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Model: 26522

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and effective use of your Nikon COOLPIX P1000 Superzoom Digital Camera. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the camera and keep it accessible for future reference. The Nikon COOLPIX P1000 is a digital camera featuring a 125x optical zoom lens, a 16 MP sensor, 4K Ultra HD video recording capabilities, Wi-Fi connectivity, support for RAW image format, and a rotating LCD screen. It is designed for users seeking extensive zoom capabilities for various photographic subjects.



Figure 1: Front view of the Nikon COOLPIX P1000 Superzoom Digital Camera. This image displays the camera's large lens, integrated flash, and ergonomic grip, highlighting its robust design.

SETUP

Unboxing and Initial Inspection

Upon opening the package, verify that all components are present and undamaged. The standard package contents include:

- P1000 camera body
- EN-EL20a Rechargeable Li-ion Battery
- EH-73P Charging AC Adapter
- UC-E21 USB Cable
- AN-DC3 Strap

- LC-77 77mm Snap-On Lens Cap
- HB-CP1 Lens Hood

Battery Installation and Charging

1. Open the battery chamber cover located at the bottom of the camera.
2. Insert the EN-EL20a battery with the contacts facing the correct direction, as indicated inside the chamber.
3. Close the battery chamber cover securely.
4. Connect the EH-73P Charging AC Adapter to the camera via the UC-E21 USB Cable. Plug the adapter into a power outlet. The charging indicator will illuminate.
5. Allow the battery to charge completely before first use. The indicator will turn off when charging is complete.

Attaching the Strap and Lens Cap/Hood

- Thread the AN-DC3 strap through the strap eyelets on the camera body and secure it according to the diagrams in the quick start guide.
- Attach the LC-77 lens cap to the front of the lens when the camera is not in use to protect the lens surface.
- For improved image quality and to reduce lens flare, attach the HB-CP1 lens hood by aligning it with the lens mount and twisting until it locks into place.

OPERATING THE CAMERA

Powering On/Off and Basic Controls

To power on the camera, press the power button located on the top panel. To power off, press the button again. The camera features a 3.2-inch vari-angle TFT LCD monitor and an electronic viewfinder (EVF) for composing shots.

- **Shutter Button:** Press halfway to focus, fully to take a picture.
- **Zoom Control:** Use the zoom lever around the shutter button to adjust the 125x optical zoom (equivalent to 24-3000mm).
- **Mode Dial:** Select shooting modes such as Programmed auto (P), Shutter-priority auto (S), Aperture-priority auto (A), Manual (M), and various scene modes.
- **Vari-angle LCD:** Rotate and tilt the LCD screen for flexible shooting angles.
- **Electronic Viewfinder (EVF):** Use the EVF for stable shooting, especially in bright conditions or when using extreme zoom.

Shooting Modes and Settings

The COOLPIX P1000 offers a range of shooting options:

- **Auto Mode:** For simple point-and-shoot operation.
- **P/S/A/M Modes:** Provide greater control over exposure settings.
 - *ISO Sensitivity:* Adjustable from ISO 100 to 6400.
 - *Shutter Speed:* Ranges from 1/4000 to 30 seconds (up to 60 seconds in M mode with ISO 100).
 - *Aperture:* Maximum aperture of 2.8 millimeters.
- **Scene Modes:** Optimized settings for specific situations (e.g., Moon, Bird-watching).
- **RAW (NRW) Format:** Capture images in RAW format for maximum post-processing flexibility.
- **Continuous Shooting:** Up to 7 shots at approximately 7 frames per second.

Video Recording

The camera supports 4K Ultra HD video recording with stereo sound. To start recording, press the dedicated movie-record button. The camera also features an accessory hot shoe for external microphones or other accessories.

- **4K UHD Video:** Record high-resolution video at 3840 x 2160 pixels.
- **Time-Lapse and Superlapse:** Create dynamic video sequences.
- **HDMI Out:** Connect to an external display for playback.

MAINTENANCE AND CARE

Cleaning the Camera

- **Camera Body:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the camera body. For stubborn dirt, lightly dampen the cloth with water or a mild cleaning solution.
- **Lens:** Use a lens brush to remove dust, then gently wipe with a lens cleaning cloth and lens cleaning solution. Avoid touching the lens surface with your fingers.
- **LCD Monitor:** Wipe gently with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid applying pressure.

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.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Camera does not power on.	Battery is depleted or incorrectly inserted.	Charge the battery fully or re-insert it correctly.
Images are blurry.	Camera shake, incorrect focus, or low light.	Ensure stable grip, use a tripod, check focus settings, or increase ISO/use flash in low light. Utilize the Dual Detect Image Stabilization.
Zoom is not responsive.	Lens cap is on, or zoom mechanism is obstructed.	Remove lens cap. Check for obstructions around the lens barrel.
Wi-Fi connection issues.	Incorrect settings or interference.	Verify Wi-Fi settings on camera and smart device. Move closer to the access point.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	26522
Optical Zoom	125x
Maximum Focal Length	3000mm (35mm equivalent)
Image Stabilization	Hybrid (Lens shift VR and Electronic VR for movies)
Photo Sensor Technology	CMOS

Feature	Detail
Supported File Format	RAW (NRW)
Video Resolution	4K Ultra HD
ISO Sensitivity	100-1600 (expandable to 3200, 6400 in P, S, A, M, or movie manual mode)
Shutter Speed	1/4000 - 30 sec (up to 60 sec in M mode at ISO 100)
Viewfinder	Electronic viewfinder, 1 cm (0.39 inches) approx. 2359k-dot equivalent OLED
Monitor	3.2 inches diagonal, vari-angle TFT LCD
Product Dimensions	5.76 x 7.14 x 4.68 inches
Item Weight	3.12 pounds
Batteries	1 Lithium Ion battery (included)
Connectivity	Wi-Fi

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your product or visit the official Nikon website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.
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