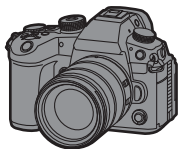


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Operating Instructions <Quick Start Guide>

Digital Camera

Model No. **DC-GH6**



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Please read these instructions carefully before using this product, and save this manual for future use.

More detailed operating instructions are available in “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>” (HTML format/PDF format).

<https://panasonic.jp/support/dsc/oi/GH6/index.html>



Operating Instructions <Quick Start Guide>

Digital Camera

Dear Customer,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for purchasing this Panasonic Digital Camera. Please read this document carefully and keep it handy for future reference. Please note that the actual controls and components, menu items, etc. of your Digital Camera may look somewhat different from those shown in the illustrations in this document.

Carefully observe copyright laws.

Recording of pre-recorded tapes or discs or other published or broadcast material for purposes other than your own private use may infringe copyright laws. Even for the purpose of private use, recording of certain material may be restricted.

About Operating Instructions

❖ Operating Instructions <Quick Start Guide> (This Document)

Explains the preparation before recording.



❖ Operating Instructions <Complete Guide> (HTML Format/PDF Format)

Explains all functions and operation methods in detail.
This can be viewed with a PC or smartphone.






<https://panasonic.jp/support/dsc/oi/GH6/index.html>



❖ Symbols Used in This Document

In this document, camera operation is explained using the following symbols.

	[MENU/SET] button
	Press the center of the joystick
	Cursor button up/down/left/right or Joystick up/down/left/right

- Images and illustrations used in this document are for explaining the functions.
- Description in this document is based on the interchangeable lens (H-ES12060).

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Information for Your Safety

WARNING:

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock or product damage,

- Do not expose this unit to rain, moisture, dripping or splashing.
- Use the recommended accessories.
- Do not remove covers.
- Do not repair this unit by yourself. Refer servicing to qualified service personnel.

The socket outlet shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.

■ Product identification marking

Product	Location
Digital camera	Bottom
Battery charger	Bottom

■ About the battery pack

CAUTION

- Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the type recommended by the manufacturer.
- When disposing of the batteries, please contact your local authorities or dealer and ask for the correct method of disposal.

- Do not heat or expose to flame.
- Do not leave the battery(ies) in a car exposed to direct sunlight for a long period of time with doors and windows closed.
- Do not expose to low air pressure at high altitudes.
- Do not expose to extremely low air pressure, as this may result in explosions or leakage of flammable liquids and gases.

Warning

Risk of fire, explosion and burns. Do not disassemble, heat above 60 °C or incinerate.

■ About the AC adaptor (supplied)

CAUTION!

To reduce the risk of fire, electric shock or product damage,

- **Do not install or place this unit in a bookcase, built-in cabinet or in another confined space. Ensure this unit is well ventilated.**

- The AC adaptor is in the standby condition when the mains plug is connected. The primary circuit is always “live” as long as the mains plug is connected to an electrical outlet.

Cautions for Use

- Do not use any other USB connection cables except the one supplied with the camera or the Battery Charger (DMW-BTC15: optional).
- Do not use any other BNC conversion cables (for TC IN/OUT) except the supplied one.
- Always use a genuine Panasonic Shutter Remote Control (DMW-RS2: optional).
- Always use a genuine Panasonic Tripod Grip (DMW-SHGR1: optional).
- Use an Ultra High Speed HDMI cable (Type A–Type A plug, up to 1.5 m (4.9 feet) long).
- Do not use the BNC cables with the length of 2.8 m (9.2 feet) or more.
- Do not use the synchro cables with the length of 3 m (9.8 feet) or more.
- Do not use the headphone cables with the length of 3 m (9.8 feet) or more.
- Do not use the stereo microphone cables with the length of 3 m (9.8 feet) or more.

Keep this unit as far away as possible from electromagnetic equipment (such as microwave ovens, TVs, video games etc.).

- If you use this unit on top of or near a TV, the pictures and/or sound on this unit may be disrupted by electromagnetic wave radiation.
- Do not use this unit near cell phones because doing so may result in noise adversely affecting the pictures and/or sound.
- Recorded data may be damaged, or pictures may be distorted, by strong magnetic fields created by speakers or large motors.
- Electromagnetic wave radiation may adversely affect this unit, disturbing the pictures and/or sound.
- If this unit is adversely affected by electromagnetic equipment and stops functioning properly, turn this unit off and remove the battery or disconnect AC adaptor. Then reinsert the battery or reconnect AC adaptor and turn this unit on.

Do not use this unit near radio transmitters or high-voltage lines.

- If you record near radio transmitters or high-voltage lines, the recorded pictures and/or sound may be adversely affected.
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- **Before cleaning the camera, remove the battery or the DC Coupler (DMW-DCC17: optional), or disconnect the power plug from the electrical outlet.**
 - **Do not press the monitor with excessive force.**
 - **Do not press the lens with excessive force.**
 - **Do not spray the camera with insecticides or volatile chemicals.**
 - **Do not keep products made of rubber, PVC or similar materials in contact with the camera for a long period of time.**
 - **Do not use solvents such as benzine, thinner, alcohol, kitchen detergents, etc., to clean the camera, since it may deteriorate the external case or the coating may peel off.**
 - **Do not leave the camera with the lens facing the sun, as rays of light from the sun may cause it to malfunction.**
 - **Always use the supplied cords and cables.**
 - **Do not extend the cords or the cables.**
 - **During access (image writing, reading and deleting, formatting etc.), do not turn the camera off, remove the battery, card or disconnect the AC adaptor. Do not subject the camera to vibration, impact or static electricity.**
 - The data on the card may be damaged or lost due to electromagnetic waves, static electricity or breakdown of the camera or the card. We recommend storing important data on another device, such as a PC.
 - Do not format the card on your PC or other equipment. Format it on the camera only to ensure proper operation.
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- **The battery is not charged at the time of purchase. Charge the battery before use.**
- **The battery is a rechargeable lithium ion battery. If the temperature is too high or too low, the operating time of the battery will become shorter.**
- The battery becomes warm after use, during charging, and immediately after charging. The camera also becomes warm during use. This is not a malfunction.
- **Do not leave any metal items (such as clips) near the contact areas of the power plug or near the batteries.**
- Store the battery in a cool and dry place with a relatively stable temperature. (Recommended temperature: 15 °C to 25 °C (59 °F to 77 °F); recommended humidity: 40 %RH to 60 %RH)
- **Do not store the battery for a long time while fully charged.** When storing the battery for a long period of time, we recommend charging it once a year. Remove the battery from the camera and store it again after it has completely discharged.

