

Downloads : Firmware Update

Thank you for using a PENTAX K-7 digital camera.

PENTAX wishes to announce the release of Firmware Update Software Version 1.01 for K-7.

Firmware in this document is the software that runs inside digital cameras.

Changes to V1.01

- Added [Operate at AF point "SEL"] on [Custom] menu and it can be selected either [1 Calling Function Preference] or [2 Select AF point Preference].
When selected [2 Select AF point Preference] and AF point switching dial is set at [SEL], selection of AF point can be operated priority by the four-way controller.
How to operate additional function. SEE BELOW
- Improved stability for general performance
For example: when left- end focus point is selected, function of auto focus may rarely become unstable in particular shooting condition.

Caution

- Only K-7 users are permitted to download the firmware update.

PENTAX Firmware Update Software for K-7

Name	PENTAX Firmware Update Software for K-7
Registered name	K7_e101w.exe (For Windows 9,731Kbytes) , k7_e101m.zip (For Mac9,623 Kbytes)
Applied product	K-7 To check the version number, turn your camera on while holding down the MENU button. The version number will appear in the centre of the LCD screen.
Updated firmware file	For Windows : LHA self-extract file, For mac : zip type
Release date	2009/7/29
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Preparation of update

- Blank, formatted SD/SDHC card (32MB or more)
- USB cable I-USB17
If you are copying the firmware update file to the SD/SDHC card by connecting the camera directly to your computer.
- SD/SDHC card reader or a computer with a SD/SDHC card slot
If you are copying the firmware update file to the SD/SDHC card using a memory card reader / writer.
- Fully charged battery (D-LI90)

Download the updated firmware file

- For Windows : K7_e101w.exe --- 9,731 bytes, LHA type, self-extracting files
- For Macintosh : k7_e101m.zip --- 9,623 Kbytes, zip type

Extract downloaded file

The following two files will be generated once the downloaded file is extracted by double-clicking.

- readme.txt: The text file that explained update procedure in details.
- Fwdc204b.bin: This is the updated firmware.

Copy fwdc204b.bin file to SD card

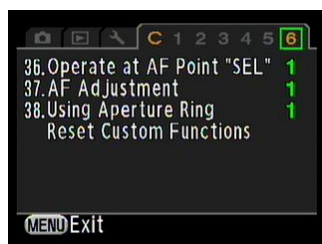
After formatting the SD/SDHC card, copy the fwdc204b.bin file to the route directory of the SD/SDHC card.

Update Firmware

Please read the readme.txt file attached to the firmware update before updating the firmware.

HOW TO OPERATE ADDITIONAL FUNCTION

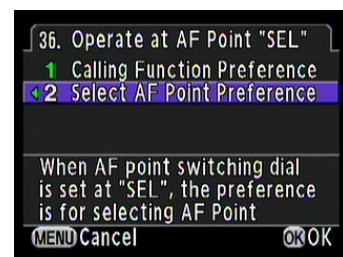
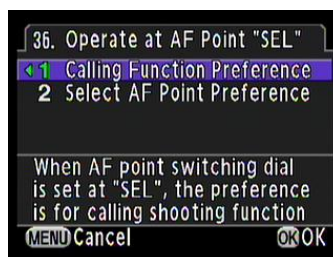
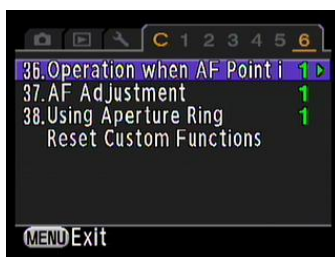
[36. Operate at AF Point "SEL"] is newly added on [Custom] menu.



*Select [36. Operate at AF Point "SEL"] and press four-way controller right then select either

[1 Calling Function Preference] or [2 Select AF Point Preference]. Press OK for setting.

[1 Calling Function Preference] is default setting.



- When selected [1 Calling Function Preference] and AF point switching dial is set at [SEL], Calling Function can be operated priority by the four-way controller.

(To switching the four-way controller to Selection AF point, press OK button.)

- When selected [2 Select AF point Preference] and AF point switching dial is set at [SEL], selection of AF point can be operated priority by the four-way controller.

(To switching the four-way controller to Calling Function, press OK button.)