About the manual for this camera

This guide describes the necessary preparations to start using the product, basic operations, etc. For details, refer to the "Help Guide" (web manual).

"Help Guide" (Web manual)
https://rd1.sony.net/help/dsc/1920/h_zz/

Looking for valuable information, such as essential points on shooting

This website introduces convenient functions, ways of usage, and setting examples. Refer to the website when you set up your camera.

Tutorials
https://www.sony.net/tutorial/dsc/

Preparations

Checking the supplied items

The number in parentheses indicates the number of pieces.

• Camera (1)
• Power cord (mains lead) (1) (supplied in some countries/regions)
• Rechargeable battery pack NP-BX1 (1)
• Micro USB cable (1)
• AC Adaptor (1)

The type of the AC Adaptor may differ depending on the country/region.

Inserting the battery pack (supplied)/memory card (sold separately) into the camera

Open the battery/memory card cover, and insert the battery pack and a memory card into the camera. Then, close the cover.

Battery pack
Make sure that the battery pack is facing in the correct direction, and insert it while pressing the battery lock lever.

Memory card
Insert the memory card with the notched corner facing as illustrated.

The charge lamp will light up when charging starts. When the charge lamp turns off, charging is completed.

Charging the battery pack

1 Turn the power off.
If the camera is turned on, the battery pack will not be charged.

2 Connect the camera with the battery pack inserted to the AC Adaptor supplied using the micro USB cable (supplied), and connect the AC Adaptor to the wall outlet (wall socket).
The charge lamp will light up when charging starts. When the charge lamp turns off, charging is completed.

Setting the language and the clock

1 Press the ON/OFF (Power) button to turn on the camera.
2 Select the desired language and then press the center of the control wheel.
3 Make sure that [Enter] is selected on the screen and then press the center button.
4 Select the desired geographic location and then press the center button.
5 Set [Daylight Savings], [Date/Time], and [Date Format], and then select [Enter] and press the center button.

Viewing

1 Press the ◄ (Playback) button to switch to the playback mode.
2 Select an image with the control wheel.

You can move to the previous image/next image by pressing the left/right side of the control wheel. To start playing back a movie, press the center button on the control wheel.

Viewing

1 Press the desired shooting mode by turning the mode dial.
2 Press the shutter button halfway down to focus.
3 Press the shutter button all the way down.

Using the flash
Slide the $ (Flash pop-up) switch to pop up the flash.

Using the viewfinder

1 Slide down the viewfinder pop-up switch.
As a default setting, the camera turns on automatically when you pop up the viewfinder and turns off automatically when you store the viewfinder.

2 Adjust the diopter adjustment lever to your eyesight until the display appears clearly in the viewfinder.

Storing the viewfinder
Push down the top of the viewfinder.

Viewing
## Transferring images to a smartphone

You can transfer images to a smartphone by connecting the camera and a smartphone via Wi-Fi.

### 1: Install Imaging Edge Mobile on your smartphone.

To connect the camera and your smartphone, Imaging Edge Mobile is required. Install Imaging Edge Mobile to your smartphone in advance.

If Imaging Edge Mobile is already installed on your smartphone, be sure to update it to the latest version.

#### Connect the camera and your smartphone using the QR Code.

1. Launch Imaging Edge Mobile on your smartphone, and select [Scan QR Code of the Camera].
2. Scan the QR Code displayed on the camera using your smartphone.

### 2: Connect the camera and your smartphone using the QR Code.

1. MENU → @ (Network) → [Send to Smartphone Func.] → [Send to Smartphone] → [Select on This Device] → [images to transfer].
2. If you want to select images on the smartphone, select [Select on Smartphone].
3. Launch Imaging Edge Mobile on your smartphone, and select [Scan QR Code of the Camera].
4. Scan the QR Code displayed on the camera using your smartphone.

### 3: The selected images will be transferred.

If you are using Android, you can transfer images after the first time simply by launching Imaging Edge Mobile with Step 2-3 above. If image transfer does not start, select the camera to connect on the screen of your smartphone.

For details on how to connect to a smartphone, refer to the following support sites:

https://www.sony.net/dics/iem01/
- For details on other connection methods or how to use the smartphone as a remote commander to operate the camera, refer to the "Help Guide."
- The Wi-Fi functions introduced in this manual are not guaranteed to operate on all smartphones or tablets.
- The Wi-Fi functions of this camera are not available when connected to a public wireless LAN.

### Editing movies on a smartphone

You can edit recorded movies by installing the Movie Edit add-on to your smartphone.

