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Polaroid Now+ Instant Film Camera (Model 9061) Instruction Manual

This manual provides instructions for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your Polaroid Now+ Instant Film Camera.

OVERVIEW

The Polaroid Now+ is an analog instant camera designed for creative photography. It features Bluetooth connectivity to the Polaroid mobile app, offering advanced creative tools and controls. The camera uses I-Type and 600 film and includes a bonus lens filter set.

Key Features:

- Bluetooth connectivity for app control (full manual control, double exposure, light painting, noise trigger).
- Bonus lens filter kit (5 filters: Starburst, Red Vignette, Orange, Yellow, Blue).
- Dual lens autofocus system (Close-Up & Standard).
- Tripod mount.
- Micro USB rechargeable battery.
- Accurate Flash.
- Compatible with I-Type and 600 films.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- Polaroid Now+ Camera
- Lens Filter Set (5 filters)
- Micro USB Charging Cable
- Neck Strap

SETUP

1. Charging the Camera

Before first use, fully charge your Polaroid Now+ camera. Connect the provided Micro USB cable to the charging port on the side of the camera and to a USB power source. The LED indicator will show charging status.



Image: Side view of the Polaroid Now+ camera, highlighting the Micro USB charging port.

2. Loading Film

The Polaroid Now+ uses I-Type and 600 instant film. To load film, press the button on the side of the camera to open the film door. Insert a new film pack into the compartment, ensuring the darkslide faces up. Close the film door. The darkslide will eject automatically.



Image: Front view of the Polaroid Now+ camera, showing the film ejection slot at the bottom.

3. Powering On/Off

To power on the camera, press and hold the power button located on the back until the indicator lights illuminate. To power off, press and hold the power button again.



Image: Back view of the Polaroid Now+ camera, indicating the power button and LED film counter.

OPERATING THE CAMERA

Basic Functions

Shutter Button

Press the red shutter button on the front of the camera to take a picture.

Flash Control

The flash can be toggled on or off using the flash button on the back of the camera. For optimal results in low light, ensure the flash is active.

Film Counter

The LED display on the back of the camera indicates the number of photos remaining in the film pack.

Self-Timer

Activate the self-timer function via the Polaroid mobile app for delayed shots.

Connecting to the Polaroid App

The Polaroid Now+ connects to the Polaroid mobile app via Bluetooth, unlocking additional creative modes and manual controls. Download the Polaroid App from your device's app store.

Ensure Bluetooth is enabled on your mobile device. Open the Polaroid App and follow the on-screen instructions to pair your camera.

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Video: Learn how to connect your Polaroid Now+ camera to the mobile app and explore its creative features.

App-Controlled Creative Modes

Aperture Priority Mode

This mode allows you to control the depth of field in your photos. A lower f-stop creates a blurry background

(sharp portrait), while a higher f-stop keeps more of the composition in focus. The app will adjust exposure time based on your aperture selection.

Double Exposure Mode

Capture two images on a single frame for artistic effects. The app guides you through taking two separate exposures that are then combined into one photo. For best results, ensure one exposure has contrast or shadows, and the second is bright to maintain balance.

Light Painting Mode

Use a light source to "paint" patterns or drawings during a long exposure. Mount your camera on a tripod in a dark environment, select Light Painting in the app, and use a light source (like your phone's flashlight) to create your desired effect.

Tripod Mode

Ideal for low-light conditions, this mode allows for longer exposure times to capture more detail. Use a tripod to stabilize the camera, select Tripod Mode in the app, and the app will calculate the optimal exposure time.

Manual Mode

For advanced users, Manual Mode provides full control over aperture, shutter speed, and flash power. Adjust these settings directly within the app to achieve precise photographic results.

Saving Shortcuts

Save your favorite app modes as shortcuts directly to your camera. This allows quick access to your preferred settings without needing to navigate the app every time.

LENS FILTER SET

Your Polaroid Now+ camera comes with a bonus set of 5 creative lens filters: Starburst, Red Vignette, Orange, Yellow, and Blue. These filters can be easily attached to the camera lens to add unique effects to your photos.

Attaching Filters

To attach a color filter, simply press it over the camera lens. For the Starburst and Red Vignette filters, align the small notch on the filter with the light meter at the bottom of the lens, then gently press until it clicks into place.



Image: A set of five colorful lens filters, including Starburst, Red Vignette, Orange, Yellow, and Blue, for creative photography.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning the Lens and Rollers

Regularly clean the camera lens with a soft, lint-free cloth. If film ejection issues occur, gently clean the film rollers inside the film compartment with a damp cloth.

Battery Care

To prolong battery life, avoid fully discharging the camera frequently. Store the camera in a cool, dry place when not in use.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Film Not Ejecting

Ensure the film pack is correctly inserted and not expired. Check for any obstructions in the film slot. If the issue persists, try cleaning the film rollers.

Poor Photo Quality

Verify lighting conditions are appropriate for the chosen mode (flash on for low light, app settings adjusted for specific effects). Ensure the lens is clean. For app-controlled modes, check settings like aperture and exposure.

Camera Not Powering On

Confirm the battery is charged. Connect the camera to a power source and attempt to power on after a few minutes.

SPECIFICATIONS

- Product Dimensions: 3.94 x 4.96 x 6.14 inches
- Item Weight: 1.08 pounds (490 Grams)
- Item Model Number: 9061
- Batteries: 1 Lithium Ion battery (included)
- Brand: Polaroid
- Special Feature: Tripod Mountable
- Film Format Type: Instant (I-Type and 600 film compatible)
- Model Name: Now+
- Included Components: Camera Body, Lens Filter Set, Micro USB Charging Cable, Neck Strap

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Polaroid website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.