

# MINOLTA RIVA ZOOM 130

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### Characteristics and functions

The Minolta Riva Zoom 130 was presented in 2002. The Riva Zoom 130 is an automatic, motorized camera with 1232-point multi-beam active system autofocus. Exposure is programmed with prevalence metering in the center (outdoor photography). The lens is a Minolta 37.5-130mm f./5.4-10.6 zoom lens (6 lenses in 6 groups with aspherical elements). The minimum focusing distance is 0.6m. which becomes 0,65m. at the focal length 130mm. The range of film sensitivities allowed is from 25 to 3200 ISO with DX-coded magazines. The working range is from 3 to 17 EV with a 37.5 lens and from 3.6 to 17 EV with a 130mm lens.

The camera comes in "Titan" color with front shell in metal and rear in plastic. On the upper side we find the full information display (LCD). The LCD also displays the

indications "g/m/a" or "h/m/s" if the camera is equipped with a calendar back or the indication "Silent" when the camera is set with silent recovery of the film. The shutter button, chrome-plated with dual function (AE lock and AF lock if pressed partially and shutter if pressed fully) is placed in a circular frame placed to the right of the upper side. The rear side has an inclined upper part where the flash adjustment buttons (with the respective symbols) and the self-timer setting / canceling buttons (with the Self-timer symbol) are located, the viewfinder cantilever window with central area wide focus switch and the main switch button with the "On / Off" indications. The flash adjustment button has seven functions: "Flash Auto", "Flash Auto + Red-Eye Reduction", "Flash" (forced activation), "Flash off", "Night portraits", "Landscape / night scenes" (exclusion flash) and "+1.5 exposure compensation" (with flash off). The date back model has an extra button ("Date") positioned between the viewfinder window and the On / Off button that is used to set the data print function and adjust the date and time or day/month/year settings. The rest of the rear part of the camera is entirely occupied by the film compartment door (hinged along the left side of the camera) which has the window for viewing the magazine inserted and the tilting control for adjusting the focal length ("W" wide angle and " T "telephoto lens) both located on the far right. On the right side of the camera we find the strap attachment system for transporting the camera and the slider, in titanium-colored plastic, which is used, by lowering it, to unlock the door of the film compartment. On the front we find the electronic flash, the autofocus system with the rectangular window of the viewfinder in the center and the porthole of the light meter cell. The Red-Eye Reduction white light illuminator also serves as a self-timer operating light (10" delay that can be canceled by turning off the camera) and is positioned to the right of the lens mount. The lens mount is oversized and allows you to find the information about the lens silkscreened in light gray: "Minolta Aspherical Lens" and "Zoom 37.5-130mm." The first objective lens is protected by a sliding cap controlled by the main On / Off switch. Just below the flash there are 4 small raised dots that serve the touch of the index finger of the left hand so as not to interfere with the flash during shooting. Two lines below are screen-printed "130" and "Riva Zoom", in black. In the lower left corner there is the inscription "Minolta" with the "Rising Sun" Minolta in the "O". This writing is in relief and in titanium color. A protuberance runs vertically along the right side which serves to better grip the camera with the right hand; in the upper part there is the red writing: "Multi AF". The underside of the camera is very crowded: on the far left there is the battery compartment door (1x CR123A 3v. battery) with slide lock, a white / gray sticker with the serial number silk-screened in black on the white part and the written "Minolta Co., Ltd." and "Osaka Japan" silk-screened in white on the gray part, the initials "CE", engraved; there is also the black sticker with the chrome wording: "Made in China" and the small hole where you can insert a pointed object to carry out the intentional recovery of the film, with the relative symbol. The thread for the use of the tripod is placed in a rear position.

Weight 210g. battery excluded.

Length 112mm. Height 60mm. Depth 44mm.