-If you see this symbol-



**Disposal of Old Equipment and Batteries
Only for European Union and countries
with recycle systems**

These symbols are only valid in the European Union and countries with recycle systems. If you wish to discard this product, please contact your local authorities or dealer and ask for the correct method of disposal.

Introduction

Before Use

❖ Firmware of Your Camera/Lens

Firmware updates may be provided in order to improve camera capabilities or to add functionality.

Make sure that the firmware of the camera/lens you purchased is the latest version.

We recommend using the latest firmware version.

- To check the firmware version of the camera/lens, attach the lens to the camera and select [Firmware Version] in the [Setup] ([Others]) menu. You can also update the firmware in [Firmware Version].

- **For the latest information on the firmware or to download/update the firmware, visit the following support site:**
<https://panasonic.jp/support/global/cs/dsc/download/index.html>
(English only)



- This document provides explanations for camera firmware version 1.0.

Refer to "Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>" for the changes after a firmware update. (→ 3)

❖ Handling of the Camera

When using the camera, take care not to drop it, bump it, or apply undue force. These may cause malfunction or damage to the camera and lens.

If sand, dust, or liquid gets on the monitor, wipe it off with a dry soft cloth.

- Touch operations may be incorrectly recognized.

When using in low temperatures (–10 °C to 0 °C (14 °F to 32 °F))

- Before use, attach a Panasonic lens with a minimum recommended operating temperature of –10 °C (14 °F).

Do not place a hand inside the camera mount.

This may cause a failure or damage because the sensor is a precision device.

The sensor can move, making a rattling noise, when the camera is shaken while it is off. This is caused by the image stabilizer mechanism in the body. It is not a malfunction.

❖ Splash Resistant

Splash Resistant is a term used to describe an extra level of protection this camera offers against exposure to a minimal amount of moisture, water or dust. Splash Resistant does not guarantee that damage will not occur if this camera is subjected to direct contact with water.

In order to minimize the possibility of damage please be sure the following precautions are taken:

- Splash Resistant works in conjunction with the lenses that were specifically designed to support this feature.
- Securely close the doors, socket caps, etc.
- When the lens or cap is removed or a door is open, do not allow sand, dust, and moisture to enter inside.
- If liquid gets on the camera, wipe it off with a dry soft cloth.

❖ Condensation (When the Lens, the Viewfinder or Monitor is Fogged Up)

- Condensation occurs when there are temperature or humidity differences. Take care as this may lead to soiling, mold, and malfunctions in the lens, viewfinder, and monitor.
- If condensation occurs, turn off the camera and leave it for approx. 2 hours. The fog will disappear naturally when the temperature of the camera becomes close to the ambient temperature.

❖ Be Sure to Perform Trial Recording in Advance

Perform trial recording in advance of an important event (wedding, etc.) to check that recording can be performed normally.

❖ No Compensation Regarding Recording

Please note that compensation cannot be provided in the event that recording could not be performed due to a problem with the camera or a card.

❖ Be Careful with Regard to Copyrights

Under copyright law, you may not use the images and audio you have recorded for other than personal enjoyment without the permission of the copyright holder. Be careful because there are cases where restrictions apply to recording even for the purpose of personal enjoyment.

❖ Also Refer to the Cautions for Use in the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>”

Standard Accessories

Digital camera body

(This is referred to as **camera** in this document.)



USB connection cable



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Check that all the accessories are supplied before using the camera. (Product numbers correct as of January 2022.)

BNC conversion cable (for TC IN/OUT)

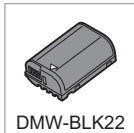


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Battery pack

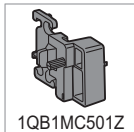
(This is referred to as **battery pack** or **battery** in this document.)

- Charge the battery before use.



DMW-BLK22

Cable holder



1QB1MC501Z

Battery charger

(This is referred to as **battery charger** or **charger** in this document.)



DVLC1005Z

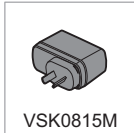
Shoulder strap



DVPW1028Z

AC adaptor

- This is used for charging and power supply.



VSK0815M

Body cap*



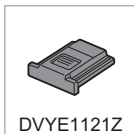
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Eye cup*



1YE1MC501Z

Hot shoe cover*



Flash synchro
socket cap*

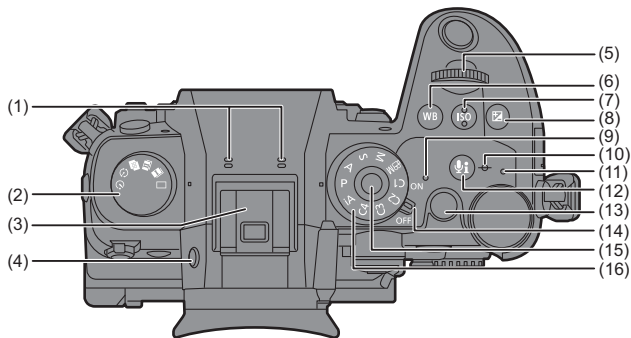


* This is attached to the camera at the time of purchase.




