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## Introduction

Congratulations are due for picking up one of the more powerful digital cameras currently available. We expect it will give you all the things you hoped for. But before you begin using it, please read through this manual carefully and follow the instructions to avoid any possible damages caused by improper usage.

## Proper Care

This product consists of intricate electrical parts. To use it properly, do not drop or hit the camera when taking pictures.

Avoid using or placing the camera in the following locations:

1. Damp or dusty places.
2. Sealed vehicles or places exposed to direct sunlight or places subject to extremely high temperatures or heat.
3. Environments with lots of turbulence.
4. Locations full of smoke, oil fumes or steam.
5. Locations subject to a strong magnetic field.
6. When it's raining or snowing.

Do not open the battery cover when the power is on.

If water has entered the camera, immediately turn the power OFF and remove the batteries.

7. How to maintain your camera:

1. If the lens, LCD display or the viewfinder surface is dirty, use a lens brush or a soft cloth to wipe the surface clean. Do not touch the lens with your fingers.
2. Do not hit the camera with any solid object to avoid scratching the lens, LCD display or viewfinder surface.
3. Do not use any detergent or volatile solution, which will cause the camera case and paint to dissolve or distort. Use a soft cloth only.

## Batteries

1. Use two "AAA" type batteries only.
2. Do not use different types of batteries together, or mix old and new batteries.

### Caution for battery usage

Please follow these instructions to install the batteries.

1. Check the polarity marks on the battery (+ and -) before loading the batteries in the camera.
2. Turn the camera off before removing the batteries.

3. Do not heat or toss the batteries into a fire.

4. Do not expose the polarities of a battery to moisture.

5. Do not attempt to disassemble or adapt a battery.

6. Do not use a battery if it is distorted, discolored or leaking.

7. Do not place a battery in an environment subject to extremely high temperatures or humidity.

8. Remove the batteries if the camera will not be used for an extended period of time to avoid battery leakage.

9. Low temperatures (below 10C) may reduce the output efficiency of batteries, thereby shortening the operation time of camera.

10. If battery leakage happens, please remove batteries from the compartment and clean the base before loading the new batteries.

11. If you accidentally touch or get leakage stains on clothes, please wash with clean water. If the leakage gets in your eyes, please immediately rinse with fresh water and then consult a physician for treatment as soon as possible.

## Package Contents

Make sure the following items are in the package when you open it up.

Software CD-ROM (incl. Driver and Applications)

Two AAA Batteries

Wrist Strap

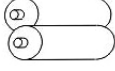
USB Cable

Bag

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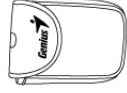
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AAA Battery



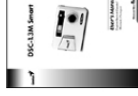
Strap



Bag



USB Cable



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## Device Installation

### 1. Install/Uninstall the DSC-1.3M Smart Software!

Install :

- 1-1. Insert the DSC-1.3M Smart Software CD into the CD-ROM drive of your computer.
- 1-2. Click the **Utility Driver** button and wait a few seconds. Setup will guide you through the software setup sequence automatically. Just follow the on-screen prompts.
- 1-3. Please install DirectX 9 and Aresoft software of the CD-ROM.  
**Note :** If the DSC-1.3M Smart Setup screen does not display automatically,
  1. Go to the Taskbar and click start, then Run.
  2. Type D:\SETUP\EXE, WHERE **D:** is the designation of your CD-ROM drive, then press the Enter key.

Uninstall:

1. Click the **Start** button on Windows Taskbar, and choose **Programs > DSC-1.3M Smart > DSC-1.3M Smart Uninstall**
2. Follow the uninstall steps
3. restart computer

### 2. Connect DSC-1.3M Smart to your Computer

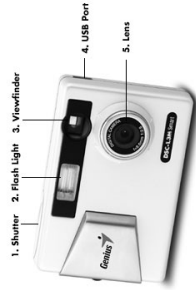
1. When prompted, connect the DSC-1.3M Smart Camera to the USB port of your computer, as shown in the drawing.



USB connector

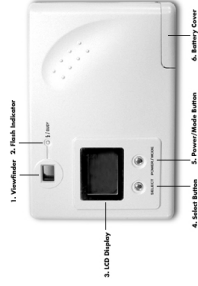
## Getting to Know Your Camera

### Front view



1. Shutter
2. Flash Light
3. Viewfinder
4. USB Port
5. Lens

### Rear View



1. Viewfinder
2. Flash Indicator
3. LCD Display
4. Select Button
5. Power/Mode Button
6. Battery Cover

## Loading the Batteries

1. Turn off the power of the camera.
2. Open the Battery Cover, then insert the batteries as shown on the inside of the cover.
3. Close and lock the battery cover.

