Retired Cameras

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# Camera Brands

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ADOX

Adrette I

Description 35mm camera with telescoping front, film loads from bottom. Made in Wirgin factory and identical to the Edinex.

Year c1939 - 1940

Film Size 35mm

Value $40 - $60

Acquired February 26, 2000. Purchased from Keh Camera Outlet in Dallas, Texas for $45.
AGFA ANSCO
No. 1A Folding Ansco

Description  Anastigmat f7.5 in Ilex
Year  c1915 - 1926
Film Size  116 rollfilm
Value  $12 - $20
Acquired  May 2010. Purchased on eBay for $7.50.
AGFA ANSCO
No. 1 Ansco Junior

Description  Vertical-style. Originally available with Achromatic, Rectilinear or Modico Anastigmat lens in Actus or Bionic shutter. Later versions had other options.

Year  c1924 - 1932

Film Size  2 1/4 X 3 1/4" on rollfilm

Value  $15 - $30

AGFA ANSCO
No. 1 Readyset Royal

Description  Folding camera with genuine leather covering in specially embossed and colored finish. The somewhat random radical striations and the brown & black mottled colors give the appearance of the fur of a silver fox. The exposed metal parts are grey enameled. Black bellows; chrome trim. Originally packaged in silver-colored cardboard box.

Year  c1931 - 1932

Film Size  B2

Value  $30 - $50

Acquired  October 15, 2000. Purchased at Looking Glass Antique Mall in Lewisville, Texas for $45
AGFA ANSCO
D-6 Shur-Shot Special

Description Same as Shur-Shot Regular, but with built-in closeup lens. Early type, c1935, has black art-deco faceplate, has vertical band of 30 narrow stripes, flanked by three stars on each side of the lens. Later, c1939, has light face with U-shaped band of 6 thin black stripes.

Year c1935 - 1941

Film Size 116

Value $5 - $15

AGFA ANSCO

Shur-Flash

Description Basic box camera with flash attachment. The film box still contains two unopened rolls of film. There is one opened roll, but it does not appear to have been exposed. Looks like it was just opened and placed back inside the foil wrapper. The expiration date on the back of the film box says May 1961.

Year c1953

Film Size 120

Value $1 - $10 Original list price according to the card it came with was $9.75 including tax. This included the Shur-Flash Camera, Anscoflash Type III, three rolls of Ansco all-weather film and four flashlamps. The two AA batteries for the flash were not included.

AGFA ANSCO
Super Regent

**Description**  Made by Agfa Munchen; the Ansco equivalent of the Agfa Super solinette. CRF. Solinar f3.5 lens in Synchro-Compurshutter.

**Year**  1954 - 1960

**Film Size**  35mm

**Value**  $55 - $85

**Acquired**  June 11, 2000. Purchased at Montgomery Street Antique Mall in Fort Worth, Texas for $21.
ARGUS

Argus A

Description 35mm cartridge camera with bakelite body. Argus Anastigmat f4.5/50mm in collapsible mount. Early models have fixed pressure plate, sprockets on one side of film. Later models have floating pressure plate and sprockets on both sides. Of early types, the first 30-35 thousand were made before a tripod socket was added to the bottom and the rewind knob thickened to match. Originally advertised in the following color combinations: black/chrome, gray/gunmetal, ivory/gold.

Year 1936 - 1941

Film Size 35mm

Value $20 - $30

ARGUS

C2

Description Like the "C", but the rangefinder is coupled. Introduced just after the model C in 1938. An Early "brick", also found with all metal trim in high polished-chrome finish.

Year 1938 - 1942

Film Size 35mm

Value $25 - $40

ARGUS

C3

Description The most common "brick", and found in at least five variations in film-wind knob, accessory clip and name plate designs. A solid, durable and well-like camera, like the C2, but internal sync.

Year 1939 - 1966

Film Size 35mm

Value $12 - $20

ARGUS
Argoflex E

Description Focusing 3-element, f4.5/75mm, Varex Anasitgmat; shutter b-200

Year 1940 - 1948

Film Size 620

Value $25 - $40

ARGUS

Argoflex Seventy-five

Description Black plastic body, fixed focus
Year 1949 - 1958
Film Size 620
Value $1 - $10
ARGUS
Argus Seventy-five

Description: Black plastic body, fixed focus. Same as Argoflex Seventy-five, but name shortened from Argoflex to Argus.

