

Nikon

**world's foremost
system for 35mm
photography**

NIKON F



the slr that defies obsolescence

There are many reasons why the Nikon F is the overwhelming choice of those who take photography seriously. The unmistakable feel of precision. The quick efficiency with which it responds to the photographer's ideas. The quality of its renowned Nikkor lenses. The versatility provided by the all-encompassing Nikon system. All are part of the picture.

What sets the Nikon F even further apart from all other cameras, however, is its unique ability to defy obsolescence. It is as though its designers anticipated every subsequent technological advance and provided for its embodiment. Offering complete interchangeability not only of lenses but also of finder systems, finder screens and camera backs, the Nikon F is clearly built with progress in mind. And the many innovations achieved by Nikon demonstrate the far-sighted ingenuity with which its designers continue to meet the challenge of progress.

To the purchaser of a Nikon F, this means that his camera will be as up-to-date tomorrow as it is today, and that it will put ever-greater capabilities at his command.

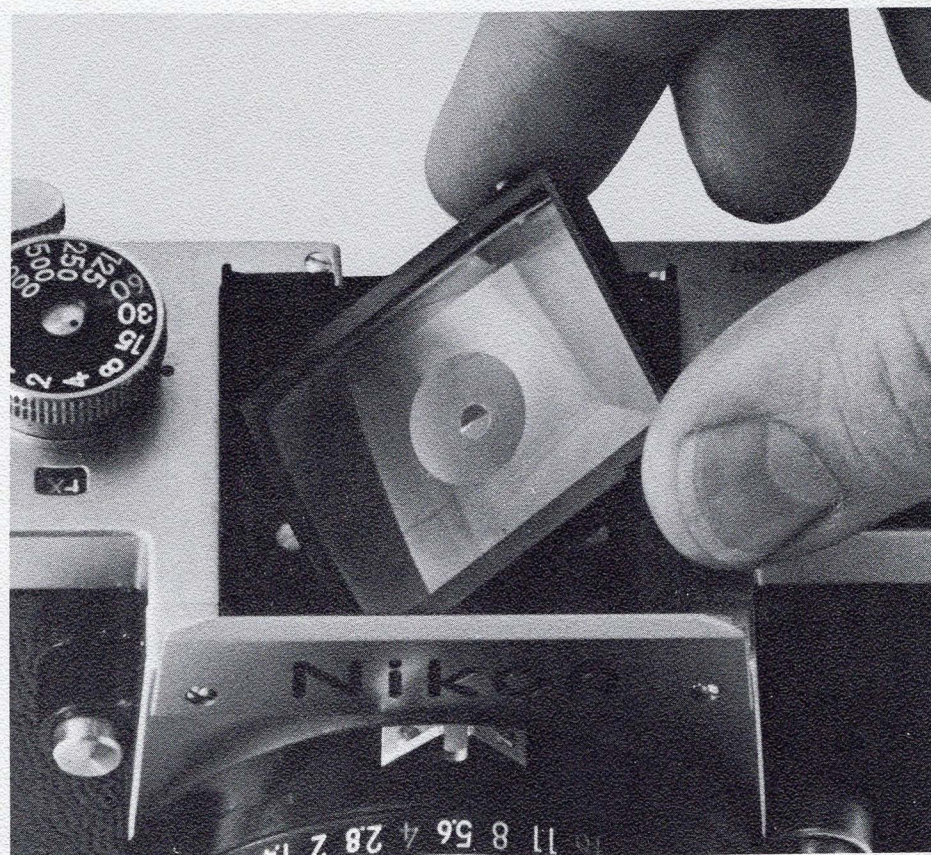
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE NIKON F

AUTOMATIC-RETURN MIRROR Flips up for exposure — then, instantly springs back to view/focusing position. Action is so effectively damped that virtually no impact shock is transmitted to camera body.

AUTOMATIC-REOPEN DIAPHRAGM With Auto-Nikkor lenses, the diaphragm is always wide open for easy focusing and viewing, except for the instant of exposure. System works accurately even when lens is preset between aperture markings.

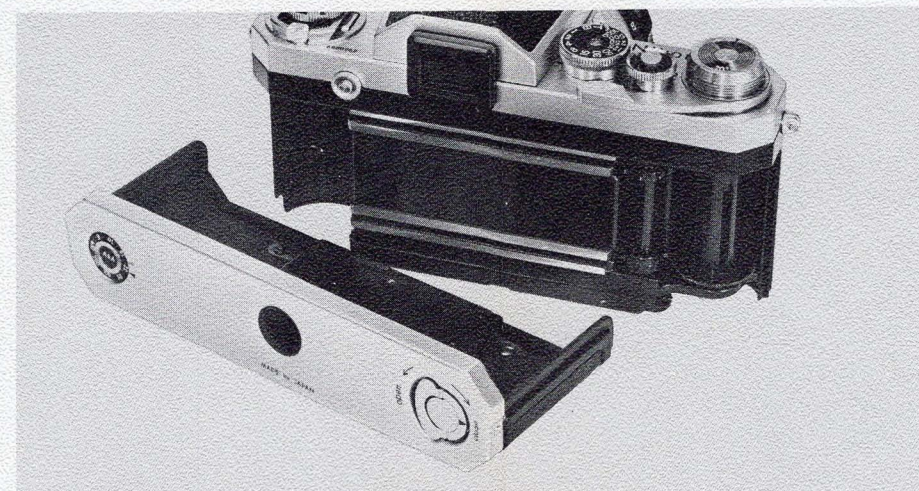
INTERCHANGEABLE VIEWFINDER Standard eyelevel prism finder interchanges with accessory waist-level finder, prism reflex sportsfinder and Photomic FTN meter/finder system.

