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Thank you for choosing the Yashica MF-3 SUPER.

This is a compact camera with built-in flash. Please read this operation manual carefully through to become familiar with your camera before using it.

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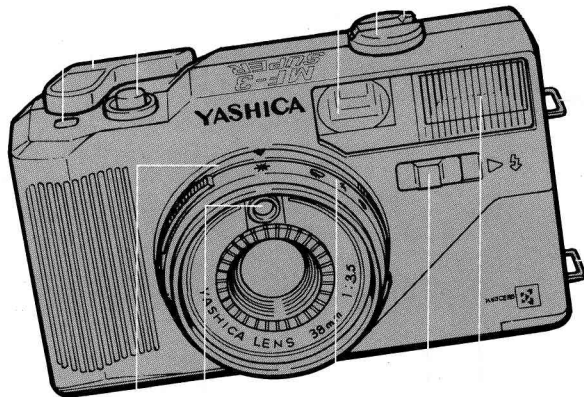
Wir danken Ihnen, daß Sie sich für die Yashica MF-3 SUPER entschieden haben. Bei dieser Kamera handelt es sich um eine Kompaktkamera mit eingebautem Blitzgerät. Bitte lesen Sie diese Gebrauchsanweisung vor Inbetriebnahme sorgfältig durch, damit Sie mit allen Funktionen der Kamera vertraut werden.

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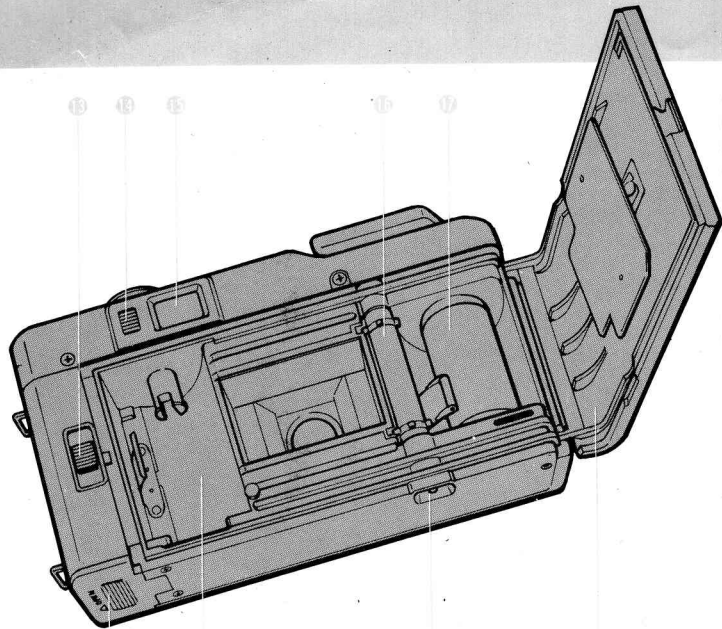
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## Description of Parts



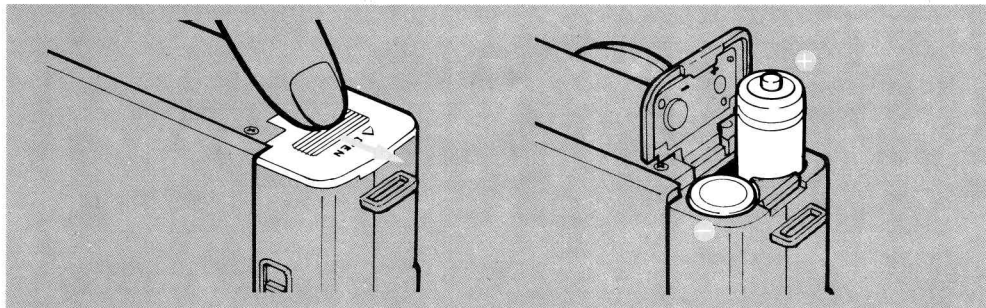
- ① Exposure Counter
- ② Film Advance Lever
- ③ Shutter Release Button
- ④ Viewfinder
- ⑤ Film Rewind Knob
- ⑥ Film Rewind Crank
- ⑦ Film Speed Ring
- ⑧ CdS Sensor
- ⑨ Weather Symbol Ring
- ⑩ Flash Switch
- ⑪ Flash Unit
- ⑫ Strap Lug



- 13 Camera Back Release Knob
- 14 Flash Ready Lamp
- 15 Viewfinder Eyepiece
- 16 Sprocket
- 17 Take-up Spool

- 18 Battery Compartment Cover
- 19 Film Chamber
- 20 Film Rewind Release Button
- 21 Camera Back

## Battery Insertion



Open the Battery Compartment Cover by pushing it in the direction of the arrow "▲". Insert the two batteries with the plus + and minus - ends correctly as illustrated inside the battery compartment, then replace the cover.