Year: 1940 - 1948

Film Size: 620

Value: $1 - $10
ARGUS
C-twenty

Description Replaced the A4, using the same basic body style but incorporating a rangefinder. Brown plastic body.

Year 1956 - 1958

Film Size 35mm

Value $15 - $30

**ARGUS**

Argus C3 Matchmatic

**Description** Basically a face-lifted C3 in two-tone finish. Designed for use with a non-coupled clip-on selenium meter.

**Year** 1958 - 1966

**Film Size** 35mm

**Value** $20 - $30

**Acquired** February 2010. Purchased on ebay for $20.13
BRAUN
Paxette I

Description
Looks like a rangefinder camera, but actually houses an extinction meter in the second window. Slightly raised accessory shoe and frame counter in front of shoe. Kata f2.8/45mm.

Year 1953

Film Size 35mm

Value $30 - $50

BUSCH
Pressman Model D

Description f4.7 127mm Ektar lens. Press camera styled like Graphic. The body is made of aluminum.

Year c1949

Film Size 4X5

Value $175 - $250

BUSCH
Pressman Model C

**Description**  f4.5  101mm Wollensak lens.  Miniature press camera

**Year**  c1949

**Film Size**  2 1/4 X 3 1/4

**Value**  $125 - $200

CAMERA CORP OF AMERICA

Perfex Fifty Five

Description  Wollensak Velostigmat lens. Focal-plane shutter, 1-1250, B, sync. CRF. Extinction meter and exposure calculator.

Year  1940 - 1945

Film Size  35mm

Value  $40 - $60

CENTURY

Master Studio

**Description** Master Studio Camera

**Year** c1895 - 1905

**Film** Glass plates

**Value**

DETROLA

Detrola KW

Description Wollensak f3.5 lens
Year c1939 - 1940
Film 3X4cm on 127
Value $15 - $30

Acquired November 2010. Bought on eBay for $27
EASTMAN KODAK
No. 3A Folding Pocket Kodak Model B-4

Description Vertical folding-bed camera for 3 1/4 X 5 1/2 exposures on 122 rollfilm (introduced for this camera). Flat, rectangular front door. Red bellows (black after August 1912). Polished-wood insets on bed.

Year 1903 - 1912

Film Size 122

Value $40 - $60 - Original list price - $78
EASTMAN KODAK
No. 2A Brownie Model C

Description Aluminum body
Year 1907 - 1933
Film Size 116
Value $30 - $50 - Original list price - $4
EASTMAN KODAK

No. 2A Brownie

Description  Early models have cardboard bodies, later ones have aluminum bodies

Year  1907 - 1933

Film Size  116

Value  $1 - $10 - Original list price - $3

EASTMAN KODAK
No. 3A Folding Brownie

Description Identifiable by their square-cornered bodies and horizontal format.

Year 1909 - 1915

Film Size 122

Value $50 - $75 - Original list price - $12

Acquired c1997. Purchased at West End antique shop in Dallas, Texas for $95.
Description: Vertical folding-bed camera for 3 1/4 X 5 1/2 exposures on 122 rollfilm (introduced for this camera). Flat, rectangular front door. Red bellows (black after August 1912). Polished-wood insets on bed.

Year: 1912 - 1915

Film Size: 118

Value: $40 - $60 - Original list price - $68

EASTMAN KODAK

No. 1A Autographic Kodak Junior

Description The Autographic feature was introduced by Kodak in late 1914, and was available on several lines of cameras.

Year 1914 - 1927

Film Size 116

Value $15 - $30 - Original list price - $24

Acquired March 2000. Purchased for $33.60
EASTMAN KODAK
No. 3A Folding Autographic Brownie

Description A continuation of the Folding Brownie Camera series, but with the addition of the "Autographic" feature. About 1916, when the 3A size was introduced, they were all given the new rounded ends.

Year 1916 - 1926

Film Size 122

Value $12 - $20 - Original list price - $18

Acquired April 1, 2000. Purchased at Looking Glass Antique Mall in Lewisville, Texas for $49.50.
EASTMAN KODAK
No. 2A Folding Cartridge Hawkeye Model B

Description: Single Achromatic or RR lens.
Year: 1926 - 1934
Film Size: 116
Value: $12 - $20
EASTMAN KODAK
No. 1A Pocket Kodak Series II

Description  Blue, Meniscus Achromatic lens in Kodex shutter

Year  1928 - 1932

Film Size  116

Value  $20 - $30 - Original list price - $25

Acquired  July 3, 2000. Purchased at Looking Glass Antique Mall in Lewisville, Texas for $42.57.
Description Special edition of the No. 2 Hawk-Eye Camera Model C, issued to commemorate the 50th anniversary of Eastman Kodak Co. Approximately 550,000 were given away to children 12 years old in 1930. Covered with a tan-colored reptile-grained paper covering with a gold-colored foil seal on the upper rear corner of the right side.

