

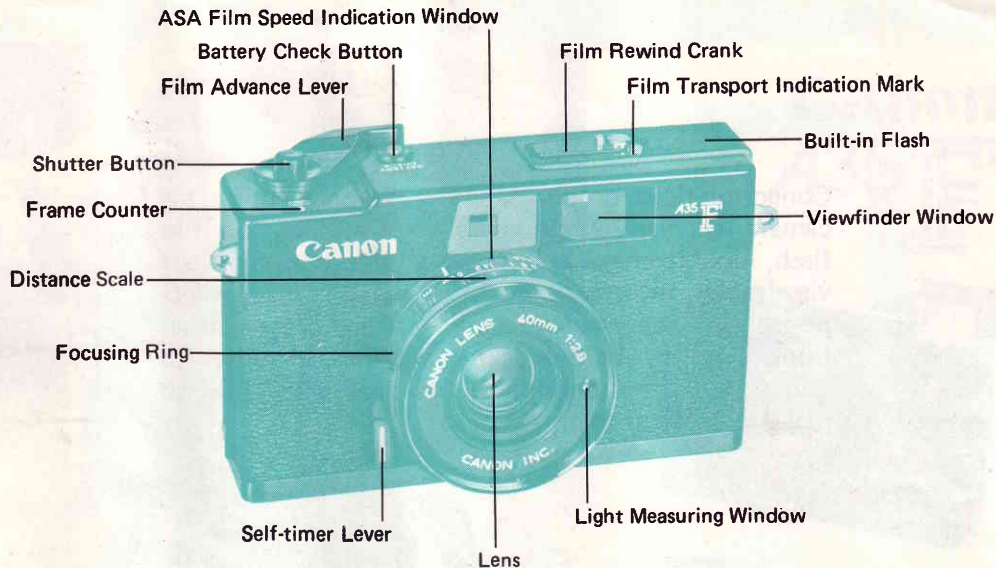


Canon A35 **E**



INSTRUCTIONS

Congratulations on choosing the Canon A35 F. This camera has many excellent features such as a built-in flash, double-image coupled rangefinder, convenient viewfinder informations, etc., which will make photography very enjoyable. Please read these instructions carefully before taking pictures in order to understand the functions of the camera and how to make best use of them.



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Specifications

Lens: Canon Lens 40mm f/2.8, 5 elements in 4 groups

Focusing: Double image coupled rangefinder

Distance Scale: 0.8 1 1.5 2 5 ∞ (m)
3 5 7 15 (ft.)

Shutter: Programmed AE shutter

Exposure Meter Coupling Range: EV 9 - 17 (ASA 100, f/2.8 with 1/60 sec. — f/20 with 1/320 sec.)

Film Speed: ASA 25 . . 50 . . 100 . . 200 . . 400
(32)(40) (64)(80) (125)(160) (250)(320)

Filter Compensation: Automatic

Viewfinder: Bright frame, parallax correction marks, double image rangefinder, aperture scale, over- and underexposure warning marks and battery check zone

Film Winding: By rotating the 130° single stroke winding lever

Film Loading: Multi-slit spool mechanism

Back Cover Opening: With the back cover opening button

Frame Counter: Additive type, automatically reset by opening the back cover

Power Source: One PX-625 type 1.35V mercury battery

Built-in Electronic Flash: The CAT (Canon Auto Tuning) system which can meter the proper exposure according to the distance of the subject and charged voltage.

Battery for Flash: One alkaline manganese penlight (size AA) battery. Ni-Cd battery is also usable.

Guide Number: 14 (m) at ASA 100, 23 (ft.) at ASA 25; with a new battery, 30 seconds after the pilot lamp lights up

Flash Coverage Angle: Covers up to the angle of a 40mm lens

Flashing Intervals: With a new alkaline manganese battery, it takes less than 8 seconds from one flash to the next pilot lamp lighting.

Number of Flashes: With a new alkaline manganese penlight battery, more than 120 times every 30 seconds

Flash Duration: Shorter than 1/1000 second

Pilot Lamp: Located to the left of the viewfinder on the back of the body

Color Temperature: Balanced for daylight, compensated by the exclusive green dispersion panel

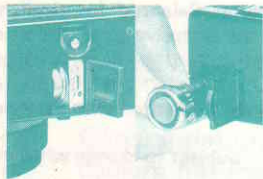
Size: 122 (Length) x 75 (Height) x 61 (Depth) mm;
4-13/16" (L) x 2-15/16" (H) x 2-3/8" (D)

Weight: 500g (1 lb. 1-1/2 ozs.) with batteries

Subject to change without notice.

