



Kodak

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Medium: Photography

Artist Statement

As anyone who possesses a sense of vision will notice, the object in this photo is a camera. More than that, it's a relatively old camera. "Old", though, is a relative term. The camera, a Kodak Bimat, was first produced in 1939, while the first camera ever was invented in 1816 by some French guy. So, again, in relative terms the Bimat's pretty new. Photography has been around for 207 years. Which is almost 12 times longer than I've been around. So while I used to think that photography, as an art form, was a part of me. Something I did, I loved, and generally succeeded in. But recently I've come to realize that as the art form is over two centuries old, it exists on its own, outside of me and around me, and I am merely a small portion, a fraction of its existence and I feel brighter knowing I've been a part of it and hopefully made a mark on the medium.

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