Year 1930

Film Size 120

Value $20 - $30 - Original list price - $6 (loaded)

Acquired January 4, 1999. Purchased at Antiques Etc. in Lewisville, Texas for $9.50
EASTMAN KODAK
Folding Rainbow Hawk-Eye

Description Similar to the Folding Hawk-Eye Cameras, but available in black and colors: blue, brown, green and old rose.

Year 1930 - 1933

Film Size 2 1/2 X 4 1/4"

Value $65 - $100

EASTMAN KODAK

Folding Rainbow Hawk-Eye

Description Similar to the Folding Hawk-Eye Cameras, but available in black and colors: blue, brown, green and old rose.

Year 1930 - 1933

Film Size 2 1/2 X 4 1/4"

Value $65 - $100

EASTMAN KODAK

Jiffy Kodak Six-16

Description  Art-deco enameled front
Year  1933 - 1937
Film Size  616
Value  $12 - $20 - Original list price - $7.50
EASTMAN KODAK
Flying Film Co.

Description Round foil label on the side is embossed with "Mail Your Films To Flying Film Co. San Antonio Texas"

Year 1933 - 1937

Film Size 116

Value

EASTMAN KODAK

Six-16 Improved

Description Enameled art-deco body sides. Slim chrome struts support self-erecting front. Kodak Anastigmat lens f.6.3

Year 1934 - 1936

Film Size 616

Value $40 - $60 Original list price - $40

Acquired April 2010. Purchased on eBay for $33.
EASTMAN KODAK
Six-16 Brownie Junior

Description  Box camera with art-deco front
Year        1934 - 1942
Film Size   616
Value       $1 - $10 - Original list price - $2.75
EASTMAN KODAK

Jiffy Kodak Vest Pocket

Description 4.5X6cm on 127 rollfilm. Black plastic construction.

Year 1935 - 1942

Film Size 127 roll film

Value $25 - $40 - Original list price - $5
EASTMAN KODAK
Kodak Jr. Six-16 Series II

Description  Quick release bar at front of bed
Year 1937 - 1940
Film Size 616
Value $12 - $20 - Original list price - $16
EASTMAN KODAK

Kodak Jr. Six-20 Series III

Description  Self-erecting, streamlined bed supports

Year 1938 - 1939

Film Size 620

Value $12 - $20 - Original list price - $25

Acquired March 26, 2000. Purchased at Texas Star Antique Mall in Forney, Texas for $28.
EASTMAN KODAK

Kodak Vigilant Six-20

Description  Folding rollfilm camera with folding optical finder and body release.

Year  1939 - 1949

Film Size  620

Value  $20 - $30 Original list price - $38
EASTMAN KODAK
Kodak 35

Description f3.5 Kodak Anast. Special or Kodak Anastar lens. Kodamatic or Flash Kodamatic shutter.

Year 1940 - 1951

Film Size 35mm

Value $20 - $30 Original list price - $48

EASTMAN KODAK
Brownie Flash Six-20

Description Metal trapezoid box camera
Year 1940 - 1954
Film Size 620
Value $1- $10 - Original list price - $6
Acquired 1997. Purchased at First Monday in Canton, Texas along with case.
EASTMAN KODAK
Six-20 Flash Brownie

Description Metal trapezoid box camera
Year 1940 - 1954
Film Size 620
Value $1 - $10 - Original list price - $4.25

Acquired April 2001. Gift from parents. I had already purchased the flash on September 18, 1999 at Underwood Antique Mall in Mason when I purchased a Spartus Press Flash Camera. Little did I know that I would receive the camera that went with it a few years later.
EASTMAN KODAK

Target Brownie Six-16

Description Metal and leatherette box camera. Name changed from Target Brownie to Brownie Target in 1946.

