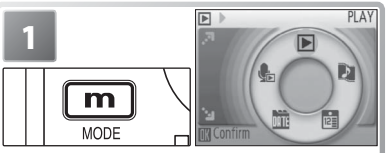
Playing Voice Recordings

To play voice recordings back, select playback mode and follow these steps.

1



Display playback mode menu.

2

Highlight .

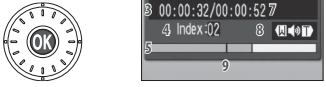
3

Display list of voice recordings.

4

Select recording.

5



1	Control icons*	6	Date of recording
2	File number	7	Length of recording
3	Playback time	8	Volume†
4	Index number	9	Index
5	Progress indicator		

Play recording. Rotate rotary multi selector to advance or rewind. To delete recording, press [🗑] button. Press [📷▶] to exit playback and return to recording mode.

* Press rotary multi selector left or right to highlight control, press (OK) button to select.

⏸	Pause playback.
▶	Resume playback.
⏩	Advance recording. Playback resumes when rotary multi selector is released.
⏪	Rewind recording. Playback resumes when rotary multi selector is released.
⏮	Return to start of current index.
⏭	Skip to next index.
■	End playback and return to voice recording list.

† Zoom control controls volume. Select **W** to lower volume, **T** to raise volume.

Copying Voice Recordings

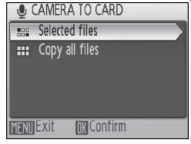
To copy voice recordings between internal memory and a memory card, display the voice recording list shown in Step 3 on the preceding page and press the MENU button. This option is available only when a memory card is inserted.

1

Highlight option:

- IN→: Copy recordings from internal memory to memory card
- →IN: Copy recordings from memory card to internal memory

2



Display menu of copy options.

3

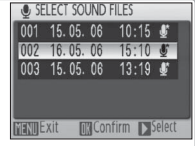
Highlight **Selected files**.*

* To copy all voice recordings, highlight **Copy all files** and press OK button. Confirmation dialog will be displayed; highlight **Yes** and press OK button.

4

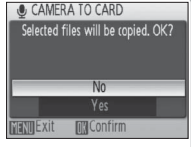
Display list of voice recording files.

5



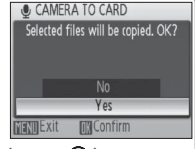
Highlight file.

6



Confirmation dialog displayed.

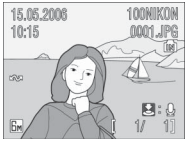
7



Highlight **Yes** and press OK button to copy file.

Viewing Pictures on the Camera

To view pictures full-frame in the monitor (*full-frame playback*), press the [▶] button (if the camera is off, pressing the [▶] button for about a second will turn the camera on in playback mode). The following operations can be performed:



To	Press	
View other pictures	(OK)	19
Delete picture	[🗑]	—
Zoom picture in	**T** (Q)	42
View thumbnails	**W** (▦)	—
View playback mode menu	[m]	5

To	Press	
View playback menu	[MENU]	67
Record/play voice memo	Shutter button	44
Enhance contrast	[◐]	43
Movie: Play movie	(OK)	37
Exit to shooting mode	[▶]	—

Viewing Multiple Pictures: Thumbnail Playback

Pressing the zoom control to **W** (▦) in full-frame playback displays pictures in "contact sheets" of four, nine, or sixteen thumbnail images. The following operations can be performed while thumbnails are displayed:

To	Press	
Highlight picture	(OK)	19
Change number of pictures displayed	**W** (▦)/ **T** (Q)	—
Delete highlighted picture	[🗑]	—

To	Press	
Exit to full-frame playback	(OK)	—
View playback mode menu	[m]	5
View playback menu	[MENU]	67
Enhance contrast	[◐]	43
Exit to shooting mode	[▶]	—

Deleting Pictures

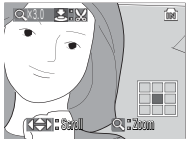
Pressing the [🗑] button in full-frame or thumbnail playback displays the dialog shown at right. Highlight **Yes** and press the (OK) button to delete the selected picture.

Viewing Pictures in Internal Memory

Pictures in internal memory can only be viewed if no memory card is inserted.

Taking a Closer Look: Playback Zoom

Pressing the zoom control to **T** during full-frame playback zooms the current picture in 3×, with the center of the picture displayed in the monitor (Quick Playback Zoom). The following operations can be performed while pictures are zoomed in:



Playback zoom display. Note that "tall" orientation pictures are displayed in "wide" orientation when zoomed in. Select **T** once to display picture in "wide" orientation, again to zoom picture in 3×.

