

# NA - C50

For Canon EOS C50 Cinema Camera

PN 17344

**User Manual**  
Cinema Housing  
FF-MIL

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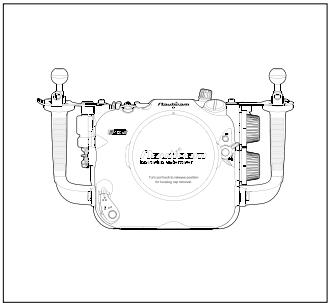
# INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing this Nauticam product.

Before using the product, please read this manual thoroughly to familiarize yourself with full scope of functions on the product as well as ensuring that you will use the product correctly.

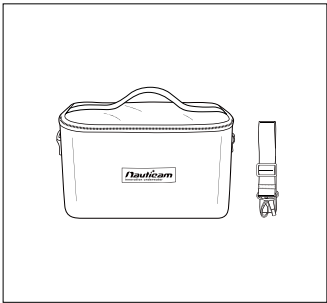
# PACKAGE CONTENTS

Make sure that you have all the included items listed below before using this product.  
If some items are missing or damaged, contact your local Nauticam dealer.

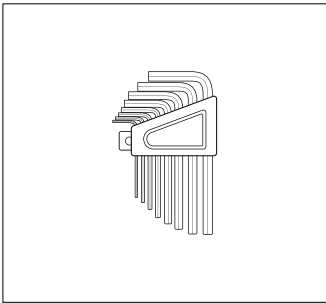


NA-C50

(2 x Handles with Mounting Balls, 1 x Housing Cap,  
2 x Optical Fiber Mount Caps, 2 x Stainless Steel Handle Brackets)



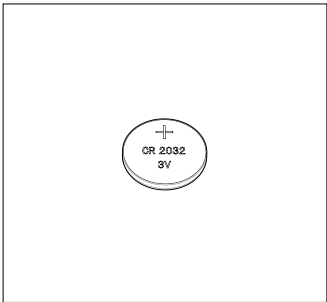
Padded Travel Case



Allen key set

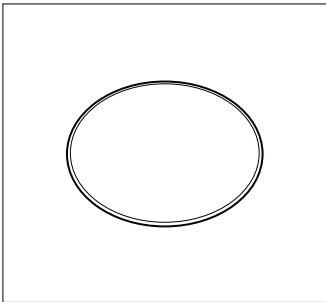


Lubricant



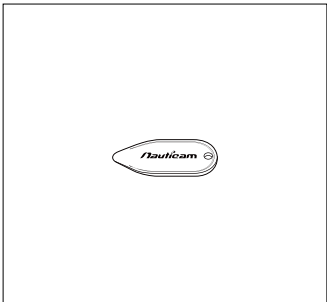
Panasonic CR2032 Battery

(pre-installed for Moisture Alarm)

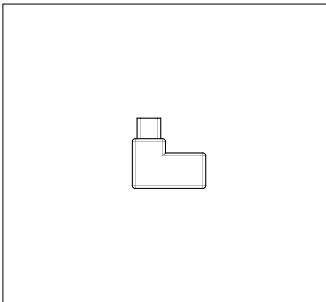


Spare Main O-ring  
#90222

After purchase, we suggest that  
you reuse all packaging materials  
for future travelling.



O-ring Remover



USB-C to USB-C Right Angled  
Cable for Power Delivery

# IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

1

Water-tight test of the housing (without camera inside) before usage is recommended as well as any O-ring renewal and port change.

2

Do not seal the housing when travelling by air as this may lead to a pressure difference between the atmosphere and inside the housing.

3

Only the accessories specified by Nauticam must be used. Third-party accessories may result in malfunctions or damage to the product.

4

Use only Nauticam lubricant on silicone rubber O-ring.

5

Do not stretch any O-rings excessively. Only remove it using Nauticam O-ring remover.



6

Discontinue use immediately when there is a sign of leakage.

7

Do not attempt to remove parts of the housing yourself. Repairs must be done at authorized service centers only.

8

The housing should be positioned on the a stable and safe surface on land.

9

Do not expose the housing in direct sunlight for a prolonged period.

10

Do not open the housing in wet or sandy environment. Protect the housing from moisture and debris in order to prevent malfunction or leakage.