### < Batteries to use >

Use two 1.5 V AA-size penlight batteries. (Always use new batteries of the same brand.)

Never use rechargeable nickel-cadmium batteries.

### < Battery Check >

Turn on the Flash Switch. If the Flash Ready Lamp lights in a few seconds, the batteries are operating properly.

If it does not light within about 30 seconds, replace the two batteries with new ones. After checking the batteries, be sure to turn off the Flash Switch.

### Battery Life

A set of new alkaline batteries will provide power for exposing about 15 24-exposure rolls of film with flash.



### < Contrôle de l'état des piles >

Placer le flash sous tension.

Lorsque le témoin de fonctionnement du flash s'allume au bout de quelques secondes, les piles sont en état de charge satisfaisant. Si après 30 secondes le témoin n'est pas encore allumé, remplacer les deux piles par des piles neuves. Après avoir contrôlé l'état des piles, penser à placer le flash hors tension.

### Autonomie des piles

Une paire de piles fer-nickel neuves permet d'assurer l'exposition de 15 pellicules de 24 poses avec le flash.

### < Batteriekontrolle >

Den Blitzschalter einschalten. Wenn die Blitzbereitschaftslampe innerhalb weniger Sekunden aufleuchtet, bedeutet dies, daß die Batterien in Ordnung sind. Die Batterien durch neue ersetzen, wenn die Lampe nicht innerhalb von 30 Sekunden aufleuchtet. Nach der Batteriekontrolle immer darauf achten, den Blitzschalter auszuschalten.

### Batterielebensdauer

Mit einem Satz frischer Alkali-Batterien können ca. 15 Filmrollen zu je 24 Aufnahmen mit Blitz belichtet werden.



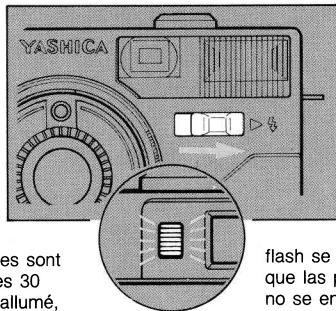
### < Verificación de estado de las pilas >

Active el interruptor del flash. Si la lámpara de puesta a punto del flash se enciende a los pocos segundos, indica que las pilas están cargadas correctamente. Si no se enciende después de transcurrir 30

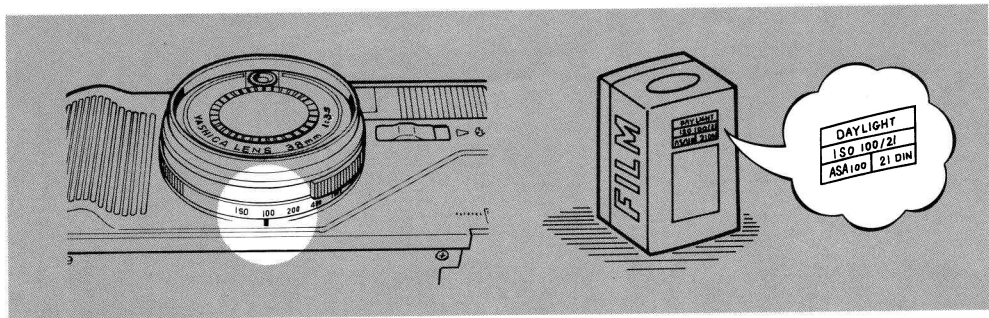
segundos, reemplace las dos pilas por unas nuevas. Después de verificar el estado de las pilas, asegúrese de desactivar el interruptor del flash.

### Duración de las pilas

Un juego de pilas alcalinas nuevas le permiten exponer con flash aproximadamente 15 rollos de 24 exposiciones.



