

# Chapter 5

## Camera Settings and Other Functions

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# Changing Camera Settings

This section explains how to change the camera settings, including formatting (initializing) the storage memory (P.43), and setting the auto power off, beep sound and keep settings mode.

## Keep Settings

The keep settings mode enables you to save the settings after the camera is switched off. The following settings can be saved.

- Focus mode → P.70
- Flash strength → P.63
- Exposure compensation → P.64
- Soft mode → P.78
- Date imprint → P.71
- Display language → P.119
- Flash mode → P.62
- White balance → P.66
- ISO sensitivity → P.72
- Recording destination (PC card, CF card, internal memory) → P.50
- Guide List

- Note**
- The redeye reduction mode will be saved when the flash mode is saved.
  - The contents of the Image Capture Guide List will be saved when the Guide list mode is saved.

**1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].**

**2 Choose [KEEP SETTINGS].**



**3 Select the condition for the items where you wish to keep the settings.**

**See** • P.33 “How to Use the Radio Button ( )”

**Note** • The condition for each item means as follows.  
ON: Keep setting enabled  
OFF: Keep setting disabled



**4 Select [OK].**

The display will return to the Setup menu.

## Beep Sound Setting

The camera beeps to alert you when it records a picture. You can enable and disable the beep by the following steps.

- 1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].
- 2 Select [BEEP SOUND] and then select [OK].



- 3 Select [ON] or [OFF] and then select [OK].

Select [OFF] to disable the beep.



- Note** • The error beep is not disabled even when the beep sound is set on [OFF].

## Auto Power Off Setting

The camera will turn off automatically (auto power off) in the recording and play modes to conserve the battery if it is left idle (no buttons or switches operated) for a preset length of time. The time until the auto power off function is activated can be set from 0 – 60 minutes.

Setting	Explanation
<b>CAMERA POWER</b>	Sets the time until the camera turns off automatically if no operation is performed. The factory default setting is 5 minutes in recording and play modes.
<b>LCD MONITOR</b>	Sets the time until the LCD monitor turns off automatically if no operation is performed. The factory default setting is 2 minutes in recording and play modes.

① Set the mode dial to [SETUP].

② Select [AUTO POWER OFF].



③ Choose the auto power off setting (CAMERA POWER or LCD MONITOR).




④ Set the auto power off interval and select [OK].

⑤ Select [EXIT].

The screen will return to the Setup screen.



**See** • P.34 “How to Use the Spin Box ”

- Note**
- If the auto power off function has been activated, perform the following procedure.  
If the camera is turned off automatically: switch the camera on again.  
If the LCD monitor is turned off automatically: press the DISPLAY button.
  - If the auto power off function is activated and the camera is automatically turned off, the LCD monitor will also be turned off.
  - When using the AC adapter, the auto power off function is disabled even if the auto power off mode is set to on.

## Changing the Display Language

The choice of language to display the information on the LCD monitor can be selected.

- 1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].
- 2 Select [LANGUAGE].
- 3 Choose the language and select [OK].

The display will return to the Setup menu.



- Note**
- Only the selectable language will be displayed.
  - To save the language setting, enable the keep settings mode.  
→ P.116 “Keep Settings”

## Changing the Video-out Signal Method (NTSC/PAL)

If you wish to play recorded files on a TV when you are abroad, change the Video-out Signal Method according to the video system used in the country where you are.

- See**
- “Playback Using a TV” (P.88) for instructions on how to connect the camera to a TV
  - “Using This Camera Abroad” (P.135) for details of the TV systems

- 1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].
- 2 Select [VIDEO OUT MODE].




**3 Choose the video out mode (NTSC or PAL) and then select [OK].**

The video out mode will be changed and the display will return to the Setup menu.



- Note** • The LCD monitor will appear blank if you connect the video interface cable to the camera when the video out mode is set to PAL.

## Changing the LCD Confirmation Time

When you press the shutter release button in  (Still Picture) mode, the image is displayed on the LCD monitor. You can select the time for confirming the image after shooting from 0 second, 1 second, 2 seconds and 3 seconds.

**1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].**


**2 Select [LCD CONFIRMATION TIME].**





**3 Choose the confirmation time (0SEC, 1SEC, 2SEC or 3SEC) and then select [OK].**

The confirmation time will be changed and the display will return to the Setup menu.



- See** • P.33 "How to Use the Radio Button ()"

- Note** • If the confirmation time is set on 0 second, no image is displayed.  
• In  (Still Picture) mode with voice memo, when non-compressed (NC) mode has been set, and in  (Text) mode, the image will be displayed until recording is completed, regardless of the preset confirmation time.

# Adding or Deleting a Folder

This function enables you to add or delete a folder for saving recorded images.

① Set the mode dial to [SETUP].

② Select [FOLDERS].



③ Choose the storage memory in which the folder will be added or deleted (CF CARD, PC CARD or IN).

See “Adding a Folder” → See below

See “Deleting a Folder” → P.122



**See** • P.33 “How to Use the Radio Button ( )”

## ■ Adding a Folder

① Select [ADD].

A new folder will be added in the selected storage memory and assigned a consecutive number.

② Select [EXIT].

The display will return to the Setup menu.