11

Prevent any sand or dust or water penetration inside the housing. Be extra careful when changing lens and inserting or removing the camera.

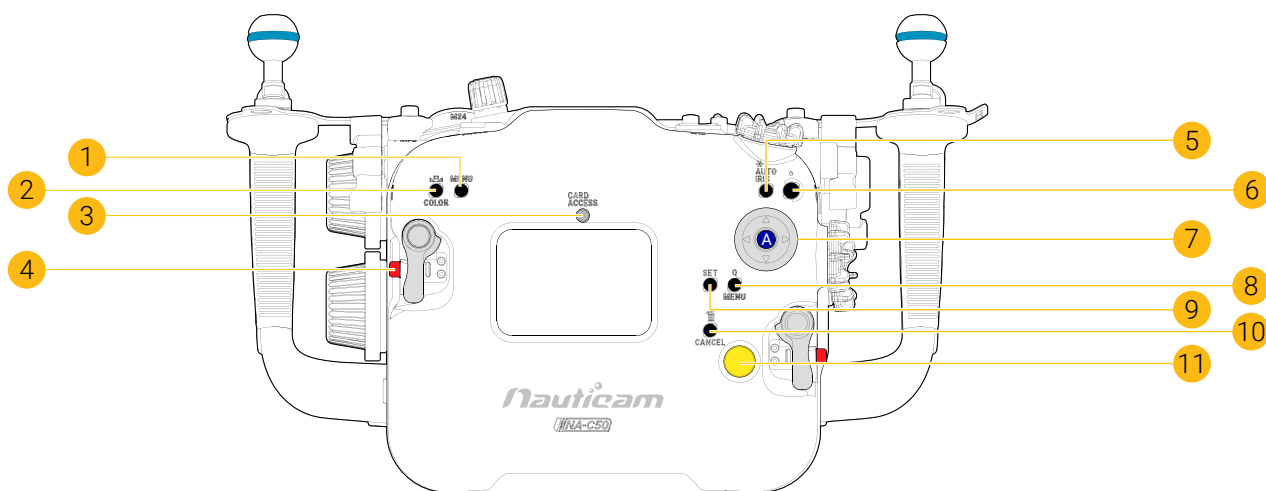


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This product is not intended for use by children, or persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they are supervised and/or given instruction by a responsible person concerning use of the product to ensure that they can use it safely.

# PART NAMES AND FUNCTIONS

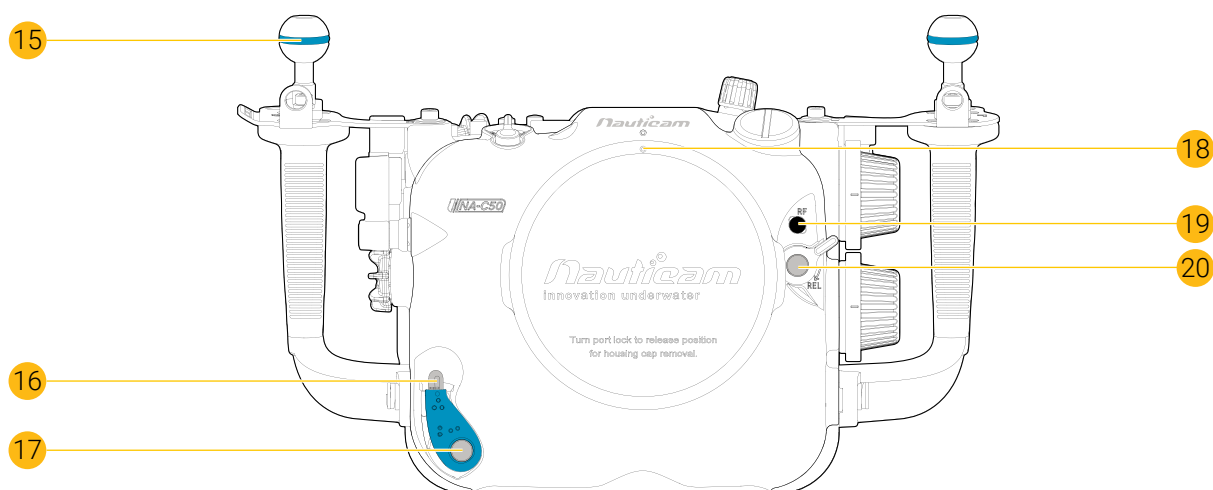
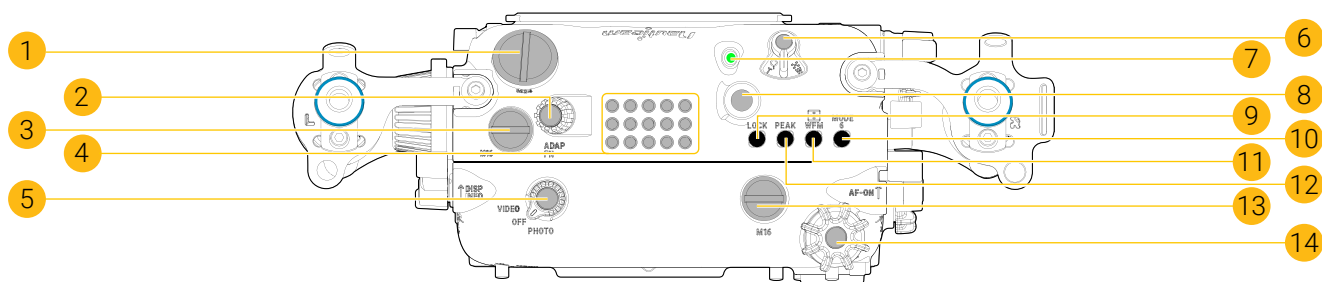
Rear View




