Type of camera: Integral-motor autofocus 35mm single-lens reflex Picture format: 24 × 36mm [standard 35mm (135) format]

Lens mount: Nikon F mount

Lens: Nikkor and Nikon lenses having Nikon F mount (with some

Focus modes: Autofocus, and Manual with Electronic Rangefinder

Autofocus area: Wide and Spot selectable

Autofocus mode: Single Servo AF with Focus-Priority and Continuous Servo

AF with Release-Priority

Focus Tracking: Automatically activated when subject moves Autofocus detection system: Nikon CAM246 autofocus module

Autofocus detection range: Approx. EV -1 to 19 (at ISO 100)

Autofocus lock: Possible once stationary subject is in focus in Single Servo

AF; in Continuous Servo AF, focus can be locked with AF-L

(autofocus lock) button

Electronic rangefinder: Available in Manual focus mode with AF Nikkor or other Altype Nikkor lens with a maximum aperture of f/5.6 or faster Three built-in exposure meters — Matrix, Center-Weighted

Exposure metering: and Spot

Metering range: EV -1 to 21 for Matrix and Center-Weighted metering;

(at ISO 100 with f/1.4 lens) EV 3 to 21 for Spot metering

Exposure meter: Activated by lightly pressing shutter release button; stays on for 8 sec., after finger leaves button

Exposure modes: Programmed Auto (Auto-Multi Program and Vari-Program), Shutter-Priority Auto, Aperture-Priority Auto and Manual

Programmed Auto Camera sets both shutter speed and lens aperture exposure control: automatically; Flexible Program possible in increments of 1/3 EV for shutter speed or of 1 EV for aperture setting

Shutter-Priority Auto Aperture automatically selected to match manually set exposure control: shutter speed; shutter speed can be set in 1/3 EV steps Aperture-Priority Shutter speed automatically selected to match manually Auto exposure control: set aperture

Manual exposure control: Both aperture and shutter speed are set manually; shutter speed can be set in 1/3 EV steps

Vari-Program: Seven kinds built in: Portrait Program, Portrait Program

with Red-Eye Reduction, Hyperfocal Program, Landscape Program, Silhouette Program, Sport Program, and Close-Up Program; each has its own program line, and specific camera settings such as metering system, focus area, etc.,

are automatically selected

Exposure compensation: With exposure compensation button; ±5 EV range, in 1/3

EV steps

Auto exposure lock: By sliding AE lock lever while meter is on

Shutter: Electromagnetically controlled vertical-travel focal-plane

shutter

Shutter release: By motor trigger

Shutter speeds: Lithium niobate oscillator-controlled speeds from 1/8000 to

30 sec. in 1/3 EV steps; electromagnetically controlled

Bulb setting is provided

Viewfinder: Fixed eyelevel pentaprism high-eyepoint type; 0.78× mag-

nification with 50mm lens set at infinity; approx. 92% frame

coverage Eyepoint: Approx. 19mm

Eyepiece shutter: Provided

Focusing screen: Nikon advanced B-type BriteView screen; interchangeable

with E-type screen

Viewfinder information: Focus area, focus indications, exposure mode, shutter

speed, second mark for shutter speed slower than one second, aperture, electronic analog display, frame counter/exposure compensation value/Vari-Program, Flexible Program mark and exposure compensation mark are all

shown in LCD readout; also shows flash recommended/readv light LED

LCD panel information: Shutter speed, aperture, exposure mode, metering system,

focus area, autofocus mark with focus-/release-priority indication, Flexible Program mark, flash sync, film speed, DX mark, exposure compensation mark, frame counter/Vari-Program/exposure compensation value, Custom mark, film advance mode, film loading, film rewind,

self-timer, battery power

Viewfinder/LCD panel illumination: Viewfinder and LCD panel illuminated by pressing button Film speed range: ISO 25 to 5000 for DX-coded film; ISO 6 to 6400 can be