- Note**
- Naming of the folder depends on the DCF (Digital rule for Camera File) System
  - Folders can be created from number 100 – 999.
  - You can specify the destination for saving the folder in Recording and Play modes. → P.51, P.100 “Selecting a Folder”

## ■ Deleting a Folder

- 1 Choose the folder to be deleted from the folder list and select [DELETE].

The confirmation message will be displayed.



- 2 Press the shutter release button.

The selected folder will be deleted.

- 3 Select [EXIT].

The screen will return to the Setup screen.



- All the images will be deleted when the folder is deleted.

## Turning the Camera On/Off When the LCD Monitor is Opened

This function enables you to set whether you wish the camera to turn on when the LCD monitor is opened.

- 1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].
- 2 Select [OPTIONS].





- 3 Select [POWER ON BY LCD OPENING].



- 4 Choose the power setting (POWER ON or KEEP POWER OFF) and select [OK].

If you choose [POWER ON], the camera will turn on when the LCD monitor is opened.



- 5 Select [EXIT].

The screen will return to the Setup screen.

- Note** • When the battery is replaced for charging, etc., the power setting is reset to the factory default even when [POWER ON] is selected.

## Initializing the Settings

This function enables you to reset all the settings and return them to their factory default settings.



- Initializing all the settings will also erase the information and images in the internal memory.

- 1 Set the mode dial to [SETUP].
- 2 Select [OPTIONS].



**3** Select [INITIALIZE SETTINGS].



**4** Select [OK].



**5** Select [OK].

The confirmation message will be displayed.



**6** Press the shutter release button.

The camera settings will be reset and the camera will be turned off.



# Using the Remote Control

This section explains how to operate the camera using the DR-3 remote control unit (optional).



- The remote control receiver is located on the front of the camera. Operate the remote control unit by pointing it at the remote control receiver.



- For instructions on replacing the batteries and maintaining the remote control unit, refer to the accompanying manual.
- Some procedures differ when performed on the remote control unit and on the camera itself. Follow the instructions below to use the remote control unit.

## Shooting

The remote control unit can be used to operate the camera. It is particularly useful when the camera is set up at a remote position or is in a fixed position.

- 1 **Set the mode dial on the camera to a shooting mode (📷, 🎤, 📄, 📺 or 📹) and press the **CARD/IN** button to select the recording destination.**
- 2 **Decide the composition of the picture and press the **RELEASE** button on the remote control unit.**

- **In 📷 (Still Picture) mode**

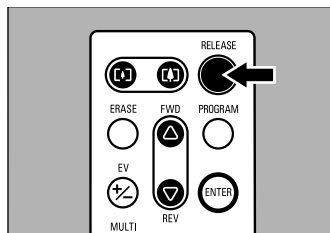
The self-timer LED will light and recording will start after about 2 seconds.

- **In 📄 (Text) mode**

Recording starts as soon as the **RELEASE** button is pressed.




- **In 📺 (Continuous Shooting) mode**

Pictures are taken continuously while the **RELEASE** button is pressed. When the button is released, shooting stops and the pictures are recorded.





● In  (Voice Memo) or  (Motion Picture) mode



Recording of the image and/or voice memo starts when the RELEASE button is pressed. Recording stops when the button is pressed again.

-  • You can change the size of the subject with the zoom button. Press  to make the subject larger, and press  to make the subject smaller.

### Setting the Exposure Compensation





- 1 Press the EV (+/-) button on the remote control unit.
- 2 Set the exposure compensation level using the FWD () or REV () button and press the ENTER button on the remote control unit.  
Press the RELEASE button to take the picture.

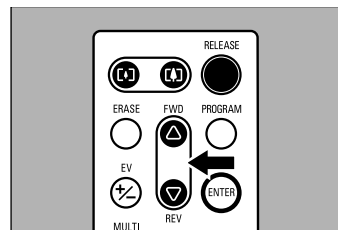
### Shooting in Manual Focus Mode

- 1 Press the PROGRAM button.  
The manual focus mode will be enabled.
  - 2 Adjust the focus using the FWD () or REV () button.  
Press the RELEASE button to take the picture.
- To cancel the mode setting  
Press the PROGRAM button.

## Playback

You can use the remote control unit to playback recorded files.

- 1 Set the mode dial on the camera to  and press the  button to select the playback source.  
The most recently recorded file will be played back.
- 2 Choose a file by pressing the FWD () or REV () button.  
The remote control unit buttons are operated in the same way as the buttons on the camera.



## Displaying Multiple Images (Thumbnail Playback)

- 1 Press the **ENTER** button to switch to the Edit mode.
- 2 Press the **MULTI** button.  
The thumbnail playback will be enabled.
- 3 Change the selected image using the **FWD** ( $\Delta$ ) or **REV** ( $\nabla$ ) button.
- 4 Press the **ENTER** button.  
The selected file will be displayed as a single image and the thumbnail playback will be canceled.

## Deleting

You can use the remote control unit to delete a recorded file.



- Files cannot be restored once they are deleted. Before starting to delete a file, make sure that you want to delete it.

- 1 Set the mode dial on the camera to **[▶]** and press the **CARD/IN** button to select the deleting destination.
- 2 Press the **ENTER** button.  
The screen will switch to the Edit mode.
- 3 Select a file to be deleted using the **FWD** ( $\Delta$ ) or **REV** ( $\nabla$ ) button, and press the **ERASE** button on the remote control unit.
- 4 Press the **RELEASE** button.  
The selected file will be deleted.