To	Press	
Zoom in (maximum 10×)	**T** (Q)	—
Zoom out	**W** (▦)	—
View other areas of picture	OK	—
Delete picture	🗑	41
Exit to full-frame playback	OK	41
View mode menu	m	5
View playback menu	MENU	67
Create cropped copy (see below)	Shutter button	—
Exit to shooting mode	📷▶	—

Creating a Cropped Copy

If a icon is displayed in the monitor during playback zoom, the portion of the picture currently visible in the monitor can be saved to a separate file. Pressing the shutter-release button displays the dialog shown at right; highlight **Yes** and press the OK button to create a new picture containing only the area visible in the monitor.

Cropped copies are stored as JPEG files with a compression ratio of 1 : 8. Depending on the size of the original and the zoom ratio at the time the copy was created, copies will be 2,592×1,944 (5M), 2,048×1,536 (3M), 1,600×1,200 (2M), 1,280×960 (1M), 1,024×768 (PC), 640×480 (TV), 320×240 (▭), or 160×120 (▭) pixels in size.

Cropped Copies

See the Appendix for more information on cropped copies (89).

Auto Power off (Stand-by Mode)

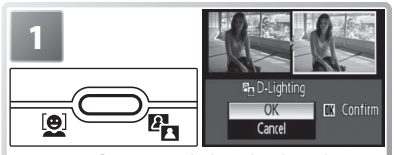
At default settings, the monitor will turn off if no operations are performed for about a minute during playback (stand-by mode; 75). The camera will turn off automatically if no operations are performed for another three minutes.

Enhancing Contrast: D-Lighting

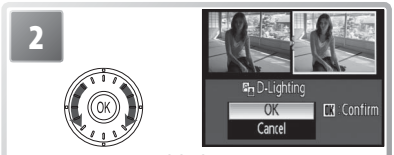
Pressing the button during full-frame or thumbnail playback creates a copy of the current picture with enhanced brightness and contrast, brightening dark and backlit subjects.

Before

After



Confirmation dialog displayed.



Highlight **OK**.

Create copy.

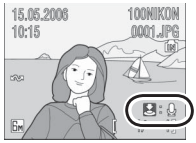
During playback, copies created with D-Lighting are indicated by a icon (6–7).

D-Lighting

See the Appendix for more information on D-Lighting copies (89).

Voice Memos: Recording and Playback

The built-in microphone (2) can be used to record voice memos for pictures marked with a icon in full-frame playback (41).



Recording Voice Memos

To record a voice memo, press and hold the shutter-release button. Recording ends after about 20 seconds or when the button is released. Do not touch the microphone during recording. Note that if a voice memo already exists for the current picture, it must be deleted before a new voice memo can be recorded.

Playing Voice Memos

During playback, pictures to which a voice memo has been appended are indicated by a icon (6–7). Press the shutter-release button to start and stop playback. Volume is controlled by the zoom control. Select **W** to lower volume, **T** to increase.

Deleting Voice Memos

To delete the voice memo for the current picture, press the button. The dialog shown at right will be displayed; rotate the rotary multi selector to highlight an option and press the button to select.

- **No**: Exit without deleting the picture or voice memo.
- : Delete voice memo only.
- **Yes**: Delete both picture and voice memo.

Voice Memos

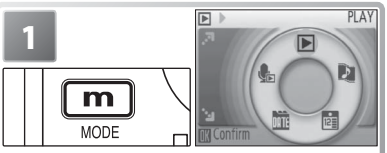
Voice memos can not be added to pictures created with other types of camera. Voice memos recorded using other types of camera can not be played back on the COOLPIX S6. See the Appendix for more information on voice memos (89).

Viewing Pictures by Date

In full-frame and thumbnail playback, pictures taken on selected dates can be selected for viewing, deletion, printing, protection, and transfer.

Calendar Mode: Choose a date from a calendar.

1

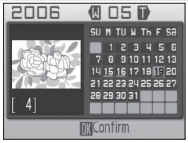


Display playback mode menu (5).

2

Highlight **Calendar** ( ).

