Why your first DSLR should be a Sony. The Sony®  $\alpha$ ; (alpha) DSLR-A200 improves your image with 10.2 MP performance, high sensitivity, SteadyShot INSIDE™ in-camera stabilization, versatile Creative Style settings and up to 750-shot² Stamina® power -- plus a spectacular array of Sony, Carl Zeiss® and Minolta a-mount lenses to broaden your creative horizons.

### ▲ Step-up

- 10.2 MP CCD Superb image quality gives you great DSLR shots right from the start, with a large APS-size CCD imager developed by Sony to expand dynamic range, minimize noise more effectively and provide greater detail for making big prints or cropping in tight on your subject.
- Expanded ISO Sensitivity
  Broad sensitivity range from ISO 100 to
  ISO 3200 enables the α (alpha) DSLRA200 to capture beautiful color images
  even in very dim light -- with High ISO
  Noise Reduction technology that
  reduces picture noise artifacts at highsensitivity ISO 1600 and ISO 3200
  settings by eliminating noise from RAW
  data after analog-to-digital
  conversion.
- SteadyShot INSIDE™ in-camera Image Stabilization
  A high-performance sensor detects vibrations and the image stabilization system automatically compensates. Because image stabilization is built into the α (alpha) DSLR-A200, every lens benefits -- and with an advantage of from 2.5 to 3.5 stops, you can shoot effectively at higher shutter speeds even in very low light with minimum blur from shaky hands or fast-moving subjects.
- BIONZ™ Image Processor
  The "brain" of the Sony® α; (alpha)
  DSLR-A200 is the advanced Sony
  BIONZ™ Image Processor, using
  hardware-based Large Scale Integrated
  (LSI) circuitry to enhance images with
  rich tonal reproduction, improved white
  balance and exposure control, and
  expanded D-Range Optimizer
  capabilities. With 2-channel data
  transfer from CCD to processor, your
  camera can also respond faster.

- Dynamic Range Optimizer
  To improve results with backlit subjects and recover details hidden in shadows or lost in glare, the Sony<sup>®</sup> α; (alpha)
  DSLR-A200 provides Dynamic Range
  Optimizer at two levels: Normal DRO, to improve detail using standard gamma curves for fast shot-to-shot response time, or Advanced DRO, to adjust dynamic range area-by-area for the greatest precision.
- Anti-Dust Technology
  Changing lenses in a DSLR can allow dust to enter the camera -- so to keep the CCD imager cleaner for better pictures, the Sony® a ;(alpha) DSLR-A200 utilizes both static-free anti-dust coating on the CCD filter and anti-dust vibration that automatically shakes the CCD to dislodge dust each time the camera is shut off.
- Auto Pop-Up Flash
  In Auto or some scene selection modes,
  the camera flash automatically pops
  up and fires when needed to help you
  shoot more effectively. Flash is
  cancelled in Landscape, Sport or Sunset
  modes and in "Flash Off" position on
  the Exposure Mode dial.
- Eye-Start Autofocus System
  It begins precision autofocus
  adjustments the moment you raise the
  camera to your eye -- so unlike some
  DSLR cameras that don't start focusing
  until the shutter button is half-pressed,
  the Sony® α; (alpha) DSLR-A200 never
  slows down your ability to catch fast
  action
- 9-Point Center Cross AF Sensor
   A fast focus motor and improved focus control help bring images into sharp definition more quickly, with predictive focus control that automatically calculates the position of a fast-moving subject.

- Flexible, Accurate Exposure Control A 40-segment honeycomb sensing system provides multi-pattern measuring for superior exposure control accuracy -- and you can also select center-weighted or spot metering modes. You'll also have 6 preset White Balance control settings and RGB Histogram display to check color balance.
- Scene Selection Modes
  Along with auto exposure, the Sony® α;
  (alpha) DSLR-A200 gives you scene selection modes to optimize camera performance for Portrait, Landscape, Macro, Sports, Sunset and Night Portrait/Night View situations.
- Creative Style Settings To express your creativity and personal taste, you can adjust contrast, saturation and sharpness settings for any of 8 finishing styles -- including Standard, Vivid, Portrait, Landscape, Night View, Sunset, B & W and Adobe RGB modes.
- 2.7"¹ Clear Photo™ LCD Screen A large built-in screen with anti-reflective coating makes it easy to read camera setup menus even in bright sunlight and improves image quality when you check your shots.

## Note:

- Sony Quick AF Live View is featured on DSLR-A300 and DSLR-A350. DSLR-A200 LCD can only provide menu display (during shooting) and image display (during playback).
- Index and Slide Show Display
  To quickly review your photos, the
  Sony® α; (alpha) DSLR-A200 can
  display 4, 9 or 25-frame index views -or present automatic slide shows with
  fade-in/fade-out effect.