- |                                     |                                      |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| ① Menu button                       | ② White balance button / Rate button |
| ③ Access lamp                       | ④ Housing unlock button              |
| ⑤ Auto Iris button / AE lock button | ⑥ AF-ON button                       |
| ⑦ Multi selector                    | ⑧ Menu button / Quick control button |
| ⑨ Set button                        | ⑩ Cancel button / Erase button       |
| ⑪ Moisture alarm window             | Ⓐ Menu/Set button                    |

# PART NAMES AND FUNCTIONS

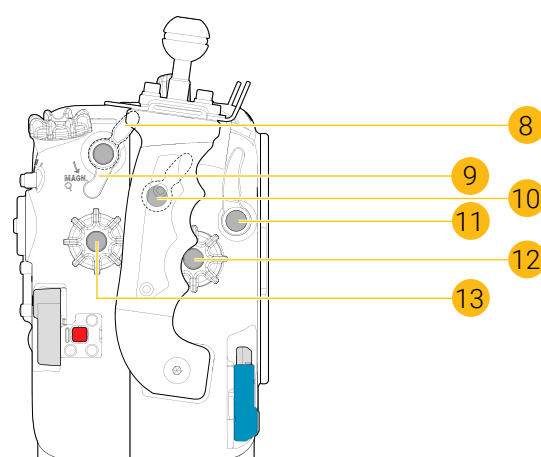
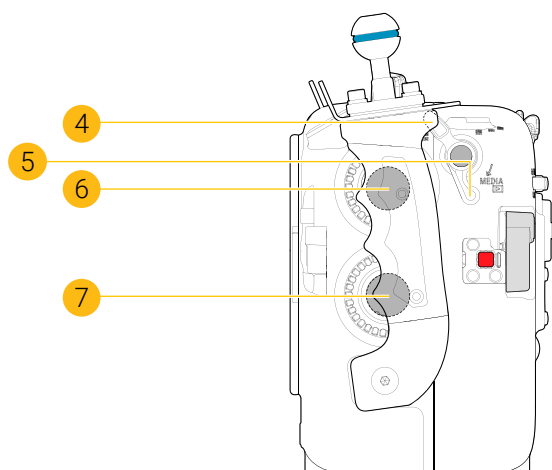
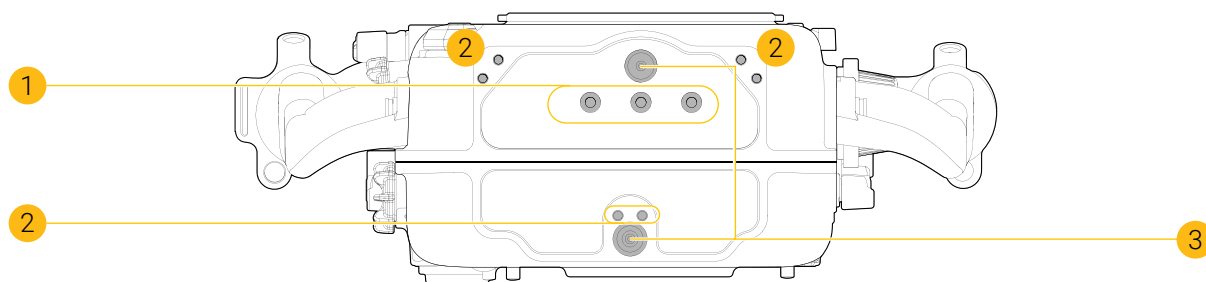
Top + Front Views