- **The memory card is optional.**
- Consult the dealer or Panasonic if you lose the supplied accessories. (You can purchase the accessories separately.)

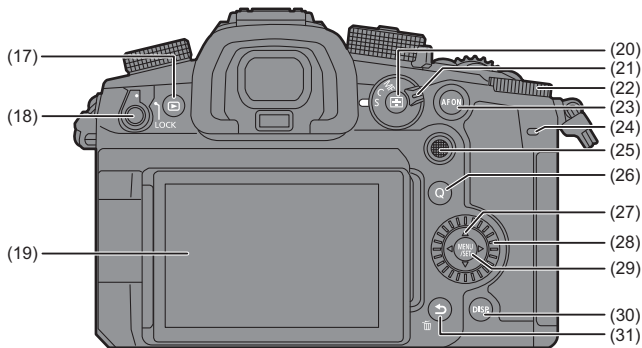
Names of Parts

Camera



- (1) Stereo microphone
- Do not block the microphone with a finger. Audio will be difficult to record.
- (2) Drive mode dial
- (3) Hot shoe (hot shoe cover)
- Keep the hot shoe cover out of reach of children to prevent swallowing.
- (4) [LVF] button
- (5) Front dial
- (6) [WB] (White balance) button
- (7) [ISO] (ISO sensitivity) button

- (8) [] (Exposure compensation) button
- (9) Power indicator
- (10) [] (Recording distance reference mark)
- (11) Charging light/
Network connection light
- (12) [] (Audio information) button
- (13) Video rec. button
- (14) Camera on/off switch
- (15) Mode dial lock button
- (16) Mode dial



(17) [▶] (Playback) button

(18) Operation lock lever

(19) Monitor/Touch screen

(20) [AF-ON] (AF mode) button

(21) Focus mode lever

(22) Rear dial

(23) [AF ON] button

(24) Rear tally lamp

(25) Joystick/Fn buttons
Center: Fn9, ▲: Fn10, ►: Fn11,
▼: Fn12, ◀: Fn13

(26) [Q] (Quick menu) button

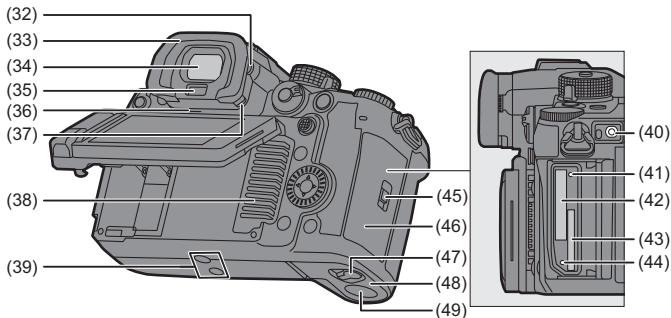
(27) Cursor buttons/Fn buttons
▲: Fn14, ►: Fn15, ▼: Fn16,
◀: Fn17

(28) Control dial

(29) [MENU/SET] button

(30) [DISP.] button

(31) [↵] (Cancel) button/
[🗑️] (Delete) button/
Fn button (Fn1)



(32) Diopter adjustment dial

(33) Eye cup

- Keep the eye cup out of reach of children to prevent swallowing.

(34) Viewfinder

(35) Eye sensor

(36) Speaker

(37) Eye cup lock lever

(38) Fan inlet

- The fan inlet for the cooling fan.
- Do not obstruct this unit's ventilation openings with newspapers, tablecloths, curtains, and similar items.

(39) Tripod mount

- If you attempt to attach a tripod with a screw length of 5.5 mm (0.22 inches) or more, you may not be able to securely fix it in place or it may damage the camera.

(40) [REMOTE] socket

(41) Card access light 1

(42) Card slot 1

(43) Card slot 2

(44) Card access light 2

(45) Card door lock lever

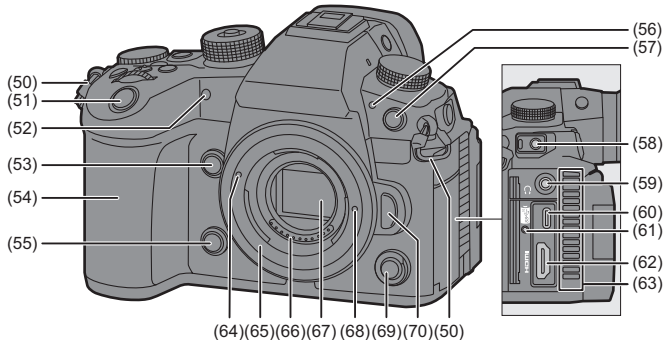
(46) Card door

(47) Battery door release lever

(48) Battery door

(49) DC coupler cover

- When using an AC adaptor, ensure that the Panasonic DC Coupler (DMW-DCC17: optional) and AC Adaptor (DMW-AC10G: optional) are used.
- Always use a genuine Panasonic AC Adaptor (DMW-AC10G: optional).
- When using an AC Adaptor (optional), use the AC cable supplied with the AC Adaptor (optional).



(50) Shoulder strap eyelet

(51) Shutter button

(52) Self-timer light/
AF assist light

(53) Enlarged live display (video) button/
Fn button (Fn2)

(54) Grip

(55) Preview button/Fn button (Fn3)

(56) Front tally lamp

(57) Flash synchro socket (flash
synchro socket cap)

- Use a flash with a synchronization voltage of 250 V or less.

- Connect the supplied BNC conversion cable (for TC IN/OUT) when synchronizing the time code with an external device.
- Keep the flash synchro socket cap out of reach of children to prevent swallowing.

(58) [MIC] socket

(59) Headphone socket

- Excessive sound pressure from earphones and headphones can cause hearing loss.

