

**Pen**

Make Pictures a Part of Your Personal Program—with this famous Olympus Pen

The ONE camera you can **ALWAYS** have with you. Shoot pictures indoors or out, available light or flash, 12' close-up or distant landscape. Use the PEN morning, noon, or night—anywhere, any time.

The Olympus PEN accepts regular 35mm film, takes regular 35mm processing, available everywhere. Use color or black and white, fast film or slow. The PEN is specifically designed to be the **World's Best** photographic instrument in terms of picture quality. The PEN fits comfortably in your hand, pocket or purse....the most convenient camera companion ever.

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**SPECIFICATIONS**

Lens:	D.Zuiko (4 element) F2.5, 28mm focal length
Shutter:	Leaf shutter with Bulb, 1/8, 1/15, 1/30, 1/60, 1/125, 1/250 sec.
Exposure:	Extra Bright Frame G3 magnifying viewfinder
Focusing:	Mechanical focusing with markings at 2 meters, infinity, 1.5m, 1.0m, 0.7m, 0.5m, 0.3m, 1.0m, 1.5, 2, 3, 5, 10 & infinity
Format:	35mm film, 135 cartridge
Speed:	1/1000 second or 1/100 sec. (slowest)
Dimensions:	4.0" x 2.4" x 1.6"
Weight:	2 lbs.

6 feet to infinity! By revolving the focusing ring clockwise, the lens will be focused at about 1 foot. Turn it counter-clockwise until the arrow points to infinity. One more revolution will bring the lens into sharp focus. This unique feature, called the **Parallax Compensation**, prevents double exposures.

Windings:

Front winding lever: For winding the cartridge holder. When the cartridge holder is wound, the exposure counter counts the exposures, prevents double exposures.

Cartridge holder & Rewind Lever:

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Accessory Shoe:

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Carrying Strap Ring:

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**Film Size**

Accepts any regular 35mm film, color or black and white, all ASA speeds. No special film is necessary. The Pen-5 takes the identical film that any 35mm camera takes.

On a regular 35 exposure roll, the Pen-5 gives you 72 exposures.

On a regular 20 exposure roll, the Pen-5 gives you 40 exposures.

The picture size is  $18mm \times 24mm$  (about  $\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$ ). This is exactly  $\frac{3}{4}$  the size of pictures taken with a regular 35mm camera.

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The Olympus Pen-5 possesses a super-sharp, 4-element, 3-component D. Zuiko lens. Because this specially formulated lens makes such sharp images, the Pen-5 negatives may be enlarged up to  $16'' \times 20''$ .

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**Film Loading**

- Flip up the lock at the corner base. Turn it in the direction of the arrow shown below. Then grasp the camera body with the left hand, the cartridge holder with the right hand, and turn the cartridge holder **PULL DOWN** in the direction of the arrow shown in center photo below.
- Slide the end of the new film into the Winding Spool (see Page 25).
- Push the cartridge holder **UP** until it locks. Make sure the cartridge holder fits snugly within the top of the cartridge (see Page 5). Be sure the sprockets on the sprocket spindle engage the film edge.
- Move the film slightly if necessary, then turn the **rewind lever** slightly to take up film slack. Replace the cover and lock it securely.

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**Self-Cocking Shutter**

When the film is completely wound for next picture, two operations take place automatically. The film is moved to the next frame and the shutter is cocked, ready for the next picture. You need only press the shutter release button to make one exposure.

The Film Winding Roller should be rolled off the way until it stops. If not, the shutter will not operate.

Do not wind the film immediately after you have taken a picture. Wait until you are ready for the next picture. Do not wind the film before taking the exposure. This enables the shutter springs to rest and remain accurate indefinitely.

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**To Set the Focusing Ring**

The Focusing Ring is marked clearly with 12 readings, in meters or feet. [1 meter is about equal to 3 feet.] This lens has such a great depth of field that a picture taken at f/2.5 at 2 meters will be sharp from 1.5m to 2.5m (8 feet). To be doubly sure of overall sharpness, set the f-stop to the highest possible number. Wherever possible use f/2.2. If you need more light, use f/16, and the f/11, etc. Try to use the highest f-number possible.

As a guide to focusing remember that:

- when your arm is stretched all the way out, it is about 2.5m (8 feet) away.
- a half person is about 2m or 6 feet high.
- a child of 3 years old is about 1m or 3 feet high.
- a large American car is about 6.5m or 19 feet long.
- a small compact car about 4.5m or 13 feet long.
- the average living room is about 6.5m or 19 feet from end to end.
- a good-sized step covers about 1m or 3 feet.

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**To Make a Perfect Picture**

- Hold the camera firmly against your face.
- Spread your feet apart so you will not sway back and forth, or side to side.
- Be sure your fingers do not cover the lens, the viewfinder, or the flash sync plug. Be sure your fingers do not move the shutter ring after it is set.
- Hold your breath as you press the shutter release button.
- Use a lens shade if possible.
- Use a lens filter if your lens ultraviolet rays. The filter can be used between pictures to protect the lens glass.

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**To Rewind the Film After the Last Exposure**

Flip up the **rewind lever**. Press down and **HOLD** the **REWIND** button at the base of the camera body directly above the arrow. You will feel a tension, which shows that the film is being rewound into the cartridge holder. As the tension disappears, turn the **rewind crank** clockwise, turn the **rewind crank** until you feel the tension suddenly disappears. Then turn the **rewind crank** one full revolution clockwise. [If you turn the **rewind crank** too quickly in the PEN or in any camera, the friction of the film against the pressure plate will cause tiny bits of dust to settle on the film.]