- |  |                         |                            |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 M24 Accessory port   | 2 Adaptor Fn dial       | 3 M16 Accessory port       |
| 4 15x 1/4-20 UNC holes   | 5 Power switch          | 6 Zoom lever               |
| 7 Port lock safety indicator window  | 8 M10 Accessory port    | 9 Lock button              |
|  <i>The port is securely locked when the window shows green</i> |                         |                            |
| 10 Mode 6 button   | 11 WFM button           | 12 Peaking button          |
| 13 M16 Accessory port  | 14 Quick control dial 2 | 15 Accessory mounting ball |
| 16 Port lock safety button   | 17 Port locking lever   | 18 Port index mark         |
| 19 RF mount lens release button  | 20 Lens release lever   |                            |

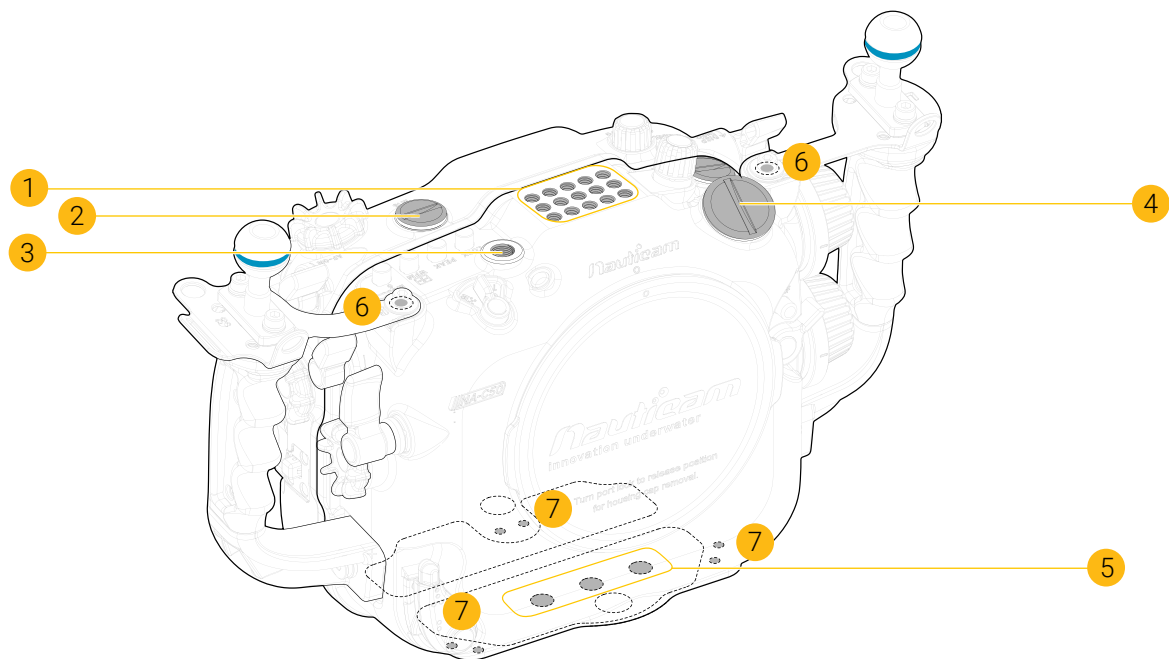
# PART NAMES AND FUNCTIONS

Back + Side Views



- |    |                              |    |                   |
|----|------------------------------|----|-------------------|
| 1  | 1/4" Threaded tripod holes   | 2  | M5 Threaded holes |
| 3  | Sacrificial zinc anodes      | 4  | DISP INFO levere  |
| 5  | Media lever / Playback lever | 6  | Zoom/Focus knob   |
| 7  | Zoom/Focus knob              | 8  | AF-ON levere      |
| 9  | Magnify levere               | 10 | FUNC / M-Fn lever |
| 11 | Shutter release lever        | 12 | Main dial         |
| 13 | Quick control dial 1         |    |                   |