INTERCHANGEABLE FINDER SCREEN Wide choice of screens accommodates any personal preference; assures maximum focusing accuracy and viewing convenience for any and all applications.

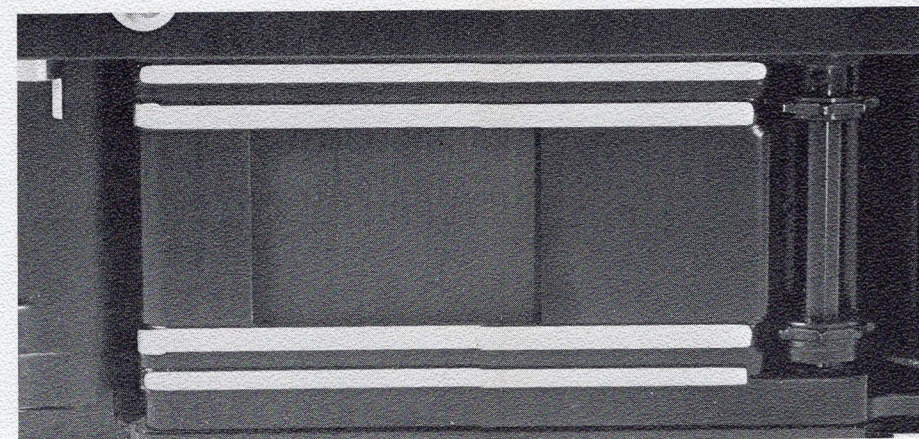


FULLY ACCURATE FINDER SYSTEM Nikon F is the only slr 35 whose finder shows 100% of actual picture area. Permits accurate framing right up to finder edges.

REMOVABLE BACK Interchanges with electric motor drives and with Speed Magny attachments for use with Polaroid film.

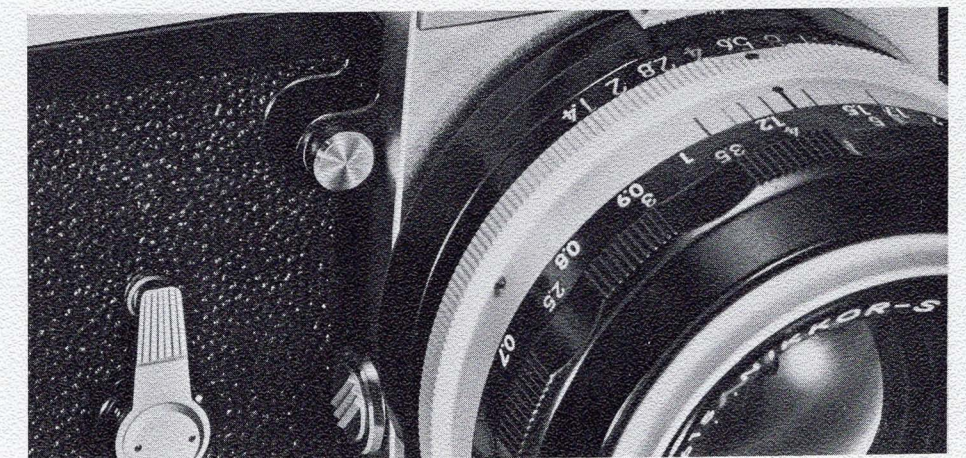


BALL-BEARING FOCAL PLANE SHUTTER offers speeds from 1 second to 1/100th, plus 'B' and 'T'. Speed selector dial does not rotate when shutter is wound or released. Shutter is thermally compensated to assure uniform, accurate speeds, even under temperature extremes. Extremely quiet in operation. Fast shutter curtain action minimizes elongation distortion, increases stop-action effectiveness.



DEPTH-OF-FIELD PREVIEWER Permits observation of depth-of-field at preset "taking" aperture without making exposure. Also permits selection of "taking" aperture on basis of desired depth-of-field.

MIRROR LOCK-UP secures mirror in "up" position for use with deep-set lenses (e.g. Fisheye Nikkor) and for other, special applications.



COMPENSATING FLASH SYNCH CONTROL color-coded; assures peak synch efficiency with flashbulbs at all shutter speeds and with electronic flash at 1/60th second.



FEATURES OF THE NIKON F



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