manually set

Film speed setting: At DX position, automatically set to ISO speed of DX-

coded film used; manual setting possible

Film loading: Film automatically advances to first frame when shutter

release button is depressed once

Film advance: In single-frame S shooting mode, film automatically

advances one frame when shutter is released; in 4 (continuous high) or 🖳 (continuous low) shooting mode, shots are taken as long as shutter release button is depressed; in H mode, shooting speed is approx. 4.3 fps, and in 🖳 approx. 2.0 fps; in Focus Tracking, shoot-

ing speed is approx. 4.1 fps

Additive type; counts back while film is being rewound Frame counter: **Self-timer:** Flectronically controlled: timer duration selectable from 2 to 30 seconds in one-sec. increments; blinking LED indicates

self-timer operation; cancellable

Depth-of-field preview button: Provides visual verification of depth of field; can be previewed in Aperture-Priority Auto or Manual exposure mode

Automatic, instant-return type

Reflex mirror: Hinged back; interchangeable with Nikon Multi-Control Camera back:

Back MF-26 or World Time Data Back MF-25

Standard ISO-type hot-shoe contact; ready-light contact, Accessory shoe:

TTL flash contact, monitor contact; Mount receptacle for

Posi-Mount System is provided

Flash sync control: Slow Sync, Rear-Curtain Sync and Red-Eye Reduction

functions built-in

Flash synchronization: In Programmed Auto or Aperture-Priority Auto, shutter

operates from 1/250 to 1/60 sec. in normal sync or 1/250 to 30 sec. in slow sync; in Shutter-Priority Auto or Manual exposure mode, shutter fires at speed set, and when set from 1/250 to 1/8000 sec., shutter is automatically set to 1/250 sec.

TTL Multi Sensor: Automatic Balanced Fill-Flash with TTL Multi Sensor:

Five-segment multi sensor used for TTL auto flash control Possible when AF or AI-P Nikkor lens is used with Nikon Speedlight SB-28/28DX, SB-27, SB-23, SB-22s,

SB-29, etc.

Monitor Pre-flash: Nikon Speedlight SB-28/28DX or SB-27 fires Monitor Preflash(es) for TTL Multi Sensor when AF or AI-P Nikkor lens

is used

Flash recommended/ready light: No Speedlight attached: Lights up in green when flash is

recommended

Speedlight attached: Lights up in red when Nikon dedicated Speedlight is ready to fire, or blinks to warn of insuffi-

cient light for correct exposure

Number of 36-exposure film rolls For autofocus operation using AF Zoom-Nikkor 28-70mm per set of fresh batteries: f/3.5-4.5D lens covering the full range from infinity (∞) to the closest distance and back to infinity (∞) before each shot, in Continuous Servo AF mode with film advance mode at □ h and a shutter speed of 1/125 sec. or faster

	At 20°C (68°F)	At -10°C (14°F)
LR6 (AA-type alkaline)*	50	9
R6P (AA-type manganese)*	14	0
KR-AA (AA-type NiCd)*	40	16
FR6 (AA-type lithium)*	250	130
CR123A lithium** (with MB-10)	90	25

*F90X body only or when using MB-10 with standard MS-10

**When using MB-10 with optional MS-11 battery holder. Lithium batteries are useful especially when shooting at lower temperatures, however film advance speed may slow down. Four 1.5V LR6 (AA-type alkaline), 1.2V KR-AA (AA-type

Power source:

NiCd), 1.5V R6P [AA-type manganese (black type)] or 1.5V FR6 (AA-type lithium) batteries; two 3V CR123A lithium batteries also usable for Multi-Power Vertical Grip MB-10 with MS-11 battery holder attached

* ML-3 cannot be used when FR6 (AA-type lithium) batteries are used.

Battery power confirmation: for sufficient power: Indicates batteries are near-

ing exhaustion; blinking a indicates batteries are just about exhausted; no indication/mark appears when batteries are completely exhausted or improperly installed

Dimensions (W \times H \times D): Approx. $154 \times 106 \times 69$ mm or $6.1 \times 4.2 \times 2.7$ in.

Weight (without batteries): Approx. 755g or 26.6 oz.

All specifications apply when fresh batteries are used at normal temperature (20°C/68°F). Specifications and designs are subject to change without any notice or obligation on the part of the manufacturer. © 2000 Nikon Corporation