3



Dates for which pictures exist are underlined in yellow. The following operations can be performed:

To	Press	
Select month (keep control pressed for quick scroll)	W/T	—
Highlight date (only if pictures exist for more than one date)	OK	—
View pictures taken on date	OK	47
Delete all pictures taken on date	🗑	41
View playback mode menu	m	5
View playback menu	MENU	46
Exit to shooting mode	📷▶	—

Calendar/List by Date

The camera lists a maximum of 9,000 pictures for each date. Dates with more than 9,000 pictures are indicated by an asterisk ("*"). Pictures taken while the camera clock is not set are not displayed.

List-by-Date Mode: Choose a date from a list.

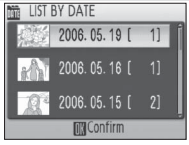
1

Display playback mode menu (5).

2

Highlight **List By Date** (DATE).

3



* Camera lists up to 30 dates. If pictures exist for more than 30 dates, all pictures recorded earlier than most recent 29 dates will be listed together as **Past pictures**.

View dates for which pictures exist. The following operations can be performed:

To	Press	👁
Highlight date	OK	—
View pictures taken on date	OK	47
Delete all pictures taken on date	🗑	41
View playback mode menu	m	5
View playback menu	MENU	—
Exit to shooting mode	📷▶	—

Pressing the MENU button in the calendar or date list displays the options listed at right. These options apply to all pictures taken on the currently selected date.

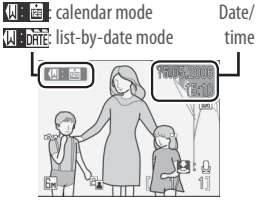
Option	👁
Print set	59
Slide show	68
Delete	68
Protect	68
Transfer marking	68

Print Set/Transfer Marking

Selecting **Print set** or **Transfer marking** from the menu for the calendar or date list displays a confirmation dialog. Selecting **Yes** *removes existing print or transfer marking from all pictures in internal memory or on the memory card*, ensuring that only pictures taken on the selected date are selected for printing or transfer.

Viewing Pictures

To view pictures taken on a selected date, highlight the date in the calendar or date list and press the OK button. The first picture for that date will be displayed full frame, with W : 🗓 (calendar mode) or W : DATE (list-by-date mode) displayed in the top left corner, and the date and time of recording displayed in place of the folder name and file number and type (6–7). The following operations can be performed:



To	Press	👁
View other pictures taken on same date	OK	19
Delete picture	🗑	41
Zoom picture in	T (🔍)	42
View playback mode menu	m	5

To	Press	👁
View playback menu	MENU	—
Record/play voice memo	Shutter button	44
Enhance contrast		43
Movie: Play movie	OK	37
Return to date list	W (▦)	—
Exit to shooting mode	📷▶	—

Pressing the MENU button in full-frame playback displays the options listed at right. These options apply only to the picture currently displayed full frame, although other pictures taken on the same date can be selected.

Option	👁
Print set	59
Slide show	68
Delete	68
Protect	68
Transfer marking	68
Small pic.	69

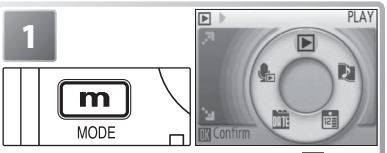
Pictmotion *by muvee*

Pictmotion creates slide show movies with custom transitions and background music. ***It is only available when a memory card is inserted in the camera***.

Creating a Pictmotion Movie

To create a simple movie using the ten most recent pictures during full-frame or thumbnail playback:

1



Display playback mode menu (5).

2

Highlight **Pictmotion**.

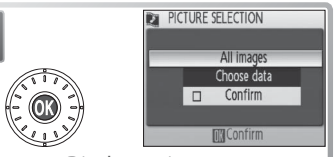
3

Display options.

4

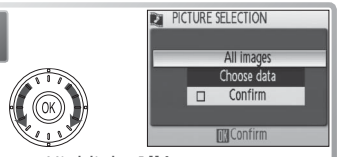
Highlight .

5



Display options.

6

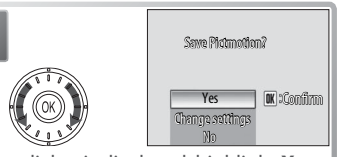


Highlight **All images**.

7

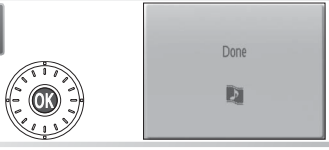
View Pictmotion.

8



When dialog is displayed, highlight **Yes**.

9



Save Pictmotion and return to Step 3.

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