

Can a digital camera really outclass color film?

According to tests done by Popular Photography, Canon's new 16.7 megapixel EOS 1Ds Mark II took better pictures than a regular SLR camera (Canon's EOS 3) shooting high-quality ISO 100 film.

Interesting, as a few years ago Popular Photography predicted that digital cameras would have to reach at least 24 to 30 megapixels before they'd compete against film cameras in quality. But that stance seems to have changed, as they are now claiming the better color and lower noise of the EOS 1Ds Mark II gives digital cameras the winning edge.

First Digital Camera that is better than Film

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Canon EOS-1D Mark II digital SLR camera. The camera is shown from a front-three-quarter view. The background is white with the word "First" repeated in a light, cursive font. The camera is black with a large lens and a flash unit. The lens has a yellowish-orange tint. The flash unit is on the top right. The camera has various control buttons and dials. The background is white with the word "First" repeated in a light, cursive font.

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