

Zoom Power and Excitement

DIMAGE Z1



Don't Let That Shot Get Away!



- Mega Zoom (10x optical & 4x digital)
- Rapid AF for sharp focus immediately
- High quality VGA movie recording
- **■** Easy operation & stress free response
- Superior image quality from Minolta image processing technology
- Compatible with Minolta's external flashes

For Additional Creative Control

Wide angle converter lens (optional)

Get more of the scene into your shot with the optional 0.75x wide angle converter lens. Its 28mm* wide angle is great for capturing indoor and outdoor architectural * 35mm film camera equivalent shots, as well as panoramic landscapes.







Flexible metering

Three metering options ensure optimum results under varying light conditions. Choose from multi segment, centre weighted, or spot metering.

Adjustable white balance

In different types of lighting, you can achieve the right coloration by selecting the white balance that works best: Auto, Daylight, Tungsten, Fluorescent, Cloudy, Flash, and Custom.

Manual focus

When you want more creative control over how your shot is focused, just switch from autofocusing to manual focus control.

Histogram display

The histogram of a captured image shows you right away how luminance is distributed in the image, so you can change settings if necessary to capture the shot you want.

Easy movie editing with VideoImpression

Put together different movie clips you've shot with the DiMAGE Z1, and also add text, audio, still images or special effects. The bundled ArcSoft VideoImpression™ 2 software guides you step by step through the editing process, and lets you record the finished piece on a Video CD for playback on your DVD player.



DiMAGE Viewer

The DiMAGE Viewer offers a user-friendly way to transfer pictures into your computer, and to manage and edit these images. Various adjustment tools are provided, including flicker reduction for your movie clips. Colour management ensures accurate display and quality printouts.

SPECIFICATIONS I

Number of effective pixels

CCD

Approx. 3.2 million

Camera sensitivity

Approx. 3.2 million | 1/2.7-type interline primary-colour CCD with a total of approx. 3.3 million pixels | Auto and 50 / 100 / 200 / 400 ISO equivalent | 5.8 – 58.0 mm (35 mm equivalent: 38 – 380 mm), f/ 2.8 – f/ 3.5; 10 elements in 7 groups | SD (Secure Digital) | Memory Card / MultiMediaCard | JPEG, Motion JPEG (MOVI) with Audio, DCF1.0, DPOF (Ver.1.1), Exif 2.2

Recording media

File format

No. of recorded pixels Image file size approx. at 2048 x 1536)

2048 x 1536, 1600 x 1200, 1280 x 960, 640 x 480 Economy: 430 KB, Standard: 720 KB, Fine: 1.1 MB, Movie (320 x 240, at 15 fps): 340 KB/s Economy: 32, Standard: 17, Fine: 9,

Storage capacity (approx. number of frames* using 16 MB SD card) (2048 x 1536)

Movie recording (15 fps): (320 x 240) 41 seconds

* The actual number of images may vary depending upon the subject and the media used.

Autofocus system A combination of a passive AF sensor and a video AF system

Autofocus area 3-point wide focus area: Wide focus area / Local focus area with Focus Area Selection Autofocus: One-shot AF, Full-time AF, Manual focus.

Focus modes Focus lock available in One-Shot AF Wide / Tele: 0.5 m / 2.0 m to infinity Focusing range

Macro: Wide: 0.1 m – 1.0 m / Tele: 1.2 m – 2.5 m Super Macro: 4 cm – 100 cm

Automatic, Preset (Daylight, Tungsten, Fluorescent, Cloudy, Flash), Custom White balance control Metering

Multi-segment (256 segments) , Spot, Centre-weighted A mode / P mode: 4 – 1/1000 seconds, M mode / S mode: 15 – 1/1000 seconds Shutter speed

Time exposure (max. 30 seconds): Auto,
Digital Program Selector mode: 2 – 1/1000 seconds

Programmed AE, Aperture priority, Shutter priority, Manual. AE lock available

Digital Subject Program Selection

Exposure mode

Portrait, Sports action, Landscape, Sunset, Night portrait / Night view, Standard

Exposure control

± 2 Ev with 1/3 Ev step 1.0 / 0.5 / 0.3 Ev increments; No. of bracket: 3 frames Exposure bracketing Flash mode

Autoflash & Autoflash with red-eye reduction, Fill-flash, Slow shutter sync (in Auto/P/DSPS mode),

Fill-flash, Fill-flash with red-eye reduction, Slow shutter sync. (in A/S/M mode). Flash cancel possible by pushing the built-in flash unit downwards

(ISO 100 equivalent) 12.0 (m) Flash GN

External flash units connectable Program Flash 5600HS(D) / 3600HS(D) / 2500(D) Finder Viewfinder

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LCD monitor 3.8 cm low temperature, polysilicon TFT colour, with total 113,000 (approx.) pixels

Self-timer Approx. 10 seconds delay Vivid, Natural, Monochrome, Sepia Colour mode

Sharpness / Contrast control Adjustable in 3 levels Noise reduction

User selectable Exif Print, PRINT Image Matching II, USB DIRECT-PRINT Printing output control PC interface

USB ver. 1.1 (USB ver. 2.0 available), Video output PAL / NTSC (selected on the camera) **Battery** Four AA Ni-MH hatteries AA Alkaline hatteries

External High Power Battery Pack Kit (EBP-100) Battery performance*
(approx.) * Minolta measurement Continuous playback time: 300 minutes with Alkaline battery

6V DC (with specified AC adapter) Approx. 109.5 x 77.5 x 80.0 mm **External power source** Dimensions (WxHxD)

Approx. 305 g (without batteries and recording media)

Standard Accessories

Battery (four AA Alkaline batteries), Neck Strap (NS-DG5000), AV Cable (AVC-200), USB Cable (USB-500), DiMAGE Software CD-ROM, SD Memory Card (16 MB), Lens Cap (LF-242), Shoe Cap (SC-1000), ArcSoft VideoImpression CD-ROM

Optional Accessories

Camera Case (CS-DG600), Wide Converter ZCW-100 kit, External High Power Battery Pack Kit (EBP-100), Leather Neck Strap (NS-DG1000), AC Adapter (AC-1L / AC-11), Flashes; Program Flash 5600HS(D) / 3600HS(D) / 2500(D)

Specifications and accessories are based on the information available at the time of printing, and are subject to change without notice. For the latest information, please visit: www.dimage.minolta.com

Compatible Computers |

- IBM PC / AT compatible computers with preinstalled Windows Me, Windows 2000 Professional, Windows XP (Home / Professional), Windows 98*, or Windows 98 Second Edition* and with a built-in USB port as standard interface.

 Apple Macintosh computers with Mac OS 9.0—9.2.2, Mac OS X v.10.1.3—10.1.5, v.10.2.1—10.2.6, and with a built-in USB port as standard interface.

 *Users of Windows 98 and Windows 98 SE must install dedicated driver software supplied with the product.

For more compatibility information, please visit: www.minoltaeurope.com / www.minolta.com.sg or www.minoltahk.com

Notes:

- · Computers and operating systems must be guaranteed by their manufactures to support USB interface. For details, please contact the manufacturer. Problems may be encountered depending on what other USB devices are being used in parallel with this product.
- Only a built-in USB port is supported. Problems may be encountered when the camera is connected to a USB hub.
- Normal operation may not occur even if all the system requirements are met.

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