(60) USB port

(61) Cable holder mount

(62) HDMI socket

(63) Fan outlet

- The fan outlet for the cooling fan.
- Do not obstruct this unit's ventilation openings with newspapers, tablecloths, curtains, and similar items.

(64) Lens fitting mark

(65) Mount

(66) Contact points

(67) Sensor

(68) Lens lock pin

(69) Sub video rec. button

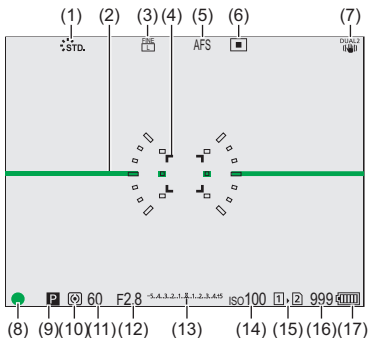
(70) Lens release button

Viewfinder/Monitor Displays

At the time of purchase, the viewfinder/monitor displays the following icons.

- For information about the icons other than those described here, refer to “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>”.


Viewfinder



Monitor



(1) Photo Style	(11) Shutter speed
(2) Level gauge	(12) Aperture value
(3) Picture quality/Picture size	(13) Exposure compensation value/ Manual Exposure Assist
(4) AF area	(14) ISO sensitivity
(5) Focus mode	(15) Card slot/ Double card slot function
(6) AF mode	(16) Number of pictures that can be taken/ Number of pictures that can be taken continuously
(7) Image stabilizer	(17) Battery indication
(8) Focus (green)/ Recording state (red)	
(9) Recording mode	
(10) Metering mode	

- Press [] to switch between display/hide of the level gauge.

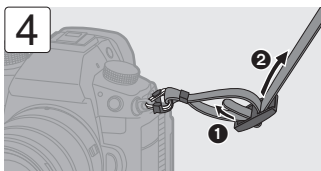
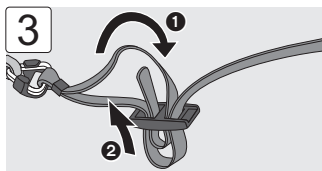
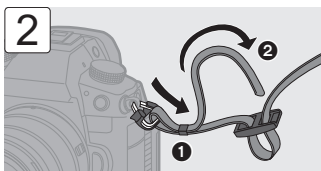
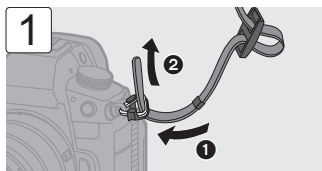
Getting Started/Basic Operations

- When preparing, make sure the camera on/off switch is [OFF].



Attaching a Shoulder Strap

Attach a shoulder strap to the camera with the following procedure to prevent it from dropping.



- Pull the shoulder strap and check that it will not come out.
- Attach the opposite end of the shoulder strap with the same procedure.
- Use the shoulder strap around your shoulder.
 - Do not wrap the strap around your neck.
It may result in injury or accident.
- Do not leave the shoulder strap where an infant can reach it.
 - It may result in an accident by mistakenly wrapping around the neck.

Charging the Battery

You can charge the battery either using the supplied charger, or in the camera body.

You can also use the Battery Charger (DMW-BTC15: optional).

- The battery that can be used with the camera is DMW-BLK22. (As of January 2022)

Optional battery DMW-BLF19E

You can also use DMW-BLF19E (optional), but there are the following limitations:

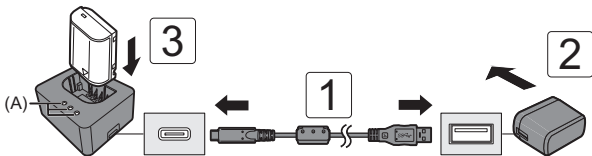
- The following functions cannot be used:
 - [Rec Quality] exceeding a resolution of C4K
 - [Rec Quality] with a high frame rate video exceeding a recording frame rate of 60.00p
 - [Variable Frame Rate] exceeding a frame rate of 60 fps
- The battery capacity is low, so this reduces the number of pictures that can be taken and the available recording time.
- There will be 4 remaining battery charge indicators.

We recommend using DMW-BLK22 (supplied/optional).

❖ Charging with the Charger

Charging time	Approx. 230 min
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- Use the supplied charger and AC adaptor.



1 Connect the charger and the AC adaptor with the USB connection cable.

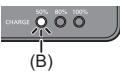
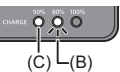
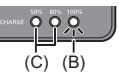
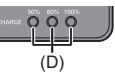
- Check the direction of the terminals and plug in/out straight holding onto the plug.
(Inserting these at an angle may cause deformation or malfunction)

2 Connect the AC adaptor to an electrical outlet.

3 Insert the battery.

- The charging lights ([CHARGE]) (A) blink and charging begins.

Charging Lights Indications

Charging status	0 % to 49 %	50 % to 79 %	80 % to 99 %	100 %
Charging lights				

(B) Blinking

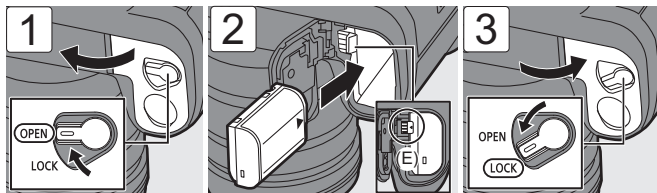
(C) On

(D) Off

- If the [50%] light is blinking quickly, then charging is not occurring.
- When the battery is inserted while the charger is not connected to the power source, the charging lights turn on for a certain period to allow you to confirm the battery level.