Steps for Taking Pictures

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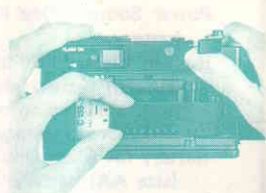
Load the batteries.
(P.8)

2



Check the battery.
(P.11)

3



Load the film.
(P. 12)

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Focus and compose.
(P.17)

8



Press the shutter button
gently. (P.17)

4



Set the ASA film speed.
(P. 16)

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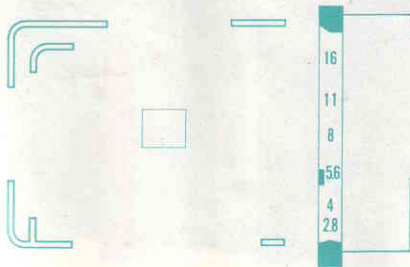


Take off the lens cap.

6



Advance the film.
(P.15)



① If the meter needle in the viewfinder points within the overexposure mark.
 use an ND filter.

② If the meter needle in the viewfinder points within the underexposure mark.
 switch to flash photography.

Battery Loading

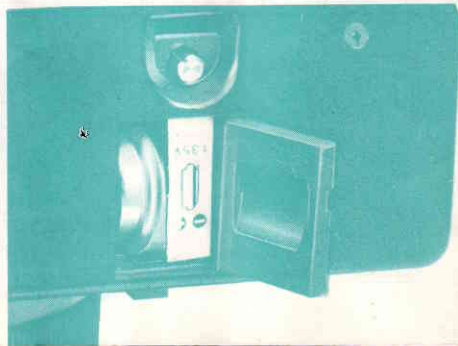
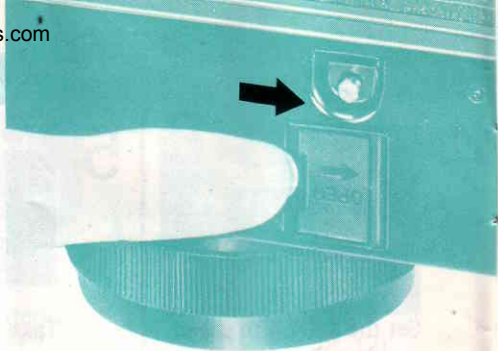
(Camera Battery)

This camera uses one PX-625 type (1.35V) mercury battery for metering. Have a new battery ready.

1 Hook the groove of the mercury battery compartment cover with your fingernail, and press in the direction of the arrow to open it.

2 Place the battery on the ribbon inside the battery compartment.

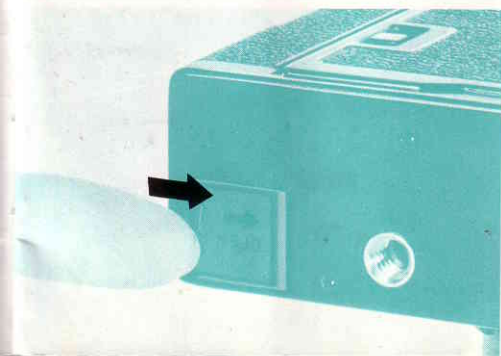
- Be sure not to mistake polarity. If the battery is in wrong polarity, the shutter button will be locked and the meter needle will not rise to the battery check zone.





3 Press the cover closed.

- Be careful not to leave fingerprints or perspiration on the battery. It may cause bad contact or corrosion that damages the electric contact of the camera body. Make sure to wipe it well before use.