# HOUSING MOUNT



## Housing mount

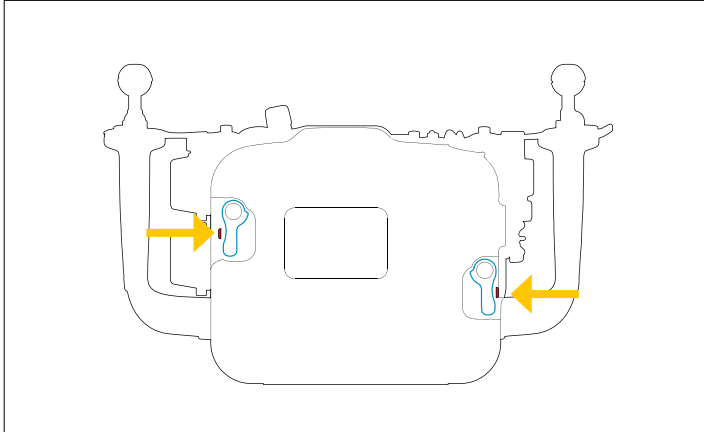
## Compatible accessories

1	1/4" -20 mounting threads	17959	Housing Mounting ball with 1/4" screws	
2	M16 Accessory port	25625	M16 Vacuum Valve II (Optional)	
3	M10 Accessory port	25221	M10 Strobe mounting ball	
		25224	M10 Strobe mounting ball with hole	
4	M24 Accessory port	25086	M24 adaptor for HDMI 2.0 cable	HDMI 2.0
		25099	HDMI 2.0 cable	
		25033	Standard HDMI bulkhead with M16 thread	HDMI 1.4
		26326	M24-M16 Adaptor for use with 26325	
		25100	HDMI (D-A) 1.4 Cable in 200mm length	
* HDMI1.4 cable can be installed using M24 or M16 accessory port				
5	1/4" -20 mounting threads	17954	Universal tripod plate	
		17960	Universal quadra-pod plate	
6	M5 Accessory ports	25228	M5 Strobe mounting ball	
7	M5 Threaded holes	25218	Mounting ball set for tripod legs	

# OPENING THE HOUSING

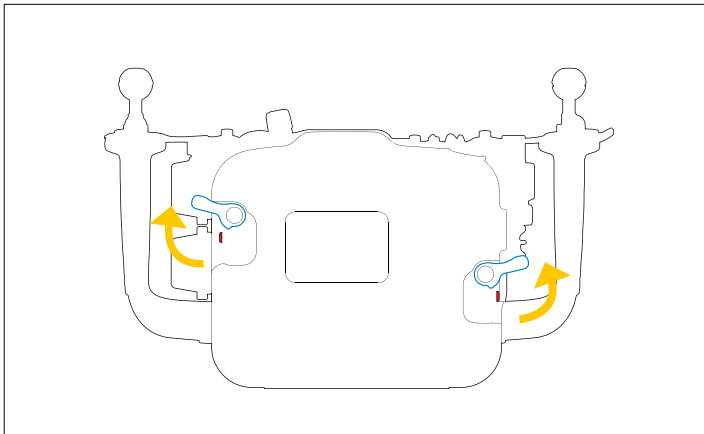
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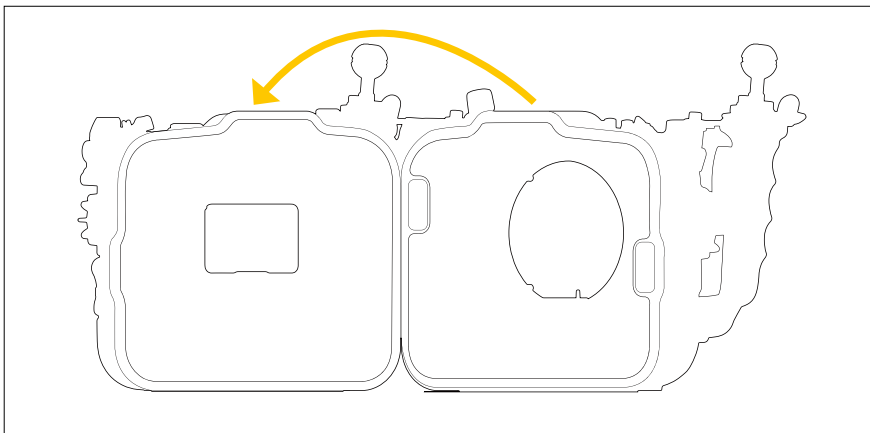
depress housing unlock button

