PATONA 4194

PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 User Manual

Model: 4194

1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your action camera. Please read it carefully before use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of your device.

2. Package Contents

Verify that all items listed below are included in your package:

- 1 x PATONA Platinum Action Cam Life SL4
- 1 x Waterproof housing
- 1 x USB-C to USB-C cable
- 2 x PATONA Platinum Li-ion batteries
- 1 x Dual charger
- 1 x 64 GB memory card
- 1 x Clip
- 1 x Remote control with CR2023 battery and strap
- 1 x Helmet mount
- 1 x Quick release buckle with screw
- 1 x Quick release mount
- 1 x Tripod adapter
- 1 x Double-sided adhesive tape
- 2 x Mounts
- 1 x Handlebar and pole mount
- 4 x Fastening straps
- 1 x Cleaning cloth
- QR code for instructions



This image displays the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 alongside its essential accessories. It highlights the inclusion of two high-capacity batteries, a dual charger for efficient power management, and a 64GB microSD card, ensuring you have everything needed to start recording immediately.



A comprehensive display of all accessories that come with the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4. This includes various mounts (helmet, quick release, handlebar), fastening straps, USB-C cable, cleaning cloth, and the remote control, providing extensive options for different usage scenarios.

3. Setup

3.1. Battery Installation and Charging

1. Open the battery compartment cover on the bottom of the camera.
2. Insert the PATONA Li-ion battery with the contacts facing inward.
3. Close the battery compartment cover securely.
4. To charge, insert the battery into the dual charger or connect the camera directly via the USB-C cable to a power source. The charging indicator will show the charging status.

3.2. Memory Card Installation

1. Locate the microSD card slot on the side of the camera.
2. Insert the 64GB microSD card (or another compatible card, Class 10 or higher recommended) into the slot until it clicks into place. Ensure the correct orientation.

3. To remove, gently push the card inward until it springs out.

3.3. Waterproof Housing Usage

The camera is waterproof up to 30 meters when used with the included waterproof housing.

1. Ensure the camera is dry and clean before placing it into the housing.
2. Open the latch on the waterproof housing and carefully insert the camera.
3. Close the latch firmly to ensure a watertight seal.
4. Before first use underwater, test the housing without the camera to ensure no leaks.



The image features the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 encased in its protective waterproof housing, capturing an underwater scene with a snorkeler. This visually confirms the camera's capability to operate reliably at depths of up to 30 meters, making it suitable for various water sports and activities.



A detailed view of the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4, showing it perfectly fitted inside its robust, transparent waterproof housing. This housing is essential for protecting the camera during underwater use or in harsh environments.

3.4. Remote Control Pairing

The remote control allows for convenient operation from a distance.

1. Ensure the remote control has a working CR2023 battery installed.
2. Turn on the Action Cam.
3. Access the camera's settings menu to find the remote control pairing option (refer to the on-screen QR code instructions for detailed steps).
4. Follow the on-screen prompts to pair the remote control with your camera.

4. Operating the Camera

4.1. Basic Controls

- **Power Button:** Press and hold to turn the camera ON/OFF. Short press to switch modes (Video, Photo, Playback).
- **Shutter/Record Button:** Press to start/stop video recording or take a photo.

- **Up/Down Buttons:** Navigate menus or zoom in/out (if applicable in current mode).



This image presents the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 from both front and side perspectives, clearly showing its innovative dual-screen feature. The front screen is ideal for vlogging and selfies, while the rear screen provides a larger display for general operation and playback.



An angled shot of the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4, offering a clear view of the camera's top and side. This perspective highlights the accessible control buttons, including the mode and power buttons, designed for intuitive operation.



This image provides another angled view of the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4, focusing on the side where connectivity ports, such as the USB-C port and microSD card slot, are located. These ports are crucial for charging, data transfer, and memory expansion.

4.2. Video Recording

The PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 supports high-resolution video recording up to 5K at 120 frames per second (fps).

1. Turn on the camera and switch to Video mode.
2. Press the Shutter/Record button to begin recording. A red indicator light will typically flash.
3. Press the Shutter/Record button again to stop recording.
4. Adjust video resolution and frame rate in the camera settings.

4.3. Photo Capture

Capture high-quality still images with up to 64 MP resolution.

1. Turn on the camera and switch to Photo mode.
2. Frame your shot using the dual screens.
3. Press the Shutter/Record button to take a photo.

4.4. Dual Screen Functionality

The camera features dual screens for enhanced usability:

- **Front Screen:** Ideal for vlogging, selfies, and framing shots when the camera is facing you.
- **Rear Screen:** Provides a larger display for general operation, menu navigation, and playback.

4.5. Wi-Fi Connectivity

Connect your Action Cam to a smartphone or tablet via Wi-Fi for remote control, live preview, and file transfer.

1. Enable Wi-Fi in the camera's settings.
2. Download the dedicated PATONA app on your mobile device.
3. Connect your mobile device to the camera's Wi-Fi network (SSID and password will be displayed on the camera screen).
4. Use the app to control the camera and manage content.



This visual demonstrates the versatility of the PATONA Action Cam Life SL4 across different activities such as skiing, kayaking, and biking. It also highlights core specifications including its 64-megapixel photo resolution, 120-degree wide-angle lens, capability for 5K video recording, and the convenience of remote control operation.

5. Maintenance

5.1. Cleaning

- **Camera Body:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the camera body. For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water.
- **Lens:** Use the included cleaning cloth or a specialized lens cleaning cloth. Avoid touching the lens with your fingers.
- **Waterproof Housing:** After each use in saltwater, rinse the housing with fresh water and let it air dry. Ensure no sand or debris is trapped in the seals.

5.2. Battery Care

- Store batteries in a cool, dry place when not in use.
- Avoid fully discharging batteries frequently to prolong their lifespan.
- Do not expose batteries to extreme temperatures.

5.3. Storage

When storing the camera for extended periods, remove the battery and memory card. Store the camera in a protective case in a cool, dry environment.

6. Troubleshooting

6.1. Camera Not Powering On

- Ensure the battery is fully charged and correctly inserted.
- Try using a different charged battery if available.
- Press and hold the power button for several seconds.

6.2. Recording Issues

- Check if the memory card is inserted correctly and has sufficient free space.
- Ensure the memory card is Class 10 or higher for optimal recording performance.
- Format the memory card (this will erase all data, so back up first).

6.3. Wi-Fi Connection Problems

- Ensure Wi-Fi is enabled on the camera and your mobile device.
- Restart both the camera and your mobile device.
- Ensure you are within the Wi-Fi range of the camera.
- Verify the correct Wi-Fi password if prompted.

7. Specifications

Feature	Specification
Manufacturer	PTS-Trading GmbH
Item Model Number	4194

Product Dimensions	3.18 x 5.92 x 5.16 cm; 116 grams
Brand	PATONA
Photo Sensor Technology	CMOS
Video Capture Resolution	5K
Maximum Focal Length	3.6 Millimeters
Video Capture Format	MP4
Supported Audio Format	AAC, MP3
Screen Size	2 Inches
Connectivity Technology	USB, Wi-Fi
Color	Black
Special Feature	Waterproof with housing
Software Updates Guaranteed Until	unknown

8. Warranty and Support

8.1. Warranty Information

PATONA products are designed for maximum durability and reliable performance. For specific warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact PATONA customer support.

8.2. Customer Support

As a German brand with a physical presence, PATONA offers fast, reliable, and professional support. If you encounter any issues or have questions regarding your PATONA Action Cam Life SL4, please do not hesitate to contact our customer service team. Contact information can typically be found on the PATONA website or through your retailer.

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