(Flash Battery)

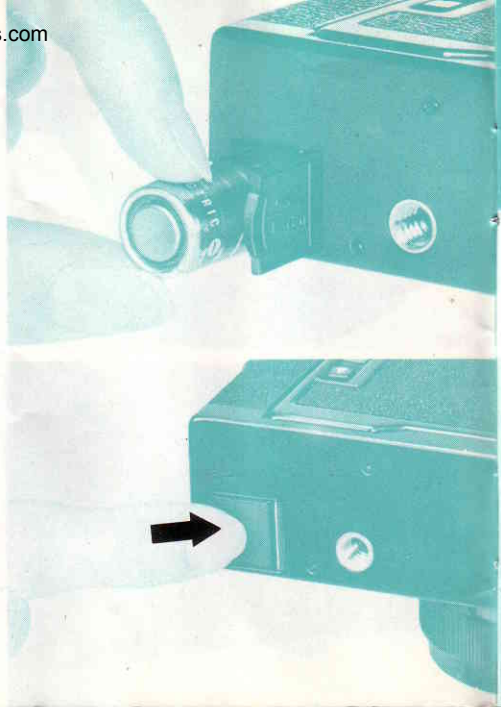
One alkaline manganese penlight (size AA) battery is used. Have a new battery ready.

1 Hook the groove of the flash battery compartment cover with your fingernail and press in the direction of the arrow to open it.

2 Insert the battery following the direction indicated in the battery compartment. Be sure not to install the battery in wrong direction.

3 Press the cover closed.

- In cold weather, we recommend Ni-Cd battery for flash battery.

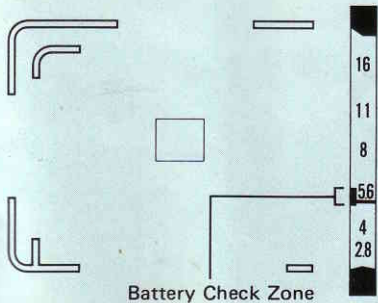




Battery Check

Look into the viewfinder while pressing the battery check button. If the meter needle points within the battery check zone, the voltage is sufficient. If the needle points below the check zone, voltage is not sufficient and the mercury battery must be replaced.

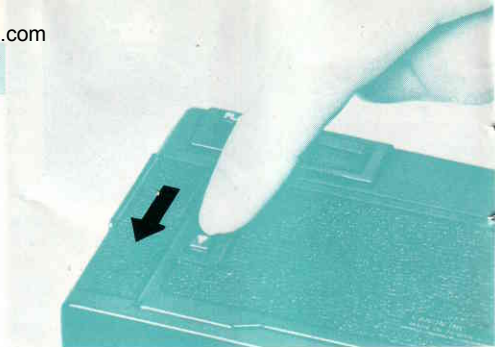
- Press the battery check button firmly. The meter needle may drop to the underexposure mark once and then pop back up to the battery check zone.
- When the battery is exhausted, the camera sets an improper exposure or the shutter button is automatically locked. Make sure to check the battery before photographing.



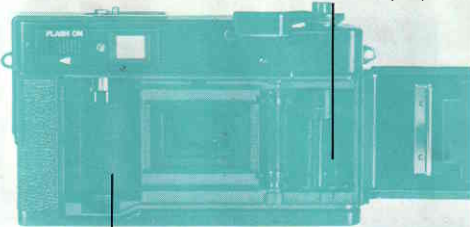
Film Loading

1 The back cover opens when you press the back cover opening button firmly in the direction of the arrow.

2 Raise the film rewind crank and pull it up.

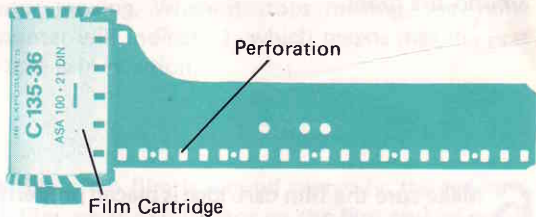


Slit of Take-up Spool

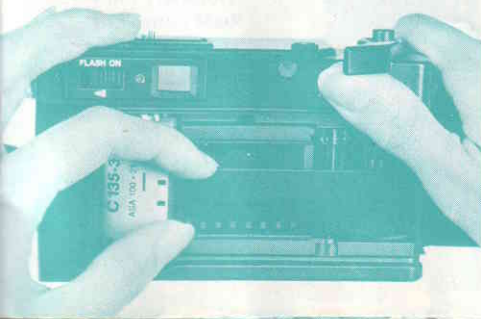


Film Cartridge Compartment

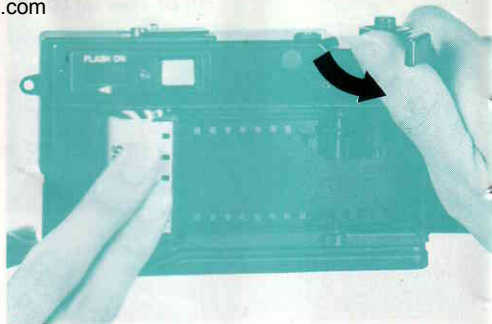
3 Insert the film cartridge into the film compartment and press down the film rewind crank.