#### Notes on handling the product

- The camera is not designed for dust, moisture, or water resistance. Do not use the camera in wet or dusty environments.
- Do not wipe the lens or the viewfinder exposed to a strong light source such as sunlight. Because of the lens's condensing function, doing so may cause smoke, fog, or a malfunction inside the camera body or the lens.
- When you shoot with backlighting, keep the sun sufficiently far away from the background. Otherwise, the sunlight may enter the focus inside the camera and cause smoke or fog. Even if the sun is slightly away from the angle of view, it may still cause smoke or fog.
- Do not leave the camera, the supplied accessories, or memory cards within the reach of infants. They may be accidentally swallowed. If this occurs, consult a doctor immediately.

### Notes on using a computer

#### Notes on use

Refer to "Precautions" in the "Help Guide" as well.

#### Notes on handling the product

- The camera is neither dust-proof, nor splash-proof, nor water-proof.
- Remove any dirt from the surface of the flash. Dirt on the surface of the flash may emit smoke or burn due to heat generated by the emission of light. If there is dirt/dust, clean it off with a soft cloth.
- Do not leave the lens or the viewfinder exposed to a strong light source such as sunlight. Because of the lens’s condensing function, doing so may cause smoke, fog, or a malfunction inside the camera body or the lens.
- When you shoot with backlighting, keep the sun sufficiently far away from the background. Otherwise, the sunlight may enter the focus inside the camera and cause smoke or fog. Even if the sun is slightly away from the angle of view, it may still cause smoke or fog.
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#### Notes on the monitor and electronic viewfinder

- The monitor and electronic viewfinder are manufactured using extremely high-precision technology, and over 99.99% of the pixels are operational for effective use. However, there may be some small black dots and/or bright dots (white, red, blue or green in color) that constantly appear on the monitor. These are imperfections due to the manufacturing process and do not affect the recorded images in any way.
- When using the viewfinder, you may experience symptoms such as eyestrain, fatigue, motion sickness, or nausea. We recommend that you take a break at regular intervals when you are shooting with the viewfinder.
- If the monitor or electronic viewfinder is damaged, stop using the camera immediately. The damaged parts may harm your hands, face, etc.

#### Notes on continuous shooting

During continuous shooting, the monitor or viewfinder may flash between the shooting screen and a black screen. If you keep watching the screen in this situation, you may experience uncomfortable symptoms such as feeling of unwellness. If you experience uncomfortable symptoms, stop using the camera, and consult your doctor as necessary.

#### Notes on recording for long periods of time or recording 4K movies

- Depending on the camera and battery temperature, the camera may become unable to record movies or the power may turn off automatically to protect the camera. A message will be displayed on the screen before the power turns off. If you turn the camera off in this case, leave the power off and wait until the camera and battery temperature goes down. If you turn the camera off without letting the camera and battery cool sufficiently, the power may turn off again, or you may still be unable to record movies.
- If the same part of your skin touches the camera for a long time, try to use the camera, even if the camera does not feel hot to you, it may cause symptoms of a low-temperature burn such as redness or blistering. Pay special attention in the following situations and use a tripod, etc.
  - When using the camera in a high temperature environment
  - When someone with poor circulation or impaired skin sensation uses the camera
  - When using the camera with [Auto Power OFF Temp.] set to [High]

#### Notes on using a tripod

Use a tripod with a screw less than 5.5 mm (7/32 inches) long. Otherwise, you cannot firmly mount the camera, even if the camera does not feel hot to you, it may cause symptoms of a low-temperature burn such as redness or blistering. Pay special attention in the following situations and use a tripod, etc.

- When using the camera in a high temperature environment
- When someone with poor circulation or impaired skin sensation uses the camera
- When using the camera with [Auto Power OFF Temp.] set to [High]

#### Notes on discarding or transferring the product to others

Before discarding or transferring this product to others, be sure to perform the following operation to protect private information.

- Select [Setting Reset] → [Initialize].

#### Notes on discarding or transferring a memory card to others

Before discarding or transferring a memory card to others, be sure to perform the following operation to protect private information.

- Select [Format] or [Delete] on the camera or a computer and make sure the data on the memory card is deleted.

#### Notes on network functions

When you use network functions, unintended third parties on the network may access the camera, depending on the usage environment. For example, unauthorized access to the camera may occur in network environments to which another network device is connected or can connect without permission. Sony bears no responsibility for any loss or damage caused by connecting to such network environments.

- How to turn off wireless network functions (Wi-Fi, etc.) temporarily

When you board an airplane, etc., you can turn off all wireless network functions temporarily using [Airplane Mode].

### For Customers in the U.S.A.

For question regarding your product or for the Sony Service Center nearest you, call 1-800-222-SONY (7669).

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