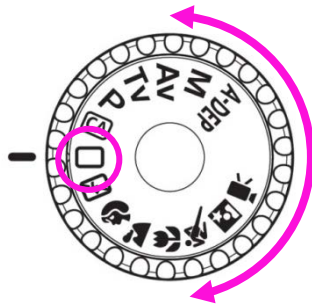


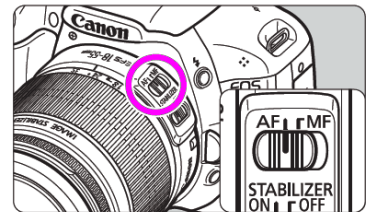
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Exercise: The basics

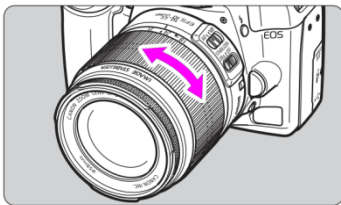
In this exercise you will learn the basics of photography and the fundamental skills you will need to operate your camera in full auto mode.



In this exercise, you will explore your camera's most basic settings in **full auto mode** (□). First, ensure that your camera is in **full auto mode** by turning the mode dial so that the hash mark lines up with the green rectangle. On your lens, set the focus mode to **auto-focus (AF)**.

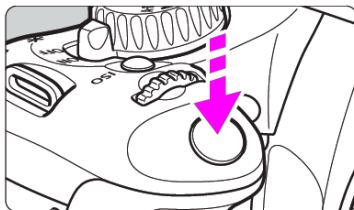


1. Zoom



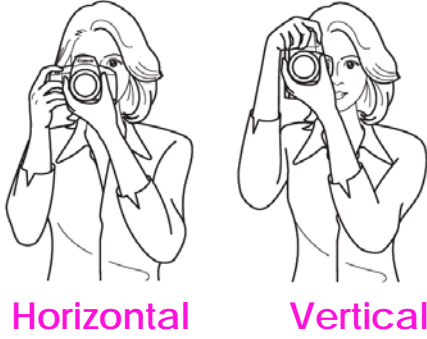
To zoom, turn the zoom ring on the lens. Zoom first before focusing.

2. Focusing on your subject



Look through your viewfinder and aim it at your subject. Press the shutter down halfway and the camera will focus on the subject. If necessary the built-in flash will pop up automatically. To take the picture, press the shutter down fully.

3. Horizontal and vertical shooting



The camera in horizontal orientation is typically used for **landscapes**. The camera in vertical orientation is typically used for **portraits**.

4. Viewing images



When you press the (▶) button the last captured image will be displayed. To cycle between captured images press the (◀▶) keys.

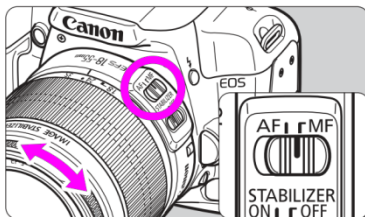


5. Deleting Images



To delete single images first playback to the image to be erased. Then, press the (🗑️) button. Select erase, then (SET).

6. Manual focus



To focus manually, switch the focus mode to MF. To focus, turn the focus ring on the lens.