❖ Battery Insertion

- **Always use genuine Panasonic batteries (DMW-BLK22).**
– You can also use DMW-BLF19E (optional), but there are limitations. (→ 20)
- **If you use other batteries, we cannot guarantee the quality of this product.**

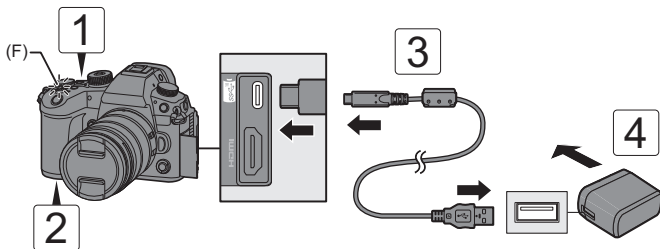


- Check that the lever (E) is holding the battery in place.
- When removing the battery, press down on lever (E).

❖ Inserting a Battery into the Camera for Charging

Charging time	Approx. 220 min
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- Using the camera body and the supplied AC adaptor.



- 1 Set the camera on/off switch to [OFF].**
- 2 Insert the battery into the camera.**
- 3 Connect the camera USB port and the AC adaptor using the USB connection cable.**
 - Check the direction of the terminals and plug in/out straight holding onto the plug.
(Inserting these at an angle may cause deformation or malfunction)
- 4 Connect the AC adaptor to an electrical outlet.**
 - The charging light (F) turns red and charging begins.

Charging Light Indications




Charging light (red)

- On: Charging.
- Off: Charging has completed.
- Blinking: Charging error.

- The battery is not charged at the time of purchase. Charge the battery before use.
- **For charging, use this camera or the Battery Charger (DMW-BTC15: optional) and the items supplied with them.**
- Do not use any other USB connection cables except the one supplied with the camera or the Battery Charger (DMW-BTC15: optional).
- Do not use any other AC adaptors except the one supplied with the camera or the Battery Charger (DMW-BTC15: optional).
- Even when the camera on/off switch is set to [OFF] thus turning the camera off, it consumes power.
When the camera will not be used for a long time, remove the power plug from the electrical outlet in order to save power.

❖ Power Supply

When the battery is inserted into the camera for charging and the camera is turned on, you can record while the camera is being supplied with power.

- [] is displayed in the screen while power is being supplied.

- Refer to “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>” for details about supplying power and charging the battery while power is being supplied.
- Turn off the camera before connecting or disconnecting the AC adaptor.

Inserting Cards (Optional)

❖ Memory Cards That Can Be Used (As of January 2022)

You can use CFexpress cards and SD memory cards with this camera.

Card slot 1: CFexpress card

CFexpress card (CFexpress Ver.2.0 Type B) (64 GB to 512 GB)

Card slot 2: SD memory card (SD card)

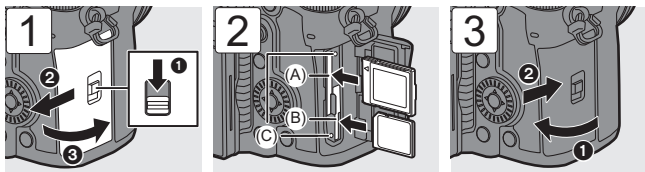
SD memory card/SDHC memory card/SDXC memory card (Maximum 256 GB)

- The camera supports UHS-I/UHS-II UHS Speed Class 3 standard and UHS-II Video Speed Class 90 standard SD cards.
- When recording **video with a bit rate of 72 Mbps or less**, use SD cards compatible with SD Speed Class 10, UHS Speed Class 1 or higher, or Video Speed Class 10 or higher.
- When recording **video with a bit rate of 200 Mbps or less**, use SD cards compatible with UHS Speed Class 3 or Video Speed Class 30 or higher.
- When recording **video with a bit rate of 400 Mbps or less**, use SD cards compatible with Video Speed Class 60 or higher.
- When recording **video with a bit rate of 600 Mbps or less**, use SD cards compatible with Video Speed Class 90.
- The following types of video cannot be recorded to SD cards. Use CFexpress cards.
 - [Apple ProRes] video with resolution of 4K or more
 - [MOV] video with bit rate of 800 Mbps or more
 - Variable frame rate video with a recording quality with image compression mode ALL-Intra



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- **For information on memory cards with confirmed operation, check the following support site:**
<https://panasonic.jp/support/global/cs/dsc/connect/index.html>
(English only)








(A) Card slot 1: CFexpress card

(B) Card slot 2: SD card

(C) Card access light

- Match the orientation of the cards as shown in the figure and then insert them firmly until they click.
- To remove the card, confirm that the card access light has turned off, then push the card until it clicks, then pull the card out straight.
- Format the cards with the camera before use.

 ⇒ [] ⇒ [] ⇒ Select [Card Format]

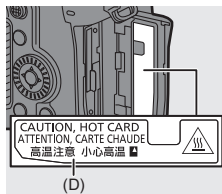
- Keep the memory card out of reach of children to prevent swallowing.



CAUTION, HOT CARD

- As indicated on the inside of the card door, the card may be hot just after the camera has been used. Be careful when removing.

When a high temperature caution message is displayed on the screen, do not remove the card immediately, but rather wait for it to cool down and the message to disappear.



(D) CAUTION, HOT CARD

Attaching a Lens

❖ Lenses That Can Be Used

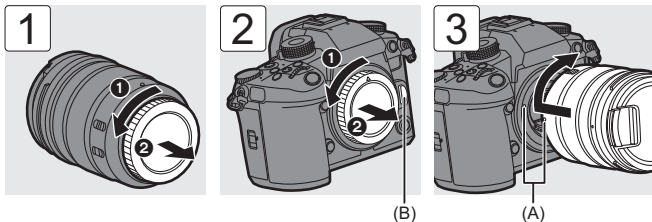
The camera can use the dedicated lenses that comply with the Micro Four Thirds™ system lens mount specification (Micro Four Thirds mount).



