DRIVE MODES

The choice of drive mode is an assist function of the camera. Most of the time you will use the single shot mode. However, there are situations where you will want to make use of the other options.



Perfect to print A5 size 14cm x 21cm / 5.83" x 8.27"

SINGLE SHOT

The default drive mode in most cameras. In this mode, you take a single photo each time the shutter release button is pressed.

• USE IT FOR: When you have time to compose a single photo. It also helps when there's little space left on the memory card and you're conserving memory.



CONTINUOUS/BURST

In this mode, the camera will take pictures continously as long as the shutter release button is pressed. **This mode has two options:**

LOW

The camera takes continous shots - but at a slower pace.

• USE IT FOR: Taking pictures of kids, or any subject in motion (but when there's no need to caption a large range of movement). Works best with slower memory cards. **HIGH**

The camera takes continous shots at a faster pace.

• USE IT FOR: Taking pictures of fast moving subjects, sports, birds, etc.



SELF TIMER

The camera adds a delay, from the moment the shutter release button is pressed, until the moment the picture is actually taken. The most common options are a 2 sec and a 10 sec delay. Some cameras offer customizable times and continous shooting self timer options.

• USE IT FOR: Group photos, selfie photos, and long exposure photography.



MIRROR LOCK-UP

You can lock the mirror up completely, leaving it in its open position, and not covering the sensor. In this position, the mirror will block the viewfinder, and you will not be able to see through it. Frame up and focus the shot before activating this function. This is for long exposures such as night photography.

• USE IT FOR: Minimizing vibration of the camera.

REMOTE

The wireless, or wired, shutter release accessory is also known as a remote release.

• USE IT FOR: Longer exposures where you do not want to "bump" the camera by pressing the shutter release button manually.

QUIET / SILENT

This mode works just like Single Shot mode, except the mirror that moves up every time you take a photo (and causes noise) moves up slowly, minimizing the noise.

• **USE IT FOR:** Weddings, in museums, or situations that require silence.