4 Pull out the film tip and insert it in one of the slits of the take-up spool to the second perforation.

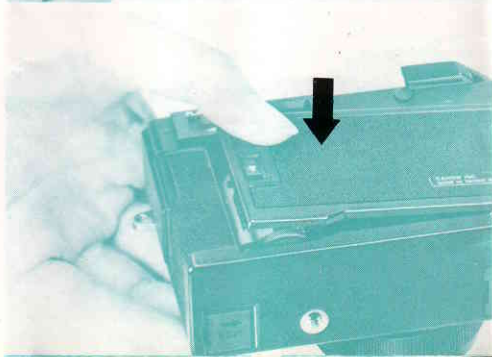


5 Checking the perforations of film engaged in the teeth of the film transport sprocket, wind the film advance lever until the film is wound once around the spool.



6 Make sure the film cartridge is placed properly, then close the back cover.

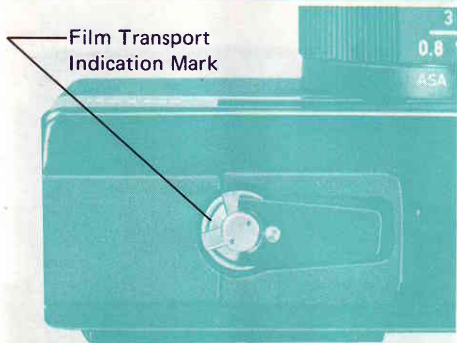
7 Turn the film rewind crank gently in the direction of the arrow to take up the film's slack.



Film Winding

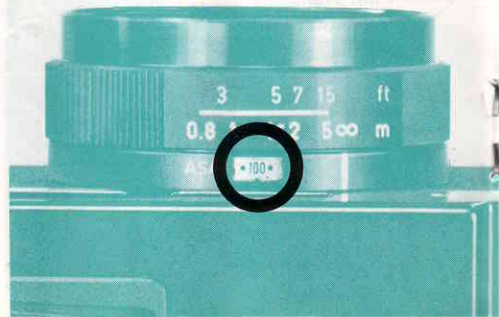
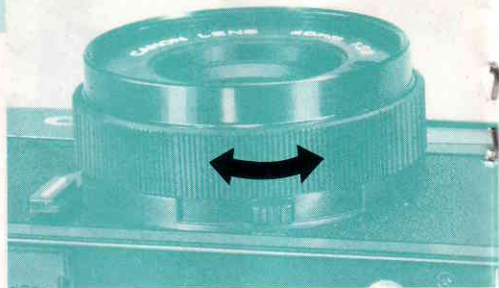
After inserting the film and closing the back cover, wind the film advance lever continuously until it stops moving. When it stops moving, the frame counter will indicate 1, which means that the first frame is in position.

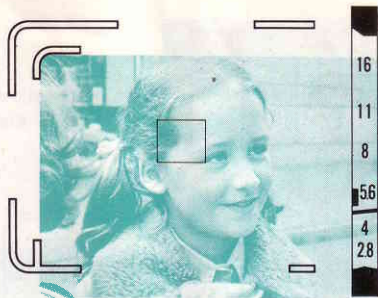
- When the film is wound correctly, the red lines of film advance indicator on the film rewind crank shaft will rotate at the same time of film winding. If the red lines do not move, take the film out of the camera and load it again correctly.



ASA Film Speed Setting

Set the ASA film speed setting lever to the proper position by looking through the ASA indication window. The correct ASA film speed is indicated on the film box.





AE Photography

1 Compose the picture while looking into the viewfinder. The outer yellow frame lines indicate the picture area which will appear on the film.

- When taking pictures at a distance closer than 1m, compose the picture with a slight bias to the lower right, using the parallax correction marks.

2 Focus by turning the focusing ring to coincide the two images of the subject in the center square.

3 Check if the meter needle points within the proper exposure range.

4 Hold the camera firmly and press the shutter button gently in order to avoid camera shake which causes blurred pictures.