

KODAK AZ252

Kodak PIXPRO Astro Zoom AZ252 Digital Camera Instruction Manual

Model: AZ252

1. INTRODUCTION

The Kodak PIXPRO Astro Zoom AZ252 is a versatile digital camera designed for ease of use and powerful imaging capabilities. Featuring 16 megapixels, a 25x optical zoom lens, and a 3-inch LCD screen, it is ideal for capturing a wide range of photos and 720p HD videos. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your camera.



Figure 1.1: Front view of the Kodak PIXPRO Astro Zoom AZ252 Digital Camera.

2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Your Kodak PIXPRO Astro Zoom AZ252 package includes the following items:

- KODAK PIXPRO AZ252 Digital Camera
- AA Battery (4)
- USB Cable
- Neck Strap
- Lens Cover
- Quick Start Guide
- Warranty Card
- Service Card



Video 2.1: Unboxing the Kodak PIXPRO AZ252 Digital Camera. This video demonstrates the contents of the camera package and initial setup steps.

3. SETUP

3.1 Battery and SD Card Installation

The AZ252 camera uses four AA batteries and a standard SD/SDHC memory card (Class 4 or higher, up to 32GB). Ensure batteries are inserted correctly and the SD card is properly seated before use.

1. Open the battery/SD card compartment cover located on the bottom of the camera.
2. Insert four AA batteries, matching the polarity indicators inside the compartment.
3. Insert a compatible SD/SDHC card into the card slot until it clicks into place.
4. Close the compartment cover securely.

Note: The AZ252 is not compatible with Micro SD, micro/adaptor, Ultra, Ultra plus, Extreme, Extreme Plus, Extreme Pro, or SDXC cards.

3.2 Attaching the Neck Strap and Lens Cover

Attach the provided neck strap to the camera's strap lugs for secure handling. The lens cover protects the lens when not in use; attach its cord to prevent loss.

4. OPERATING THE CAMERA

4.1 Powering On/Off

To power on the camera, slide the ON/OFF switch. The lens will extend, and the LCD screen will activate. To power off, slide the switch again; the lens will retract.

4.2 Basic Photography

The AZ252 features a 16-megapixel sensor and 25x optical zoom, allowing for detailed images from various distances.

- **Taking a Photo:** Press the shutter button halfway to focus, then press fully to capture the image.
- **Zoom:** Use the zoom lever around the shutter button to adjust the 25x optical zoom.
- **Flash:** To activate the built-in flash, press the flash button on the side of the camera. You can select

flash modes (e.g., Force Flash) via the menu.

- **Wide-Angle Lens:** The 24mm wide-angle lens is excellent for capturing landscapes or group shots.



Figure 4.1: The AZ252 features 16 Megapixels for high-resolution images and HD video recording.



25X OPTICAL ZOOM

Figure 4.2: The camera's 25x optical zoom allows for detailed distant shots.



Figure 4.3: The 24mm wide-angle lens captures broad scenes effectively.

4.3 Video Recording

Record 720p HD videos with a dedicated one-touch record button. Optical Image Stabilization (OIS) helps reduce blur from camera shake during recording.

4.4 Viewing and Playback

View your captured photos and videos on the 3-inch LCD screen. Use the playback button to access your media library.



LCD SCREEN 3"

Figure 4.4: The 3-inch LCD screen for viewing and navigating camera functions.



Video 4.5: A brief overview of the Kodak PIXPRO AZ252 Digital Camera's features and controls.

5. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the camera body. For the lens and LCD screen, use a specialized lens cleaning cloth and solution.
- **Battery Care:** Remove batteries if the camera will not be used for an extended period. Store batteries in a cool, dry place.
- **Storage:** Store the camera in a dry, dust-free environment, ideally in a camera bag to protect it from impacts.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your camera, consider the following common solutions:

- **Camera not powering on:** Check if the batteries are inserted correctly and fully charged. Replace with new batteries if necessary.

- **Image blur:** Ensure Optical Image Stabilization (OIS) is active. Hold the camera steady or use a tripod. Check lighting conditions.
- **SD Card Error:** Ensure the SD card is compatible (standard SD/SDHC, Class 4 or higher, up to 32GB) and properly inserted. Format the card if issues persist (this will erase all data).
- **Flash not firing:** Check flash settings in the menu to ensure it's not set to "Off" or "Auto" in bright conditions.




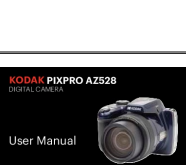
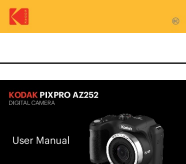

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	KODAK
Model Name	Kodak PIXPRO AZ252
Photo Sensor Resolution	16 MP
Optical Zoom	25 x
Digital Zoom	4 x
Screen Size	3 Inches
Display Type	LCD
Video Resolution	HD 720p
Image Stabilization	Optical
Minimum Focal Length	24 Millimeters
Supported File Format	JPEG
Memory Storage Capacity	32 GB (SD/SDHC)
Power Source	AA Battery (4)
Item Weight	0.8 Pounds
Color	White

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The Kodak PIXPRO AZ252 Digital Camera comes with a **1-year manufacturer warranty**. For any product-related inquiries, technical support, or warranty claims, please contact the manufacturer, JK Imaging Ltd. Refer to the provided Service Card and Warranty Card in your product box for detailed contact information.

Manufacturer: JK Imaging Ltd

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	<p>Manuel d'utilisation Kodak PIXPRO AZ252 : Guide complet pour votre appareil photo numérique</p> <p>Découvrez le Kodak PIXPRO AZ252 avec ce manuel d'utilisation détaillé. Apprenez à utiliser toutes les fonctionnalités de votre appareil photo numérique, des bases aux réglages avancés, pour capturer des moments inoubliables.</p>
	<p>KODAK PIXPRO AZ528 Digital Camera User Manual</p> <p>User manual for the KODAK PIXPRO AZ528 Astro Zoom digital camera, covering setup, basic operations, safety guidelines, and regulatory information.</p>
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