2



turn housing lock outward

3

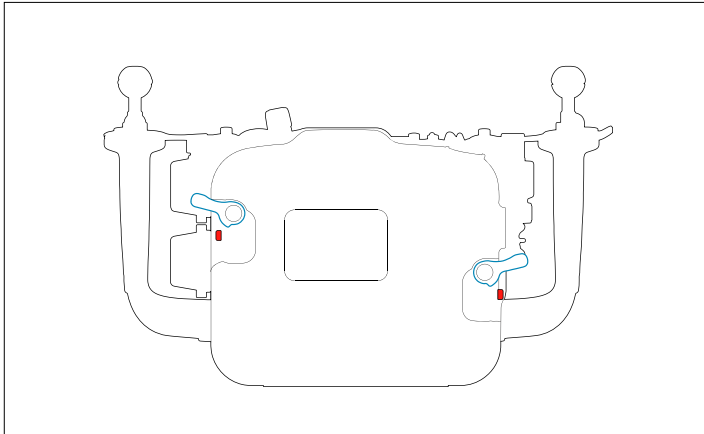


lift up the back housing

# CLOSING THE HOUSING

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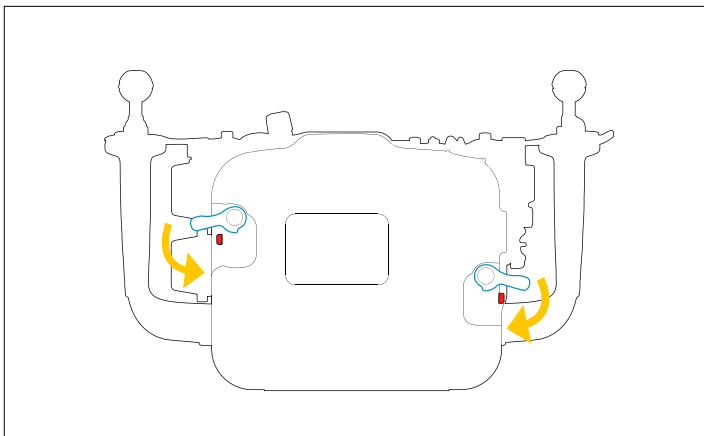
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before closing the housing, clean and lubricate the main O-ring

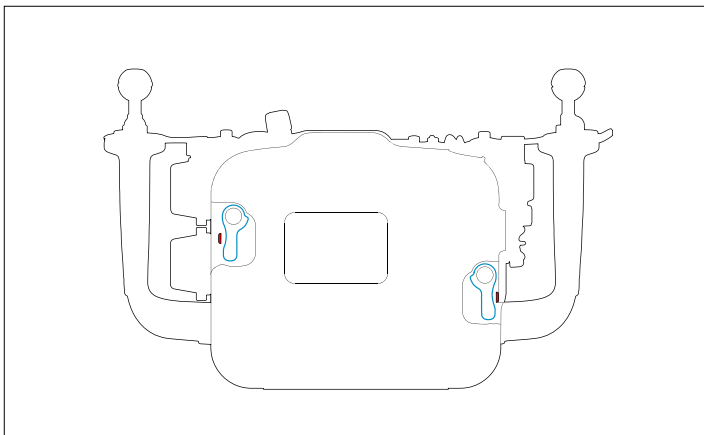
make sure nothing is caught between front and back housing and that they are fully aligned before locking

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turn housing lock inward until you hear and feel it click into place

