1 Getting started

Attaching the strap
1 Thread the short end of the strap through the strap-eyelet.
2 Thread the long end of the strap through the loop that has already gone through the strap-eyelet.
3 Pull the strap tight, making sure that it is securely fastened and will not come loose.

Loading the batteries
1 Make sure that:
   - The monitor is off.
   - The lens barrier is closed.
2 Slide the battery compartment cover in the direction of the direction mark (the direction indicated by the mark on the cover), and fit it up in the direction of the mark.
3 Insert the batteries, making sure that they are correctly oriented as shown in the illustration. When using AA (R6) batteries
   - Insert the batteries so that the silver-colored side faces the camera.
   - If the battery is inserted incorrectly, the monitor turns off.
   - Use only lithium batteries.

4 Close the battery compartment cover in the direction of . While pressing the mark, slide the cover to the direction of .
   - If the battery compartment cover will not close easily, do not force it. Try pressing [OPEN] and the mark with both hands.

Inserting the card (SmartMedia)
1 Make sure that:
   - The camera is turned off.
   - The lens barrier is closed.
2 Open the card cover.
3 Insert the card as far as it will go in the direction shown in the illustration.
   - The card is inserted correctly when the notches (indicators) are aligned with the direction mark.
4 Close the card cover securely until its clicks.
   - Removing the card
     - Hold the card with your fingers and pull it out in the direction of the arrow.

Never open the card cover, or remove the card or the batteries while the green lamp is on (fully).

2 Turning the power on/off

When shooting pictures

Power on
Press the (monitor) button with the lens barrier closed.
The camera turns on in the shooting mode (the monitor turns on).

Power off
Press the (monitor) button. The camera turns off (the monitor turns off).

When playing back pictures on the camera

Power on
Press the (monitor) button.

Power off
Press the (monitor) button. The camera turns off (the monitor turns off).

3 Shooting/Playback

Taking still pictures
1 Open the lens barrier. Slide the lens barrier open until it clicks.
2 Position the target mark over the subject in the viewfinder.

Recording movies
1 Press with the lens barrier open.
   - The selected picture is protected.
2 Press to select DRIVE.
3 Press to select , then press to select the PLAY tab, and press 
   - The menu is displayed.
4 Record the movie while observing your subject on the monitor.
   - Press the shutter button halfway to start recording.
   - Press the shutter button fully to stop recording.

Playing back movies
1 Press with the lens barrier closed.
   - The monitor turns on.
2 Press to display the desired picture with a indicator, then press
   - The top menu is displayed.
3 Press to select MOVIE PLAYBACK.
   - The movie is played back after the green lamp on the right of the viewfinder lights up. The exposure is locked as long as the shutter button is kept pressed halfway.
4 Press to display the MOVIE PLAYBACK menu. Then select the desired operation and press 
   - 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.

Erasing pictures

Single-frame erase
1 Press with the lens barrier closed.
   - The monitor turns on.
2 Press to select the picture you want to erase.
3 Press
   - The picture is erased, and the menu is closed.
4 Press to select YES, then press
   - The picture is erased and the menu is closed.

5 Protecting pictures

You are recommended to protect important pictures to avoid accidentally erasing them.

1 Press with the lens barrier closed.
   - The monitor turns on.
2 Press to select the picture you want to protect.
3 Press
   - The picture is protected.
4 Press to select .
   - The picture is unprotected.
5 Press to select YES, then press
   - The selected picture is protected.
   - The indicator is displayed at the top right of the protected picture.
   - Protection is canceled if the camera is turned off.

Protected pictures cannot be erased by the single-frame erase erase function, but they can be all erased with the format function.

Strap eyelet

The strap eyelet is on top of the camera. The strap eyelet is on top of the camera. You can attach a wrist strap to the strap eyelet.
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