# **PENTAX Digital Cameras** Optio **\$12**







# A big screen for fine details.

- > 12 Megapixels. New 1/1.7" CCD Sensor and new processor provide for excellent imaging results.
- > Face Recognition People are the most frequent photographic subjects. Up to 15 faces can be recognized and, if necessary, held by the Autotracking function for as long as the focus is held and the photo is in snapped.
- > 3x optical, 6x digital zoom
- Digital Shake Reduction for photo and video >
- > 18 Picture Modes
- > Dynamic Range Adjustment. Light and shade are important components of photography. For a long time "shade" meant a muddy darkness in the picture. With this new function the PENTAX Optio S12 brings a little light back into the dark and lightens these areas.
- > Super Macro (from 6cm)
- > Brighter and clearer 2.5" TFT monitor with 232,000 dots. The surface of the monitor is anti-reflection coated and provides an extremely clear and brilliant image. Picture control is possible from awkward angles thanks to a viewing angle of 170°.
- > Picture date display. The date display at the edge of the image can be seen when the image is shown on the television as well as on prints.



Code No. Optio S12	SILVER	17025 5139923
Code No. Optio S12	BLACK	140035
Barcode	00270	7517044
Code No. Optio S12	PINK	142213
Barcode	00270	7517060
Code No. Optio S12	AQUA BLUE	142220
Barcode	00270	7517087















Code No. 50113 Nvlon case NC-S1

Code No. 39613 Code No. 39640 Battery charging kit AC mains adapter kit K-AC63E K-BC68E



IR Remote Control E with zoom function without zoom function





Sport Strap 0-ST30



Display protection foil 2,5"







# TECHNICAL DATA

#### Additional information at www.pentax.co.uk

#### CCD

- 12.0 Megapixels effective
- 1/1.7" Interline Transfer CCD with Primary Colour Filter • Resolution: 12MP (4,000 x 3,000), 10MP (3,264 x 2,448),
- 7 MP (3,072 x 2,304), 5 MP (2,592 x 1,944), 3 MP (2,048 x 1,536), 1,024 x 768, 640 x 480
- Colour depth: 3 x 12 bit
- Sensitivity: automatic, manual selectable
- (ISO 64, 100, 200, 400, 800, 3,200\*)
- \* in Digital Shake Reduction mode

#### Lens

- 7.9-23.7mm / 2.8-5.4 (37-111mm in 35mm film format), 7 elements in 5 groups, (3 double-sided aspherical lens elements), 1 single-sided aspherical lens element
- 3x optical zoom
- 6x digital zoom approximate
- Intelligent Zoom up to 19.9x

#### Monitor

- Low reflection 2.5" TFT Monitor with anti-reflection coating,
- 170° viewing angle 100% view, approx. 232,000 dots
- Image viewing on playback: Single image with histogram, recording data, 8X magnification, 9 image thumbnail view, slide show, image rotation, Face Zoom, picture area dimension change, cropping, digital filter, framing, video editing, deleted file recovery

# **Image formats**

- Photo: JPEG (Exif 2.2), DCF, DPOF
- Video: AVI (MPEG-4, DivX®-Format 640 x 480), with sound
- Sound: WAV (PCM, mono)

#### Memory

- SD, SDHC cards (up to 32GB)
- approx. 21MB internal memory

#### **Focus**

- 5-point TTL Contrast Detection System with focus-assist light, switchable between Spot AF and manual focus, Pan Focus, focusing set by various Picture Modes
- Focussing range: Normal: 0.35m - ∞ Macro: 0.12-0.4m (wide angle) Supermacro: 0.06-0.15m (wide angle)

#### Meterina

- TTL multi field metering, switchable between Multi-field, Centre-weighted or Spot metering
- Programme controlled electronic Shutter speed range: approx 1/2,000 - 4 sec.
- · Recording modes: Video, Sound, Digital Shake Reduction, Auto Pict., Programmed automatic, Night scene, Landscape,
- Flowers, Natural Skin Tone, Portrait, Children, Sport, Surf & Snow, Food, Pets, Text, Jewellery
- "Face Priority" for Portrait, Natural Skin Tone and Children, Automatic Face Recognition with Face Tracking
- Exposure compensation: ±2 EV (1/3 EV steps)

#### Flash

- Built-in flash with automatic operation in poor lighting conditions
- Manual flash-on and flash-off modes
- Preflash for reduction of the "Red Eye" effect
- Flash range: (at ISO Auto) Wide angle: approx. 0.06-6.8m Tele: approx. 0.35-3.5m

#### Video\*\*

- Resolution: 640 × 480 pixels, 320 x 240
- Editing function: Save as photo, sequence or scene splicing
- Video recording is MPEG-4 compatible, memory-saving DivX® format so large video files can become saved with good quality
- Movie "Shake Reduction" for blur-free video clips
- Frame rate: 30 fps

## **Power requirements**

- Rechargeable Li-Ion battery D-LI68
- Battery capacity: approx. 270 pictures\*
  - approx. 270 min. playback
- AC mains adapter (optionally available)

#### Interface

- AV (compatible with NTSC and PAL)
- USB connection (high speed)
- AC mains connection

#### **Drive modes**

- Single, multiple exposure, continuous, Self-timer (2 or 10 sec.) Remote Control (0 or 3 sec.)
- White balance: Automatic or manual, Daylight, Tungsten, Cloudy, Neon

# **Playback Functions**

• 5 digital filters, 13 colour filters, frame function, slide show, picture area dimension change, cropping, image and sound copying, image rotation

# **Special functions**

- World time for 75 cities, 28 time zones
- Menu languages: English, Czech, Danish, Dutch, Finnish, French, German, Hungarian, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Swedish, Spanish, Turkish, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Thai
- "Intelligent Zoom shot" for images with a less than the maximum resolution (12.0 megapixels): the camera uses the unused pixels for an increased zoom range
- Digital Shake Reduction and Face Recognition function (Face Recognition AF&AE) in all modes
- Portrait recognition with Face Selector: fully automatic focusing and exposure - automatic object recognition within the autofocus frame
- 18 different Picture Modes

# **Print functions**

• PictBridge compatible for single print, print all and DPOF Print, PRINT Image Matching III

### System requirements

- PC: Windows 2000 and XP Home Edition/Professional (compatible with Windows Vista)
  - CPU: Pentium III 500MHz or newer
- RAM: minimum 128MB
- Available hard drive capacity: minimum 50MB
- Mac: OS 9.2 (with latest version CarbonLib) or higher with QuickTime 6.0
- CPU: POWER Macintosh Processor with minimum 266MHz RAM: minimum 8MB
- Available hard drive capacity 6MB

# Software

- ACDSee for PENTAX, with image data bank, Stitcher and image editing programme
- \* Recording capacity shows approximate number of shots recorded during CIPAcompliant testing. Actual performance may vary according to operating conditions. Tests conducted using the monitor and flash for 50% of shots.
- \*\* Videos cannot be shown on Macintosh computers.

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