## Film Speed Setting

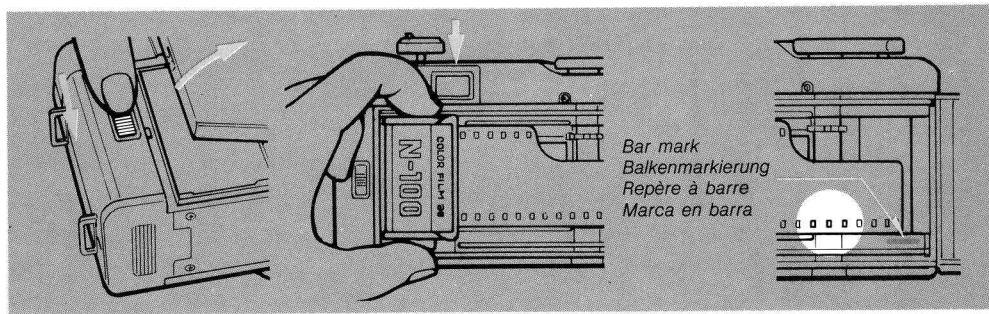


Turn the Film Speed Ring and set the ISO speed number of the film you are using opposite the index.

The film speed is printed on the film box.

This camera accepts films with four ISO speed ratings of 100, 200, 400 and 1000.

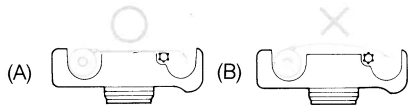
## Film Loading



*Always load and unload film in subdued light.*

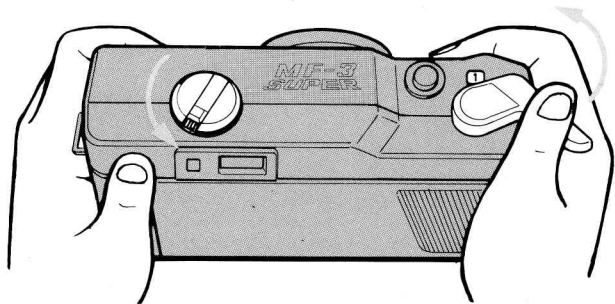
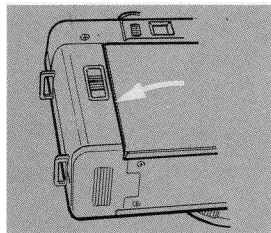
- 1** Open the Camera Back by pushing down the Camera Back Release Knob.
- 2** Pull up the Film Rewind Knob, insert the film cassette into the Film Chamber and push down the Film Rewind Knob.

- 3** Pull out the film until its tip comes over the Take-up Spool, near the mark “—”. Make sure that the Sprocket catches the lower film perforations.



*Make sure the film lies flat on the film rail as shown in the illustration (A).*





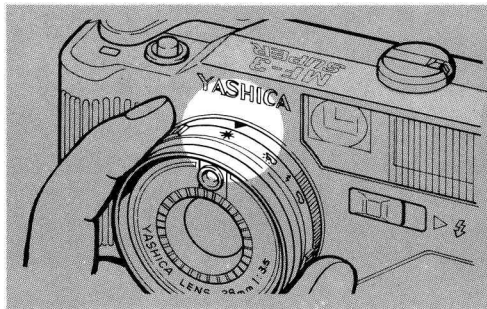
**4** Close the Camera Back and press it until it locks.

**5** Make blank shots until the Exposure Counter shows "1".

(Turn the Film Advance Lever as far as it will go and depress the Shutter Release Button. Repeat until "1" appears in the counter.)

The film is advancing properly if the Film Rewind Knob turns as you wind the Film Advance Lever.

## Shooting



**1** To set exposure, set the desired weather symbol on the ring opposite the index '1'.



(with click)

Bright sun

Hazy Sun



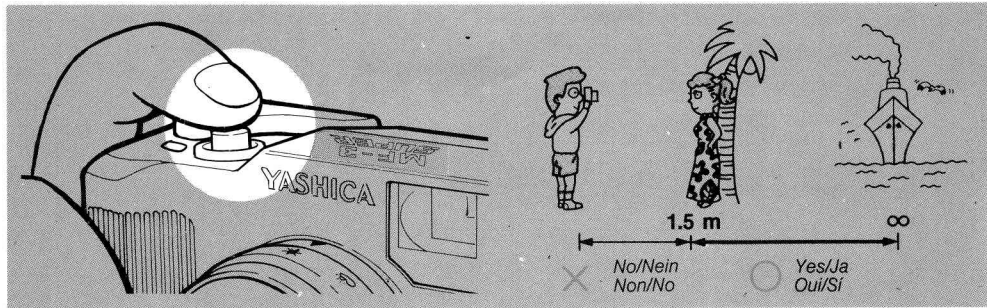
Cloudy  
Bright



Cloudy

**2** Bring your subject inside the viewfinder frame.

- To take flash pictures, set the ring at "⚡".



**3** Depress the Shutter Release Button to take your picture.

**Shooting Range**

This camera allows you to take snap shots with ease, because everything from about 1.5 m to infinity will appear sharp.