## ADDITIONAL FEATURES

- High-Resolution Thumbnails for PhotoTV HD Viewing<sup>3</sup>
- Function Guide Display
- Continuous Burst Mode at 3 Frames Per Second
- Stamina® Battery Power
- High-Capacity Media Options
- Advanced Lenses and Accessories



# Specifications

Megapixel: 10.2MP

Imaging Device: 10.2 (effective) APS CCD Sensor; 23.6 x 15.8 mm; RGB primary color filter

White Balance: Auto plus 8 Modes (Daylight, Shade, Cloudy, Tungsten, Fluorescent, Flash, Color Tempature/Color filter, Custom), each with +/-3 adjustable step

Self Timer: Yes (10 seconds, 2 seconds, Off)

Red-Eve Reduction: On/Off (all modes)

Burst Mode: Up to 3FPS; Unlimited to capacity of media (JPEG L/M/S); Maximum 3 frames (RAW + JPEG); Maximum 6 frames (RAW)

Color Mode(s): Standard, Vivid, Portrait, Landscape, Night view, Sunset, Black & White, Adobe RGB (Except for Adobe RGB, all other color modes use the sRGB color space)

Scene Mode(s): Portrait, Landscape, Sunset, Night View/Night Portrait

Histogram Display: Yes - RGB, playback only AF Illuminator Light: Yes, On/Off Select

Multi-Pattern Measuring: 40 Segment, Center Weighted, Spot

Clear RAW NR: N/A Movie Mode(s): N/A

USB Port(s): Yes, Supports USB 2.0 Hi-speed Output(s): Video: Yes, NTSC/PAL Selectable

LCD: 2.7"1 TFT (230k pixels) LCD with Clear Photo<sup>™</sup> design

Viewfinder: Optical: TTL, 0.83x magnification with 50mm lens at infinity; 95% coverage

Microphone: N/A

Flash Effective Range: GN12 at ISO 100 (39 feet/ 12 meters)

Flash Mode(s): Built-in Auto Pop-up: Auto, Fillflash, Rear flash sync, Slow Sync, High Speed Sync, Wireless off camera flash (with Flash HVL-F56AM, F36AM)

Focus: Auto Focus: TTL Phase Detection, Multipoint: 9 Area, 8 Line, 1 Cross Sensor, Auto Focus Mode: Yes, Adjustable Spot AF: Selectable Sensor, Visual Focus Confirm: Direct via Spherical Acute Matte Screen

Shutter Speed: 30 < 1/4000 sec 52 step, Bulb EV Compensation: ±2.0 EV, 1/3 EV Steps Exposure: Program Shift: Yes, Command Dial Lens Type: Interchangeable A-mount

Battery Type: NP-FM500H Lithium-ion rechargeable batterv

Battery Capacity: 7.2V, 1600 mAh; CIPA standard: approx. 750 pictures

Supplied Software: Image Data Converter SR ver.2.0, Image Data Lightbox SR ver.1.0, (all Windows & Macintosh), Picture Motion Browser Ver.2.1.02 (Windows only)

Operating System Compatibility: Microsoft® Windows® 2000 Professional, ME, XP Home and Professional; Macintosh® OS X (v 10.3 or later). OS must be installed at the factory.

BIONZ™ Engine: Yes (LSI with Dynamic Range Optimizer (DRO/DRO+))

ISO: Auto/100/200/400/800/1600/3200

Weight: 1 lb. 2.8 oz (532g) body, not including battery, lens and media

Measurements: (WHD) 5 3/16" x 3 7/8" x 2 13/16" (130.8 x 98.5 x 71.3 mm)

Service and Warranty Information

Limited Warranty Term: 1 Year Parts & Labor

DT 18-70mm f3.5 Zoom lens (27 - 105 35mm eq), 75-300mm f/4.5-5.6 Compact Super Telephoto Zoom

NP-FM500H rechargeable battery

BC-VM10 battery charger

Video and USB cables

Shoulder strap with eyepiece cap and Remote Commander clip

Body cap

Software/USB Driver CD-ROM

NOTE: No Memory Stick media nor adaptors are included

## Optional Accessories

Compact Flash Card (NCFB1G)

External Flash (HVL-F56AM)

External Flash (HVL-F36AM)

M Series Lithium Battery (NP-FM500H)

Vertical Grip (VG-B30AM)

AC Adaptor/Charger (AC-VQ900AM)

Color: Black

UPC Code: 027242714212

- 2: Actual results may vary based on product settings, usage patterns and environmental conditions.
- 3: PhotoTVHD feature requires output via supplied Sony USB connicable with select Sony BRAVIA® HDTV; HDTV sold separately.

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<sup>1:</sup> Viewable area, measured diagonally