

Canon Sure Shot 130u

Canon Sure Shot 130u 35mm Camera Instruction Manual

Model: Sure Shot 130u

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Canon Sure Shot 130u 35mm camera. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective operation of your camera. Please read it thoroughly before use and keep it for future reference.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Battery Safety:** Use only the specified CR2 3V lithium battery. Ensure correct polarity when inserting. Do not expose batteries to heat, fire, or attempt to disassemble them. Keep batteries out of reach of children.
- **Water Exposure:** This camera is not water-resistant. Avoid exposure to water or high humidity to prevent damage.
- **Handling:** Handle the camera with care. Avoid dropping or subjecting it to strong impacts.
- **Lens Care:** Do not touch the lens directly. Use a soft, clean cloth for cleaning.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that your package contains the following items:

- Canon Sure Shot 130u Camera Body

Note: A 3V lithium battery (CR2) is required for operation and is not included in the package. It must be purchased separately.

4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Canon Sure Shot 130u is a slim, ultra-compact, fully automatic 35mm camera designed for ease of use and high-quality photography. It features a 3.4x zoom lens, a 3-point autofocus system, and a built-in Light Guide zoom

flash with red-eye reduction.



Figure 4.1: Front view of the Canon Sure Shot 130u camera. This image displays the camera's compact design, the Canon zoom lens (38-130mm), the built-in flash, and the viewfinder window.

Key Features:

- 3.4x optical zoom lens (38-130mm)
- High-precision 3-point autofocus system
- Built-in Light Guide zoom flash with red-eye reduction
- Automatic film loading, advancing, and rewinding with mid-roll rewind capability
- Self-timer function
- Durable aluminum body construction

5. SETUP

5.1 Installing the Battery

1. Locate the battery compartment cover on the side or bottom of the camera.
2. Slide or open the cover according to the indicator.
3. Insert one CR2 3V lithium battery, ensuring the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals align correctly with the markings inside the compartment.
4. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

5.2 Loading Film

1. Open the camera back cover by sliding the latch.
2. Place a new 35mm film cartridge into the film chamber.

3. Pull the film leader across to the film take-up spool, ensuring it engages with the sprocket teeth.
4. Close the camera back cover firmly until it clicks. The camera will automatically advance the film to the first frame, and the frame counter will display '1'.

5.3 Powering On/Off

Press the power button, typically located on the top of the camera, to turn the camera on or off. The lens will extend when powered on.

6. OPERATING THE CAMERA

6.1 Taking Pictures

1. Turn on the camera.
2. Look through the viewfinder and frame your subject.
3. Gently press the shutter button halfway down to activate the autofocus system. The focus indicator in the viewfinder will illuminate when focus is achieved.
4. Press the shutter button fully down to take the picture. The camera will automatically advance the film to the next frame.

6.2 Zoom Function

Use the zoom buttons (usually marked 'W' for Wide and 'T' for Telephoto) located near the shutter button to adjust the focal length of the lens. This allows you to zoom in on distant subjects or zoom out for wider shots.

6.3 Flash Modes

The camera features a built-in flash with various modes. Press the flash mode button (refer to camera body for specific icon) to cycle through available modes such as:

- **Auto Flash:** The camera automatically determines if flash is needed.
- **Flash On:** Flash fires for every shot.
- **Flash Off:** Flash is suppressed.
- **Red-Eye Reduction:** Fires a pre-flash to reduce red-eye effect.

6.4 Self-Timer

To use the self-timer, press the self-timer button (usually indicated by a clock icon). The camera will typically provide a 10-second delay before taking the picture, allowing the photographer to be included in the shot.

6.5 Rewinding Film

When the film roll is complete, the camera will automatically rewind the film back into the cartridge. You can also manually rewind the film mid-roll by pressing the dedicated mid-roll rewind button (consult your camera for its exact location, often a small recessed button requiring a pen tip).



Figure 6.1: Back view of the Canon Sure Shot 130u camera. This image shows the film compartment door, the film advance/rewind mechanism, and other rear controls.

7. MAINTENANCE

7.1 Cleaning the Camera

- **Body:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the camera body. For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water.
- **Lens:** Use a lens brush or a blower to remove dust. For smudges, use a specialized lens cleaning cloth and lens cleaning fluid. Do not use abrasive materials.
- **Viewfinder:** Gently wipe with a soft, lint-free cloth.

7.2 Storage

When not in use, store the camera in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Remove the battery if the camera will not be used for an extended period to prevent leakage.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Camera does not power on:** Check if the battery is inserted correctly and fully charged. Replace the battery if necessary.
- **Film does not load:** Ensure the film leader is properly engaged with the take-up spool. Close the camera back firmly.
- **Pictures are blurry:** Ensure the autofocus indicator confirms focus before fully pressing the shutter. Hold the camera steady during exposure.
- **Red-eye in photos:** Use the red-eye reduction flash mode.
- **Flash does not fire:** Check the flash mode setting. Ensure the battery has sufficient power.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Model Name	Sure Shot 130u
Brand	Canon
Lens Type	Zoom Lens (38-130mm)
Optical Zoom	3.4x
Autofocus System	3-Point Autofocus
Flash	Built-in Light Guide Zoom Flash with Red-Eye Reduction
Film Type	35mm
Power Source	One CR2 3V Lithium Battery (not included)
Film Handling	Automatic Loading, Advancing, Rewinding (with mid-roll option)
Self-Timer	Yes
Body Material	Aluminum
Item Weight	7.68 ounces

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

10.1 Warranty Information

This Canon product is covered by a **1-year parts and labor warranty** from the date of purchase. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. The warranty covers manufacturing defects but does not cover damage caused by misuse, accidents, or unauthorized repairs.

10.2 Customer Support

For further assistance, technical support, or service inquiries, please visit the official Canon website or contact Canon customer service. You can find more information and resources by visiting the [Canon Store](#).