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**Flash Synchronization**  
 Selection of the shutter speed.  
 The shutter speed can be synchronized at all speeds.  
 To use the Type F Bulb:  
 Set the shutter speed 1/8 to 1/30.  
 To use the Type M Bulb:  
 Set the shutter speed 1/8 to 1/30.  
 Selection of the lens opening:  
 Divide the guide number by distance and this is the lens opening.  
 EXAMPLE: Film Speed : ASA 100  
 Guide Number : 105  
 Distance to subject : 15 feet  
 105 ÷ 15 = 7  
 Set the lens opening at 8 close to 7.

**Advantages of the D. ZUIKO Wide Angle Lens**  
 One of the major reasons for taking pictures is to record life as it exists. The camera lens is like our eyes. We want to put on film what our eyes see. Our eyes look at a newspaper, or a person across a table, or a scene in a movie, and all these things are seen with very clear vision for us to share at the same time—like our eyes see things—it is called great “depth of field”. Our eyes have a great depth of field.  
 But the lenses from most ordinary cameras do NOT have a great depth of field. But the D. ZUIKO lens on the Olympus PEN has one of the greatest depths of fields in existence. To prove this, make a photograph of a near object, a middle object and a far-away object in the same frame. You will find the PEN will get them ALL sharp at the same time. JUST AS OUR EYES WOULD SEE IT!  
 (To be doubly sure, use the highest numbered f-stop whenever possible.)

**Average Exposure Table**

Average Subject 10 AM to 2 PM	Open Scene	Outdoor Portrait	Portrait Shadow	Street Scene	Close Up	Beach Portrait	Ocean & Snow
Spring & Autumn	f/16 1/250	f/11 1/250	f/8-11 1/250	f/11 1/250	f/11 1/250	f/11 1/250	f/16 1/250
Summer	f/16 1/250	f/8-11 1/250	f/12 1/250	f/14 1/250	f/12 1/250	f/12 1/250	f/16 1/250
Winter	f/16 1/250	f/8-11 1/250	f/8-11 1/250	f/10 1/250	f/8 1/250	f/11 1/250	f/16 1/250

Above exposure suggestions are for film with ASA speed of 100. If using film with ASA speed of 50, give twice the exposure (instead of using 1/25th second shutter speed, use 1/60th second). If film used has ASA speed of 200, give half the suggested exposure.

**DEPTH OF FIELD TABLE FOR OLYMPUS PEN-S (D Zuike F3.5 f=28mm)**

Distance feet	2	3.3	5	7	10	13	20
Opening Stop	f/2.8	f/3.3	f/4	f/5	f/6.7	f/8	f/11
1.5	1.88	3.01	4.01	5.02	6.01	6.91	10.81
4	1.87	2.56	2.87	3.06	3.27	3.47	5.07
5.6	1.74	2.38	2.81	3.21	3.61	3.91	5.24
8	1.63	2.01	2.35	2.66	3.01	3.31	4.41
11	1.52	1.89	2.16	2.49	2.81	3.09	3.97
16	1.41	1.80	2.02	2.32	2.64	2.91	3.68
22	1.37	1.76	1.91	2.14	2.41	2.67	3.39

**DEPTH OF FIELD TABLE FOR OLYMPUS PEN-S (D Zuike F3.5 f=28mm)**

Distance feet	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.8	3.3	4.0	5.0	6.7	8.0
Opening Stop	f/2.8	f/3.3	f/4	f/5	f/6.7	f/8	f/11	f/16	f/22	f/30	f/44	f/62
3.3	0.67	0.89	1.07	1.21	1.39	1.58	1.88	2.30	3.11	4.35	6.57	9.89
4	0.64	0.87	1.01	1.16	1.31	1.47	1.77	2.17	3.01	4.26	6.46	9.68
5.6	0.59	0.81	0.96	1.12	1.29	1.45	1.75	2.17	3.01	4.26	6.46	9.68
8	0.56	0.78	0.94	1.11	1.28	1.45	1.75	2.17	3.01	4.26	6.46	9.68
11	0.52	0.69	0.85	1.02	1.19	1.36	1.67	2.09	2.93	4.19	6.46	9.68
16	0.49	0.65	0.81	0.98	1.15	1.32	1.63	2.05	2.89	4.15	6.42	9.64
22	0.46	0.61	0.78	0.94	1.11	1.28	1.59	2.01	2.85	4.11	6.38	9.60

**VARIOUS ACCESSORIES**

Pen copy attachment model device  
 Lens shade  
 Filters (22.5mm Screw-in type)  
 Pen slide projector  
 Blower for pen projector  
 Eveready hard case  
 Soft carrying case with wrist strap  
 Auto changer  
 Flash-adapter  
 Pen flash (for AG-1 bulb)  
 Printed in Japan

**INSTRUCTIONS**

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ALTHOUGH THE OLYMPUS PEN IS AN INEXPENSIVE CAMERA, IT IS IDENTICAL IN MANUFACTURE TO OTHER OLYMPUS CAMERAS. OLYMPUS HAS ONE OF THE WORLD'S MOST RESTRICTED HANDS IN CAMERAS, MICROSCOPES, AND OTHER PHOTO-OPTIC INSTRUMENTS. You have a lifelong companion of your command. Take the PEN with you wherever you go. It will serve you well. Good Luck.

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