Year 1941-1946

Film Size 616

Value $1 - $10 Original list price - $3
EASTMAN KODAK

Brownie Reflex Camera Synchro

Description  TLR for 1 5/8 X 1 5/8" exposure on 127 film

Year 1941- 1952

Film Size 127

Value $1 - $10 Original list price - $6

Acquired July 30, 2010. Purchased on ebay for $5
EASTMAN KODAK

Retina I (Type 010)

Description  Similar to pre-war Type148. Kodak Ektar f3.5 50mm Compar-Rapid lens

Year 1945-1949

Film Size 35mm

Value $55-85 - Original list price - $73

Acquired September 2010 Gift from parents
EASTMAN KODAK

Brownie Target Six-16

Description Metal and leatherette box camera. Name changed from Target Brownie to Brownie Target in 1946.

Year 1946 - 1951

Film Size 616

Value $1 - $10 - Original list price - $4

EASTMAN KODAK

Brownie Target Six-16

Description  Metal and leatherette box camera. Name changed from Target Brownie to Brownie Target in 1946.

Year 1946 - 1951

Film Size 616

Value $1 - $10 - Original list price - $4
EASTMAN KODAK

Duaflex II

Description  TLR camera with fixed-focus Kodex f/15 lens.
Year  1950 - 1954
Film Size  620
Value  $1 - $10 - Original list price - $22
EASTMAN KODAK

Brownie Hawkeye Flash Camera

Description: Molded plastic box camera
Year: 1950 - 1961
Film Size: 620
Value: $1 - $10 - Original list price - $7
EASTMAN KODAK
Brownie Hawkeye Flash Camera

Description: Molded plastic box camera
Year: 1950 - 1961
Film Size: 620
Value: $1 - $10 - Original list price - $7
EASTMAN KODAK

Duraflex IV

Description TLR camera with Kodar 72mm f/8 lens. Brown leatherette and plastic covering.

Year 1955 - 1960

Film Size 620

Value $8 - $15 - Original list price - $24.50

EASTMAN KODAK
Pony IV

**Description** Non-interchangeable Kodak Anastar f3.5/44mm

**Year** 1957 - 1961

**Film Size** 35mm

**Value** $12 - $20 Original list price - $40

**Acquired** July 2005. Friend picked up for me at an auction in Ben Wheeler, TX for $10.
EASTMAN KODAK

Instamatic 300

Description Coupled selenium meter. Pop-up flash. Made in USA, England and Canada

Year 1963 - 1966

Film Size 126

Value $5 - $15

HOUGHTON
Ensign Cadet?

Description Maroon leather grained covering, Everset I+T shutter, achromatic lens

Year 1927 -1931

Film Size 2 1/2"

Acquired Purchased at West End antique shop in Dallas, Texas for $35.
HERBERT GEORGE

Flick-N-Flash

Description  Twin-lens box camera

Film Size  620 (2 1/4X2 1/4)

Value  $1-$10

Acquired  January 2009. Bought on eBay for $11.50
Description Okay, so maybe this isn't an antique just yet, but I thought it was interesting enough to post. There is a sliding button on the front that is labeled 1.5 - 2m. ISO 100, 200, 300 and 400

Acquired Gift from parents.
Mamiya

Family

Description SLR Behind-the-lens Copal shutter B, 15-250. Mirror flap serves as shutter. Sekor f2.8/48mm non-interchangeable lens. Uncoupled exposure meter with cell on front of prism.

Year c1962

Film Size 35mm

Value $60 - $90

Acquired July 30, 2010. Purchased on ebay for $1.80
Description  By Feinwerktechnik, Lahr, Germany for 10x14mm exposures on 16mm film in cassettes. Pull-out finder protects double exposure. Lenses: Color Ennit 2.8/20 & Heligon 2/22 all metal focal plane shutter 1/30 - 1/1000 Sek.

Year 1956 - 1960

Film Size 16mm

MIRANDA
Auto Sensorex EE

Description 50mm f1.8 Auto Miranda E lens
Year c1971 - 1977
Film Size 35mm
Value $65 - $100
Acquired Gift from parents.
POLAROID
Polaroid Land Camera Model 95

Description The first instant picture camera. Folding design. Aperatures f11-f45, speeds 1/8-1/60s, linked and controlled by single dial, numbered 1-8. Took Polaroid's first instant rollfilm to make sepia pictures in around a minute. Early models had rigid viewfinder mast, later models had a folding mast.


Year 1948 - 1953

Film Size Instant rollfilm

Value $15 - $30

Acquired February 11, 2001. Purchased at Montgomery Street Antique Mall in Fort Worth, Texas for $32.50 with case.
POLAROID

Polaroid 150

Description Similar to the 95B with EV system, but also including CRF with focus knob below bed, parallax correction and hot shoe. Charcoal gray covering.