You can also use the Leica M Mount interchangeable lens by attaching the M Mount Adaptor (DMW-MA2M: optional).

- Refer to catalogs/websites for information regarding supported lenses.

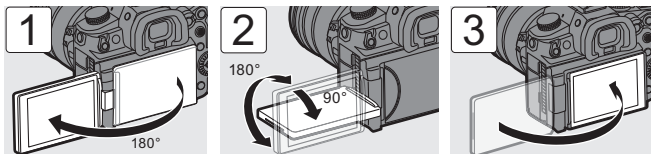
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(English only)



(A) Lens fitting marks

- When removing the lens, rotate while pressing the lens release button (B).

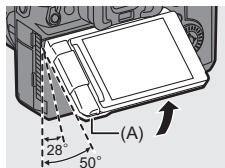
Adjusting the Monitor Direction and Angle



❖ Tilt

Put your finger on (A) and push the monitor up in the direction of the arrow.

- The monitor of this camera can be tilted in two stages.
- The monitor can still be opened when tilted to 28°.

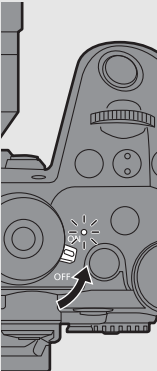


- The angles of adjustment are guides only.
- Take care not to trap a finger in the monitor.
- Do not apply an excessive force to the monitor. This may cause damage or malfunction.
- When not using the camera, close the monitor with the monitor surface facing in.

Setting the Clock (When Turning On for the First Time)

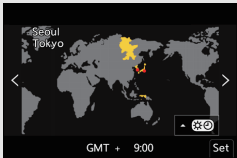
When you turn the camera on for the first time, a screen to set the time zone and clock appears. Follow the message to make the settings.

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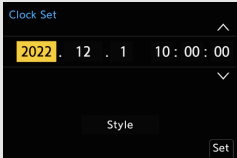


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- Press ▲▼ to select the language if a language selection screen is displayed.




Time zone selection




Year, month, day, hour, minute, and second selection



Daylight Savings setting

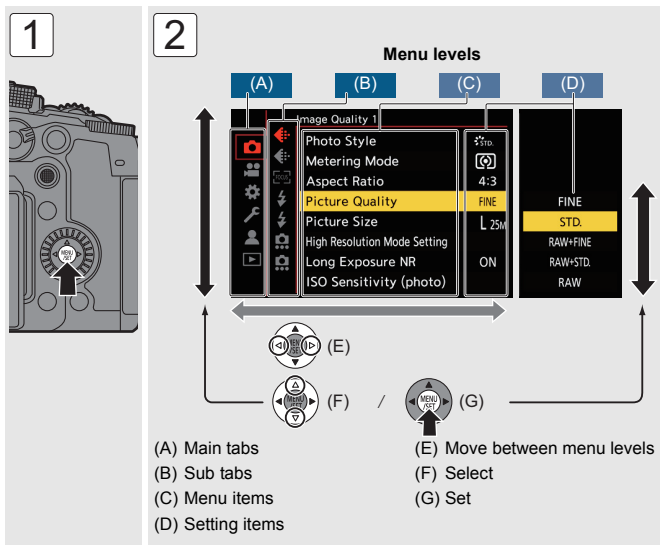




Value selection



Check or confirm and move to the next screen

Menu Operation Methods



- If you press [DISP.] while a menu item or setting item is selected, a description about the item is displayed on the screen.
- Menu items that cannot be set are displayed grayed out.
If you press  or  while a grayed out menu item is selected, the reason why it cannot be set is displayed.
- Press the shutter button halfway to close.
- The menu settings can be returned to the default settings.

 ⇒ [] ⇒ [] ⇒ Select [Reset]

- Refer to the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>” for details about menu items.
- Refer to the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>” for a list of default settings and reset targets.

Message Displays

Meanings of main messages displayed on the camera screen, and response methods.

- Please also refer to the "Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>", which describes more detailed information.

[Memory Card Error]/[Format this card?]

- It is a format that cannot be used with the camera.
Either insert another card, or back up any necessary data before formatting. (→ 25)

[Memory Card Error]/[This memory card cannot be used]

- Use a card compatible with the camera. (→ 24)

[Recording was cancelled due to the limitation of the writing speed of the card]

- The card does not meet the writing speed requirements for recording.
Cards that can be used depend on the video image quality. Check whether the card you are using meets the conditions required for recording. (→ 24)
* Check with the card manufacturers for the specifications of their cards.
- If recording stops even if you are using a card that meets the conditions required for recording, it is possible that the speed of writing on the card has dropped.
Take a backup of the data, and either format the card (SD cards) or low level format the card (CFexpress cards). (→ 25)
- When using CFexpress cards, the writing speed can drop if the temperature of the card rises. Wait until the card cools down.

[This battery cannot be used]

- Use a genuine Panasonic battery.
If this message is displayed even when a genuine Panasonic battery is used, contact the dealer.
- If the terminal of the battery is dirty, remove the dirt and dust from the terminal.

[Please turn camera off and then on again]/[System Error]

- Turn off and on the camera.
If the message is displayed even when doing this several times, contact the dealer.

[The fan is not functioning correctly.]

- The fan has stopped. Turn off and on the camera. If the fan does not work after turning the camera off and then on again, consult the dealer.
- The temperature of the camera will rise if you continue to use the camera with the fan stopped. Do not use over long periods of time.

Troubleshooting

First, try out the following procedures (→ 31 to 33).

If the problem is not resolved, it may be improved by selecting [Reset] (→ 29) on the [Setup] ([Setting]) menu.

- Please also refer to the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>”, which describes more detailed information.

The battery becomes flat too quickly.


- When connected to Wi-Fi, the battery drains quickly.
Turn the camera off frequently such as by using [Power Save Mode].

