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Model: 8309288

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the safe and effective use of your Kodak KB10 35MM Camera. Please read this manual thoroughly before operating the camera and retain it for future reference.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Camera Components

The Kodak KB10 is a simple 35mm autoflash camera designed for ease of use. Key components include:

- Lens
- Viewfinder
- Built-in Flash
- Shutter Button
- Film Compartment
- Battery Compartment

Key Features

- **Sharp, clear pictures:** Designed to capture crisp images.
- **Flash every time:** Integrated flash ensures proper exposure in various lighting conditions.
- **Easy-to-use:** Simple operation for casual photography.
- **35mm Autoflash Camera Outfit:** Comes ready for use with 35mm film.



Figure 1: Kodak KB10 35MM Camera in its retail packaging. The packaging highlights the camera's ease of use, consistent flash, and ability to produce sharp, clear pictures. A roll of Kodak Gold Max 400 film is also visible, indicating the type of film compatible with the camera.

SETUP

1. Battery Installation

The Kodak KB10 requires 2 AA batteries for operation, which are included with the camera. Ensure correct polarity when inserting batteries.

1. Locate the battery compartment cover, typically on the bottom or side of the camera.

2. Slide or unlatch the cover to open the compartment.
3. Insert 2 AA batteries, matching the (+) and (-) indicators inside the compartment.
4. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

2. Film Loading

The camera uses 35mm film. Ensure you are in a shaded area or indoors when loading film to prevent exposure.

1. Open the camera back by sliding the latch on the side or bottom.
2. Place the film cartridge into the film chamber on the left side.
3. Pull the film leader across to the take-up spool on the right side, ensuring it catches on the spool's teeth.
4. Close the camera back firmly until it latches.
5. Advance the film by turning the film advance wheel or lever until the film counter shows '1'.

OPERATING THE CAMERA

Taking Pictures

1. Look through the viewfinder to compose your shot.
2. Press the shutter button gently but firmly to take the picture. The built-in flash will fire automatically if lighting conditions require it.
3. Advance the film after each shot to prepare for the next picture.

Using the Flash

The Kodak KB10 features an automatic flash that activates in low-light conditions. There is no manual control for the flash.

- Ensure batteries are installed correctly for flash operation.
- Allow a few seconds for the flash to charge before taking a picture in dim light.
- Avoid blocking the flash with your fingers or other objects.

Unloading Film

1. Once all exposures are used (film counter reaches its maximum), rewind the film back into its cartridge.
2. Locate the film rewind button/lever, usually on the bottom or top of the camera.
3. Press the rewind button and turn the rewind crank (if present) or lever until you feel the film detach from the take-up spool.
4. Open the camera back and remove the film cartridge.
5. Take the exposed film to a photo lab for development.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning the Camera

- Use a soft, lint-free cloth to wipe the camera body.
- For the lens and viewfinder, use a lens cleaning cloth and solution specifically designed for camera optics. Do not use abrasive materials.
- Keep the film compartment free of dust and debris.

Storage

- Store the camera in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- If storing for an extended period, remove the batteries to prevent leakage.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Camera does not power on / Shutter does not fire	Dead or incorrectly inserted batteries.	Replace batteries with fresh AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity.
Flash does not fire	Low batteries; flash not charged.	Replace batteries. Wait a few seconds for the flash to charge.
Film does not advance	Film not properly loaded; film jammed.	Re-load film, ensuring leader is caught by take-up spool. Do not force film advance.
Pictures are blurry	Camera shake; subject too close/far (out of focus range).	Hold camera steady. Ensure subject is within the camera's fixed focus range.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** Kodak KB10 (8309288)
- **Film Format:** 35mm
- **Flash:** Built-in Autoflash
- **Batteries:** 2 AA batteries (included)
- **Exposure Control:** Automatic
- **Dimensions:** Approximately 8 x 6.9 x 2.1 inches
- **Item Weight:** Approximately 0.01 ounces (camera body only)
- **UPC:** 041778309285
- **Included Components:** Camera Body Only

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support regarding your Kodak KB10 35MM Camera, please refer to the documentation provided at the time of purchase or visit the official Kodak website.

You may also find additional resources and contact information by visiting the [KODAK Store on Amazon](#).

A PDF version of the user manual may also be available for download: [User Manual \(PDF\)](#).