**NOTE:** We recommend that you gently open the battery cover to avoid damaging it.

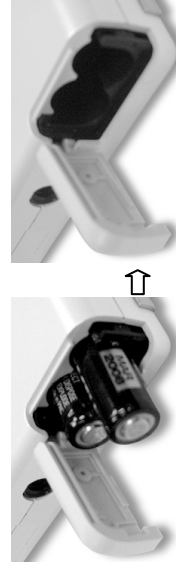
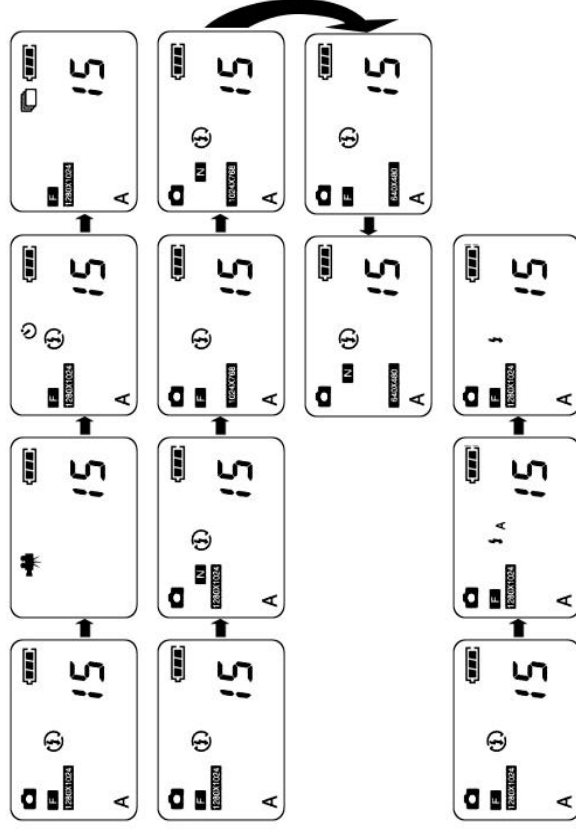
## Button Modes

**Shutter button:** Press this button to take pictures or to capture video.

**Select button:** Press this button to change mode in the required function.

**Power/Mode button:** Press this button to power on your camera or switch to required function. The sequential order of functions is as

follows:



### Auto Power OFF Function

If no operation is carried out for a fixed amount of time (about 30 seconds), the power is turned OFF to prevent battery wear. This is called **Auto Power OFF**.

### Battery Life Indicator

- (1) Full Battery Power
- (2) Low Battery Power

Note: If your battery power is low, you can't use the Flash light any more but you still can use the camera.

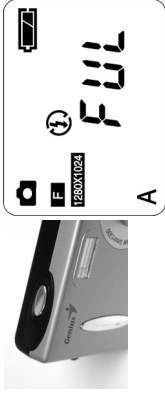
### Basic Operation

Turn on the power of the camera.

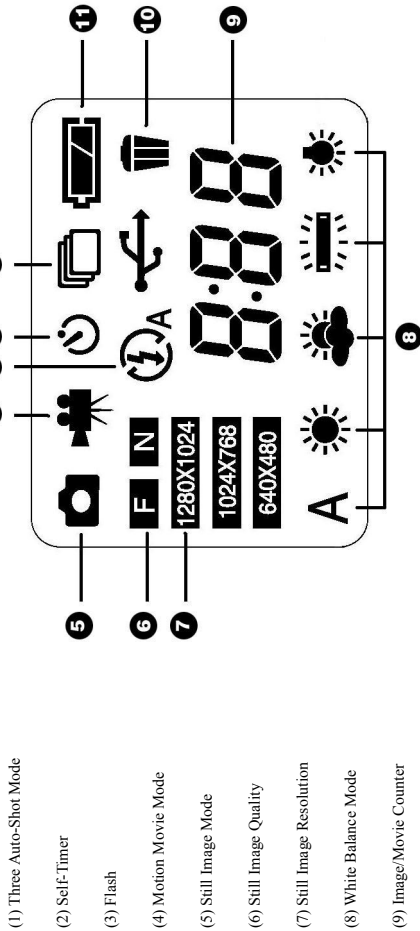
Press and release the **Shutter** button to take a picture.

(At this time, you will hear one beep.)

The LCD will display and add up the number of pictures taken. When the internal memory is full, the camera will beep, then you will see **FULL** appears on the LCD. No photos can be taken after this.



### LCD Description



- (1) Three Auto-Shot Mode
- (2) Self-Timer
- (3) Flash
- (4) Motion Movie Mode
- (5) Still Image Mode
- (6) Still Image Quality
- (7) Still Image Resolution
- (8) White Balance Mode
- (9) Image/Movie Counter
- (10) Delete
- (11) Battery Life Indicator

### Power On/Off

Press the **Power/Mode** Button and hold it for a second. The power is on after you hear beeps.

### Movie recording

- (1) Turn on the power of the camera.
- (2) Press **Mode** button once and you will see this icon flash. Then press **Select** button until the icon of **Capture** appears. Press **Shutter** button to confirm and press it again. The camera will start to record video.
- (3) Press **Shutter** button to stop recording.
- (4) Recorded images will be saved in the camera with the AVI file format. You can use the USB cable to download images to a PC.

### Three Auto Shot

Press the **Mode** button once and the icon flashes. Then press the **Select** button until the icon appears. Press **Shutter** to confirm, then press **Shutter** again, the camera will take a picture three times automatically.