Recording stops before finishing.

Cannot record.

Cannot use some functions.

- The temperature of the camera or card rises more readily in the following circumstances: when the ambient temperature is high; and during continuous use such as when recording high-definition video, taking burst pictures at high speed, or outputting via HDMI.

When the temperature of the camera or card rises, [] appears blinking on the screen. If you continue to use the camera, a message indicating that the camera or card cannot be used is displayed on the screen and recording and HDMI output will be stopped. Wait for the camera or card to cool down and for the message indicating that they can be used again. When the message indicating that they can be used again is displayed, turn the camera off then on again.


- * When recording with the camera mounted on a tripod, etc., you can set the temperature at which recording is stopped to a higher temperature. Refer to the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>” for details.

The recorded image looks rough.

Noise appears on the picture.

- When the camera is used continuously, the temperature inside the camera may rise and this may cause lower image quality. We recommend turning off the camera whenever you are not actually recording.

Striping or flicker may appear under lighting such as fluorescent or LED lighting.

- This is characteristic of MOS sensors which serve as the camera’s pickup sensors. This is not a malfunction.
- When using the electronic shutter, lowering the shutter speed may reduce the effect of the horizontal stripes.
- If flicker or horizontal stripes are noticeable when recording video, this can be mitigated by fixing the shutter speed.
Either set [Flicker Decrease (Video)], or fix the shutter speed with the [] mode.

The brightness or coloring of the recorded image is different from the actual scene.

- When recording under lighting such as fluorescent or LED lighting, increasing the shutter speed may introduce slight changes to brightness or coloring. These are a result of the characteristics of the light source and do not indicate a malfunction.
- When recording subjects in extremely bright locations or recording under lighting such as fluorescent, LED, mercury, or sodium lighting, the coloring or screen brightness may change or horizontal striping may appear on the screen.

The flash does not fire.

- The flash does not fire when using the following functions:
 - Video recording
 - [ELEC.]/[Silent Mode]
 - High Resolution mode
 - [Filter Settings]

[] is displayed on the screen.

- The fan has stopped. Turn off and on the camera. If the fan does not work after turning the camera off and then on again, consult the dealer.
- The temperature of the camera will rise if you continue to use the camera with the fan stopped. Do not use over long periods of time.

An alarm sounds when the card door is opened.

- An alarm may sound when a door is opened while writing to a card. Wait until writing finishes, then turn the camera off and remove the card.

When the camera is shaken, a rattling sound is heard from the camera.

- The sound is caused by the in-body stabilizer. This is not a malfunction.

There is rattling noise from the lens when the camera is turned on or off, or when the camera is swung.

There is a sound from the lens when recording.

- This is the sound of the lens moving and aperture operation. It is not a malfunction.

Specifications

- Please also refer to the “Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>”, which lists more items.

The specifications are subject to change for performance enhancement.

Digital camera body (DC-GH6):

Information for your safety

Power source:	9.0 V===
Power consumption:	4.8 W (when recording with the monitor), 3.8 W (when playing back with the monitor) [When using the interchangeable lens (H-ES12060)]

Type	
Type	Digital Single Lens Mirrorless camera
Recording media	Card slot 1: CFexpress Type B card Card slot 2: SD memory card / SDHC memory card*1 / SDXC memory card*1 *1 Compliant with UHS-I/UHS-II UHS Speed Class 3, UHS-II Video Speed Class 90 Double slot recording function is available.
Lens mount	Micro Four Thirds Mount
Image sensor	
Image sensor	4/3" Live MOS sensor, a total of 26,520,000 pixels, primary color filter
Effective number of pixels of the camera	25,210,000 pixels

Recording format for still images

File format for still images	JPEG (DCF compliant, Exif 2.31 compliant) / RAW
Picture size (pixels)	When the aspect ratio setting is [4:3] [L]: 5776×4336 [M]: 4096×3072 [S]: 2944×2208

Recording format for video

Video format	MP4 (H.264/MPEG-4 AVC, H.265/HEVC) / MOV (H.264/MPEG-4 AVC, H.265/HEVC, Apple ProRes)	
Audio compression format	MP4	AAC (2ch, 48 kHz/16 bit)
	MOV	LPCM (2ch/4ch ^{*2} , 48 kHz/24 bit, 96 kHz/24 bit) ^{*2} When an XLR Microphone Adaptor (DMW-XLR1: optional) is attached, 4ch can be selected
System frequency	59.94 Hz / 50.00 Hz / 24.00 Hz	
Image quality for video	Refer to "Operating Instructions <Complete Guide>" for information about resolution, recording frame rate, and other elements of recording quality.	

Viewfinder

Type	Aspect ratio 4:3, 0.5 inches, approx. 3,680,000 dots, organic EL (OLED) live view viewfinder
Field of view ratio	Approx. 100 %
Magnification	Approx. 1.52×, Approx. 0.76× (35 mm film camera equivalent), -1.0 m^{-1} 50 mm at infinity, with aspect ratio set to [4:3]

Monitor

Type	Aspect ratio 3:2, 3.0 inches, approx. 1,840,000 dots monitor, capacitive touch screen
Field of view ratio	Approx. 100 %

