

ISO Settings

photography tips



The term ISO stands for International Standards Organization, and it originally related to photography film speed. The lower the ISO number, the less sensitive the film is to light. That means it takes longer to get the photo you want, to get enough light in. But on the up side, it means the image is a higher quality. ISO 100 is generally the least sensitive setting giving the best quality. On the other end, a high ISO like 25600 is extremely sensitive and works very quickly - but also gets a lot of “noise” (incorrect readings) as a result. The lower the ISO, the cleaner the image. The higher, the messier.



ISO 100



ISO 200



ISO 400



ISO 800



ISO 1600



ISO 3200



ISO 6400



ISO 12800



ISO 25600