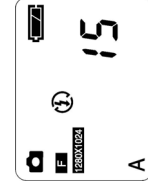
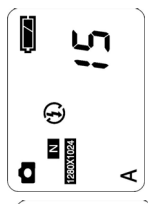
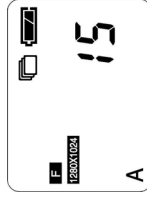
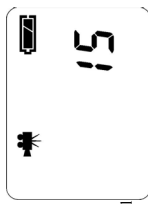
### Image Resolution

Press the **MODE** button twice and you will see the **F** icon flash.

Press the **Select** button to change the **Resolution** mode.


**F(Fine)**: High Quality, default value

**N(Normal)**: Low Quality



## Using the Self-Timer

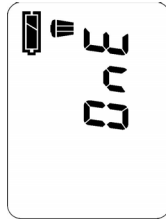


Press the **MODE** button once  and you will see the icon flash. Press the **Select** button until the icon of **Self-Timer** appears, then press **Shutter** to confirm (and you will hear one beep from the camera).

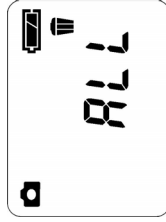
The camera will beep for 10 seconds. After 10 seconds, the camera takes a picture automatically.

## Deleting Images

Delete recorded video or images. Press the **Mode** button four times until the icon of **Delete ONE** appears. Press the **Select** button to switch to Delete ONE or Delete ALL mode. Then press the Shutter button to delete video or images.



Delete the last image.



Delete all images.

## Using the flashlight

Your camera is equipped with a flashlight. It is recommended that you use the flash within the best working range (1.5m-3m).




## Turning on/off the flash light

Press the **MODE** button three times until the icon flashes. Press the **Select** button to switch between flash light modes. Press the **Shutter** button to confirm. If you choose Auto Flash mode or Force Flash mode, you will see the **FLASH indicator** blink. After the **FLASH indicator** stops blinking, your camera has been charged. Now you can use the flashlight.

**Auto Flash Mode:** The camera will detect light automatically. If you are someplace with enough light, the Flashlight won't be enable.

**Force Flash Mode:** The Flashlight will enable no matter where you are.

**Note:** During charging, the **FLASH indicator** blinks. Charging is completed when the FLASH indicator stops blinking. When the icon  blinks, you can't use the flashlight. **Force Flash Mode**

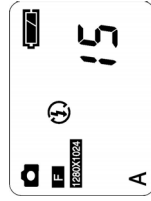
## White Balance Mode

### A

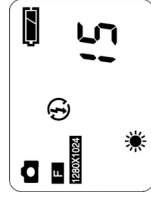


Press the Mode button five times and the icon flashes. Then you can press the Select button to change White Balance Mode.

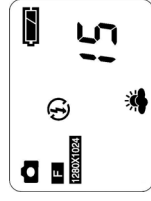
Auto:



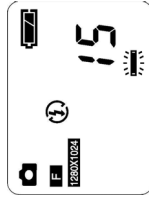
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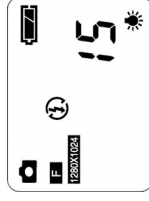
Cloudy:



Fluorescent lamp(Strip lighting):



Tungsten lamp:



## Downloading photos/video from camera

You have two methods to download photos/video from camera.

**One:** Connect the Camera to the USB port of your computer, as shown in the picture. Power on your computer. Click the



USB

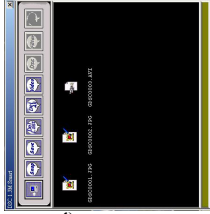
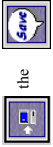
PhotoImpression icon on Windows Desktop, or choose Start > Program Files >

ArcSort PhotoImpression 3.0 > PhotoImpression 3.0. The following **PhotoImpression** main screen will appear.



**Note:** Make sure the **ArcSort PhotoImpression software is installed. If not, please install it first.**

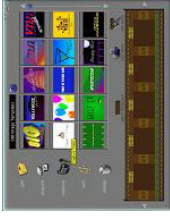
Click **Camera/Scanner** button then click the **Acquire** button . The Twain Interface window will appear. Choose the picture that you have taken on the image list and click the **Transfer** button to transfer the picture from the camera to the application or click the **Save** button to download the picture or video to the computer.



**Second:** Connect the camera to PC and you will see this icon **PC** appear on the LCD display. Press the **Select** button once and you will see the icon **PnP** flash. Now click **Shutter** to confirm. After this, your camera will become a **Mass Storage drive** and you can copy photos/video from the camera to your PC directly.



Click **New** button then the following **Album** screen will appear.



### Using DSC-1.3M Smart as a video camera

Connect the DSC-1.3M Smart Camera to the USB port of your computer, as shown in the picture.



Power on the computer. Click the **Start** button on Windows Taskbar, and choose **Programs > ArcSoft VideoImpression > VideoImpression**.

The following **VideoImpression** main screen will appear.



Click **Capture** button and the **Capture** screen will appear.





Click **Record** button

and you can capture the video.



If you want to stop capturing, Press **ESC** or Click **Pause** button.