Focus	
AF type	TTL type based on image detection (Contrast AF)
Exposure control	
Light metering system, Light metering mode	1728-zone metering, multi-metering / center-weighted metering / spot metering / highlight-weighted metering
Metering range	EV 0 to EV 18 (F2.0 lens, ISO100 conversion)
ISO sensitivity (standard output sensitivity)	Pictures: AUTO / 50 ^{*3} to 25600 Creative Video mode: AUTO / 50 ^{*3} to 12800 *3 When [Extended ISO] is set Switchable between 1/3 EV and 1 EV steps
Image stabilizer	
Image stabilizer type	Compliant with Image sensor shift type, 5-axis stabilizer, Dual I.S.2
Shutter	
Type	Focal-plane shutter
Shutter speed	Pictures: Mechanical shutter: Bulb (max. approx. 30 minutes), 60 seconds to 1/8000 of a second Electronic front curtain: Bulb (max. approx. 30 minutes), 60 seconds to 1/2000 of a second Electronic shutter: Bulb (max. approx. 60 seconds), 60 seconds to 1/32000 of a second Videos: 1/25 ^{*4} of a second to 1/25000 of a second *4 When [Exposure Mode] is set to [M] in Creative Video mode and focus mode is set to [MF], this can be set up to 1/8 of a second
Flash synchronization speed	Equal to or smaller than 1/250 of a second

Zoom	
Extended Tele Conversion (Picture)	Max. 2× (when a picture size of [S] is selected.)
Interface	
USB	USB Type-C®, SuperSpeed USB 10Gbps (USB 3.2 Gen 2) Supports USB Power Delivery (9.0 V/3.0 A)
HDMI	HDMI Type A
[REMOTE]	∅2.5 mm jack
[MIC]	∅3.5 mm stereo mini jack
Headphones	∅3.5 mm stereo mini jack
Flash Synchro	Yes
TC IN/OUT	Yes (connect the BNC conversion cable (supplied) to the flash synchro socket) Input: 1.0 V to 4.0 V [p-p], 10 kΩ Output: 2.0 V ±0.5 V [p-p], low impedance
External dimensions / Mass (Weight)	
External dimensions	Approx. 138.4 mm (W)×100.3 mm (H)×99.6 mm (D) (5.45" (W)×3.95" (H)×3.92" (D)) (excluding the projecting parts)
Mass (Weight)	Approx. 823 g/1.81 lb (camera body, with battery and one SD memory card) Approx. 739 g/1.63 lb (only camera body)

Operating environment	
Recommended operating temperature	-10 °C to 40 °C (14 °F to 104 °F) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Battery performance temporarily worsens at low temperatures (-10 °C to 0 °C (14 °F to 32 °F)), reducing the number of pictures that can be taken and the available recording time.
Permissible relative humidity	10 %RH to 80 %RH
Wi-Fi	
Compliance standard	IEEE 802.11a/b/g/n/ac (standard wireless LAN protocol)
Frequency range used (central frequency)	2412 MHz to 2472 MHz (1 to 13ch) 5180 MHz to 5320 MHz (36/40/44/48/52/56/60/64ch) 5500 MHz to 5700 MHz (100/104/108/112/116/132/136/140ch) 5745 MHz to 5825 MHz (149/153/157/161/165ch)
Encryption method	Wi-Fi compliant WPA™ / WPA2™ / WPA3™
Access method	Infrastructure mode
Bluetooth	
Compliance standard	Bluetooth v5.0, Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE)
Frequency range used (central frequency)	2402 MHz to 2480 MHz

Battery charger (Panasonic DVLC1005Z):

Information for your safety

Input:	9.0 V ---	3.0 A	5.0 V ---	1.8 A
Output:	8.4 V ---	1.2 A	8.4 V ---	0.85 A
Operating temperature:	0 °C to 40 °C (32 °F to 104 °F)			

AC adaptor (Panasonic VSK0815M):

Information for your safety





Input:	110 V–240 V \sim	50/60 Hz	0.25 A
Output:	5.0 V ---	1.8 A	
Operating temperature:	0 °C to 40 °C (32 °F to 104 °F)		

Battery pack (lithium-ion) (Panasonic DMW-BLK22):

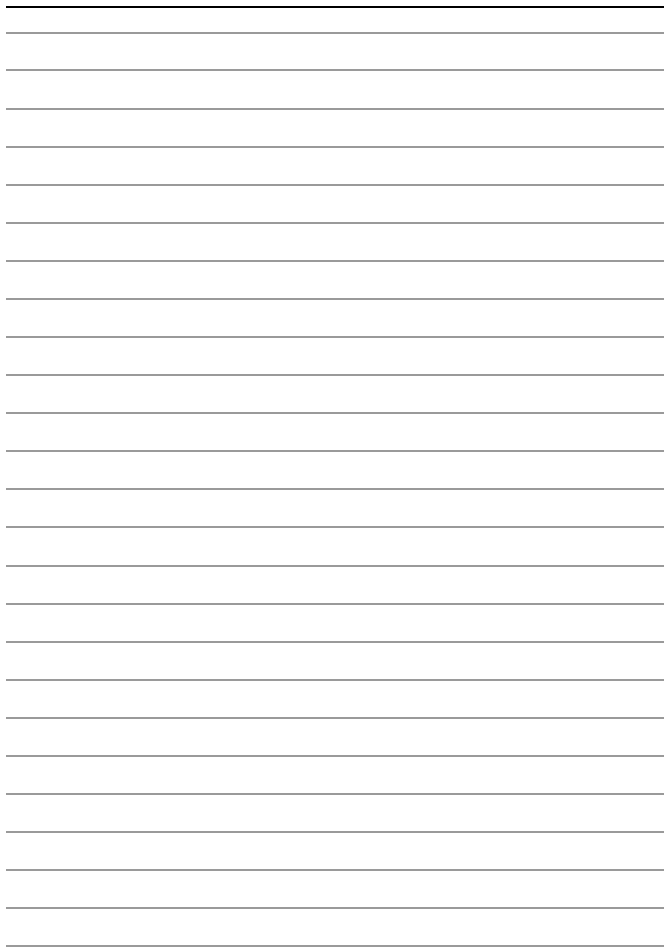
Information for your safety

Voltage/capacity:	7.2 V / 2200 mAh
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	AC
	DC
	Class II equipment (The construction of the product is double-insulated.)
	Hot surfaces





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 - (b) Access fees and or charges incurred for internet connection
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