properties are not displayed correctly.
- Images in the camera cannot be opened without first downloading them. etc.

For more details, visit the Olympus web site.

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# **Connecting the camera to the computer**

Insert the marked end of the USB cable into the USB port on your computer as shown below.

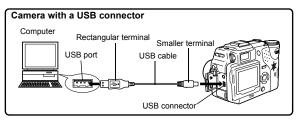


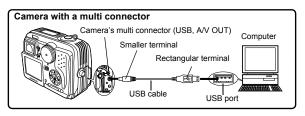


The location of the USB port varies depending on the computer. For details, refer to your computer's manual.

After making sure that the camera is turned off, connect the end of the USB cable to the USB connector on the camera.

The location of the USB connector or multi connector varies depending on the camera model. Refer to the camera manual for details.





# 3 Turn the camera on.

#### Camera with a lens barrier

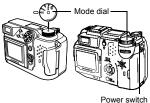
The power turns on automatically, with the exception of some models which require you to press the (9) (monitor) button.

When the camera is turned on, the green lamp on the right of the viewfinder lights up.

Lamp
Lens barrier

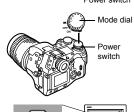
(monitor) button

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 Camera with a ⋈ mode (Camera setup/connection mode)

Set the mode dial to  $\sim$  to turn the camera on



untitled

# 4

# The computer recognizes the camera as a new device.

The computer recognizes the camera automatically and an "Untitled" icon appears on the desktop.

If you cannot find this icon, turn off the camera and connect again.

#### Mac OS X

When the computer has recognized the camera, the Apple Image Capture software automatically launches. 

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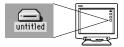
When the camera is connected to the computer, none of the camera buttons are functional.

# **Downloading images to your computer**

# Mac OS 9

You can download images from the camera and save them in your computer (in this case, in the Hard Disk).

 Double-click the "Untitled" icon displayed on the desktop when the camera is connected to the computer.

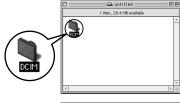




If you cannot find this icon, or if an error message appears when you doubleclick the icon, there may be a problem with one of the following:

- the camera's power source (the AC adapter is not properly connected or the battery power is low)
- ② the card (there is no card in the camera or there is a problem with the card)
  Check that you can play back pictures on the monitor of your camera.
- ③ the USB cable (the camera is not properly connected to the computer by the USB cable).
- Apple "File Exchange" extension is not enabled.
  - Please refer to your Apple operating system manual for instructions on how to enable this extension.

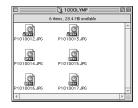
2 Double-click the "Dcim" folder.



3 Double-click the "1000LYMP" folder.

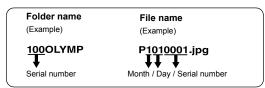


Image files (JPEG files) with files names such as "P1010001.JPG" are displayed.



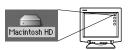


 The camera automatically assigns folder names and file names according to the following rules.



- · Serial numbers of image files run from 0001 to 9999.
- · Serial numbers of folders run from 100 to 999.
- When file number 9999 is reached, a new folder is created and assigned the next number.
- Months January through September are expressed by the numbers 1 through 9, October by the letter A, November by B and December by C.

4 Double-click the "Macintosh HD" icon on the desktop.



The "Hard Disk" window is displayed.



5 Drag & drop the image you want to save in the computer (in this case, P1010012.JPG) to the "Hard Disk" window.

> The image is saved in the computer (in the Hard disk).

 To select all images, click Edit > Select all.





When the image file has been copied to the computer, you can view images by double-clicking the image files in the "Hard Disk" folder. The files will be opened in the default image viewer of the operating system. If you want to view the image a different size or process it, you will need to open the image with software that supports JPEG or TIFF images files, such as Paint Shop Pro, Photoshop or CAMEDIA Master software.



The lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp blinks while the image is being copied. Never open the card cover on the camera, load or remove the batteries, or connect or disconnect the AC adapter while the lamp is blinking as the image files may be destroyed.

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Download Some... Download All

# Mac OS X

Malfunctions such as the following may occur due to the OS.

- · If the camera is not connected correctly, a malfunction occurs in the computer.
- Date and time information of image files is not accurately displayed.
- If the card cover of the camera is opened while connecting to the computer, the "untitled" icon does not disappear from the desktop. etc.

When the computer has recognized the camera, the Apple Image Capture software dialog appears.

- From the "Download To" menu. select a destination folder.
- 2 To download all images, click "Download All". To selectively download images.

click "Download Some" and highlight the desired images.

The images are transferred from the camera to your computer.



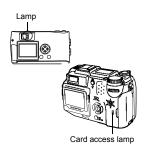
If you are operating Mac OS X and you want to download images using the same procedure as for Mac OS 9, select "File > Close" and exit the Apple Image Capture software. At this time, the camera is indicated as "unlabeled".



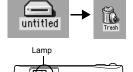
If you use the Apple Image Capture software, images downloaded to your computer and transferred back to a card may not play back on the camera or may have other problems.

# Disconnecting the camera from your computer

Make sure that the lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp is not blinking.



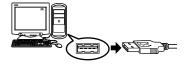
- 2 Drag the "untitled" icon on the desktop to "Trash".
- 3 Make sure that the lamp on the right of the viewfinder or the card access lamp is not blinking.





- 4 Remove the USB cable from the camera.
- 5 Remove the USB cable from your computer.





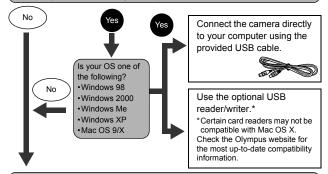
# Downloading image files using other OS (For other OS users)

Users running other OS cannot connect the camera directly to a computer.

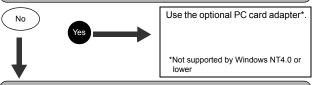
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You can download images directly to your computer using an optional floppy disk adapter or PC card adapter.

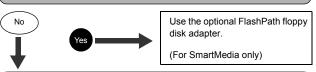
# Does your computer have a USB interface? Is there a port marked on your computer?



#### Does your computer have a built-in PC card slot?



### Does your computer have a built-in floppy disk drive?



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