Year 1957 - 1960

Film Size Instant rollfilm

Value $8-15 - Original list price - $110
POLAROID

Polaroid J-66

**Description** Newly styled electric-eye camera with simple f/19 lens. Tiny swing-out flash for AG-1 bulbs

**Year** 1961 - 1963

**Film Size** Instant rollfilm

**Value** $10

**Acquired** 2007. Gift from parents.
PRINTEX
Printex Press Camera

Description Rigid-bodied, all-metal press camera. Telescoping lens mount rather than bellows found on the popular Speed Graphics of its day. Made in 2 1/4 X 3 1/4" (pictured here) and 4 X 5" sizes.

Year c1946

Film Size 2 1/4 X 3 1/4"

Value $120 - $180

Description Folding field camera. Polished wood. Brass fittings.

Year c1893 - 1914

Film Size 5X7

Value $175 - $250

Acquired January 29, 2000. Purchased at Looking Glass Antique Mall in Lewisville, TX for $600 with tripod.
Description Patents on camera are February 6, 1900 and July 23, 1901, folding-bed plate, leather covered wood body, nicely finished wood interior and maroon bellows. Band around lens reads 4X5 rapid rectilinear.

Film Size 4X5

SEARS
Sears Tower 51 (1958a)

Description  Similar to the Tower 51 (1957) but with LEFT hand film advance. The film advance is a two-piece hinged lever, concentric with the rewind knob, Cassar f2.8/50mm in Prontor-SVS shutter. B, 1-300

Year 1958

Film Size 35mm

Value $25 - $40

Acquired 1997. Purchased at a camera show in Grapevine, Texas.
SEARS
Sears KSX Super

Year c1981
Film Size 35mm
SPARTUS

Spartus Press Flash

**Description** Bakelite box camera. Advertised in April 1939 under both Spartus Press Flash (Utility Mfg. Co.) and Falcon Press Flash names. First camera to have a built-in flash reflector. Historically significant and interesting from a design standpoint.

**Year** 1939 - 1950

**Value** $8 - $15

**Acquired** September 18, 1999. Purchased at Underwood Antique Mall in Mason, Texas for $37.71.
STAR-LITE

Star-Lite

Description  Japanese "Hit" type novelty camera

Year 1962

Value $25 - $40

Acquired  May 28, 1999. Purchased at antique store in Tyler, Texas for $40.50.
YASHICA

Yashica D

Description  Speeds and apertures controlled by thumb wheels; settings visible in small windows above viewing lens. TLR, Yashikor f3.5/80mm lens in Copal MXV 500 shutter.

Year  1958 - 1974

Film Size  120

Value  $60 - $90

Acquired  c1995. Purchased at Arlington Camera in Arlington, Texas for about $95. I purchased for use in a college photography class. It served its purpose and now makes a nice addition to my antique camera collection.
YASHICA

Yashica 44

Description  First Japanese TLR with this image size. Yashikor f3.5/60mm lens. Copal-SV B, 1 sec 1/500 shutter. Crank advance with automatic stop. Bayonets on both lenses. Available in black grey(pictured), lavender & grey or brown.

Year  1958

Film Size  127

Value  $60 - $90

YASHICA

Yashica 44A

Description
Simplified version of 44. Knob advance using rear window, not crank with auto stop. Yashikor f3.5/60mm. No bayonets on lenses Copal shutter B, 1/25 to 1/300. Available in various colors, including blue, gray, rose (pictured) or black enamel with gray leatherette. Most nameplates have "44" on front with "A" engraved on top. Some late ones have "44A" on front.

Year 1960

Film Size 127

Value $60 - $90

YASHICA

Electro 35 GS

Description Following the successful Electro 35, the name continued to be applied to a full line of rangefinder cameras. Some are marked "Hong Kong". Models include : Electro 35 CC, FC, GL, GS (pictured), GSN, GT, GTN, MC and Professional.

Year 1973

Film Size 35mm

Value $40 - $60

YASHICA

Electro 35 GSN

Description Following the successful Electro 35, the name continued to be applied to a full line of rangefinder cameras. Some are marked "Hong Kong". Models include: Electro 35 CC, FC, GL, GS, GSN (pictured), GT, GTN, MC and Professional.

Year 1973

Film Size 35mm

Value $40 - $60

Acquired March 18, 2005. Purchased at an auction in Mineola, Texas for $5 with case.