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# **G1** Camera Bag

## Choosing the bag

My father's camera bag finally cave up and broke. I decided to buy new one, I visited Anttila and Gigantti but I didn't find any good camera bags. Then I went local photo store (Kallioniemi) and they had Lowepro camera bags. I looked the Nova 2 first but it was too small. Then I looked Nova 3 and it felt just like right size for my equipment. I checked the Nova 4 also but it was too big, I could have fitted all my gear and my fathers SLR + 2 lenses easily. Bag cost me 350FIM (60 EUR/\$55) I might have got it cheaper if I have ordered it from somewhere but I needed it immediately.

The equipment that I want to keep in my bag:

- Canon G1 (with LensMate adaptor + UV-filter)
  - i Another CF-card
  - Remote control
  - USB-cable
  - i AC-adaptor
  - AV-cable with Scart
- 1 2 Flashes
  - Metz
  - Nissin
  - Slave cell
  - i Hotshoe-to-PC-adapter
  - i PC-cables
- □ Iomega Clik! + 5 disks
- Small bubble tube
- 49mm Polarizer
- □ ND-filter(s)\*
- Wide angle lens\*
- Lens cleaning kit

(I don't have equipment marked with \* yet)

#### **Pros**

- Enough space for all my equipment (inner dimensions 23cm x 15cm x 19cm)
- Equipment is protected by "Shockabsorbent closed cell foam"
- Versatility; all dividers are adjustable
- Two ways to carry the back; from the handle on the lid or shoulder strap
- Can be attached to belt/backpacks front
- Lots of pockets, all have zippers
- Outer material is Water-resistant and zippers are protected from water too

### **Cons**

- Bag is quite heavy when all equipment is in it (for example I can leave flashes home when you go to photograph landscapes in daytime)
- Shape of the bag is more bulky than the old one, can't fit the bag to backpack with clothes for 3 days. The old one was a lot smaller, but I could only put G1, Iomega Clik!, 1 flash to the bag and it was full.

#### **Pictures**



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