3



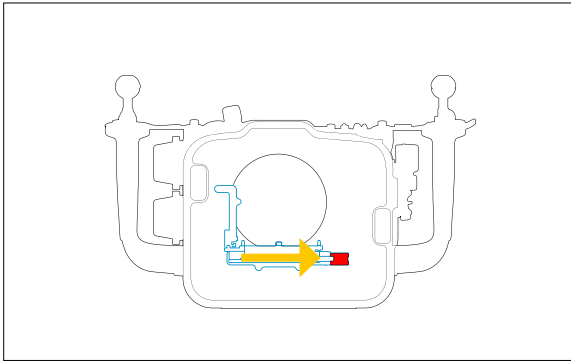
housing locked in place securely

# PREPARATION FOR USE

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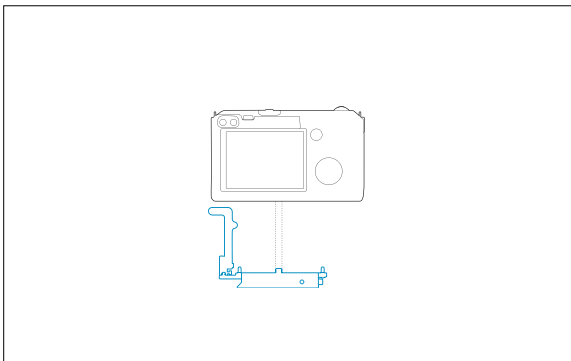
Installing the Camera - housing tray attachment

1



unlock camera tray lever and  
remove the tray from the housing

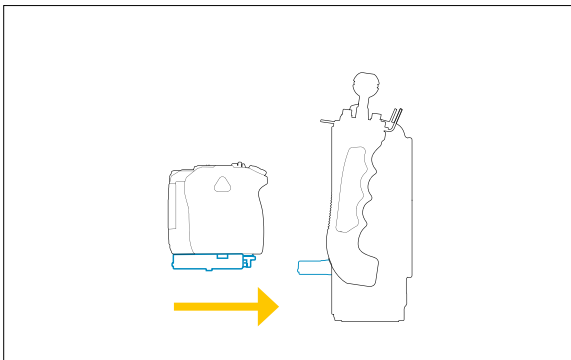
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attach the camera tray by tightening  
the tray screw into the tripod socket  
of the camera

place the actuator on the camera  
tray in place and make sure it is  
engaged with the camera

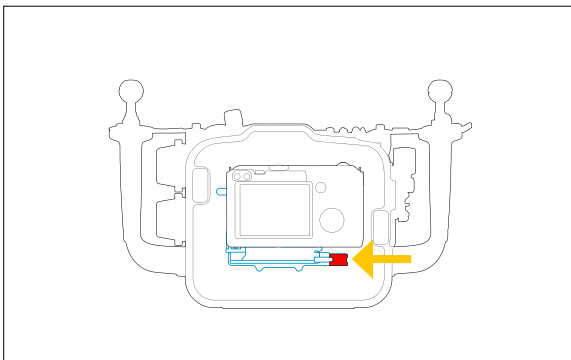
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*\* pull out the zoom/focus knob if  
installing the camera with lens and  
gear attached*

slide the camera tray back into the  
housing along the tray rail

4



lock camera tray

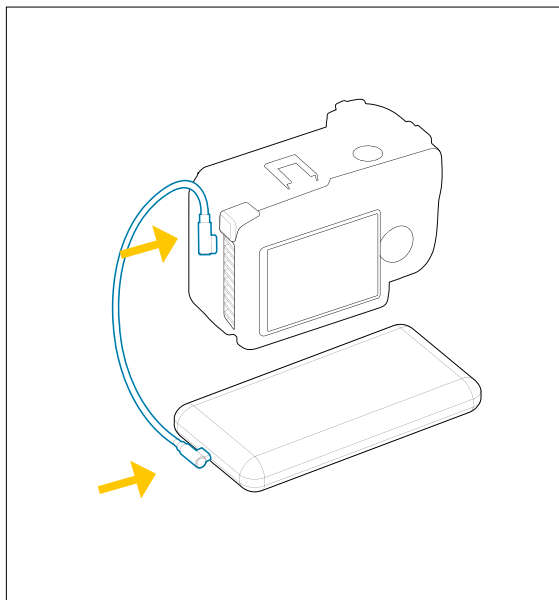
*\* place the zoom/focus knob in  
place and make sure it is engaged  
with lens gear*

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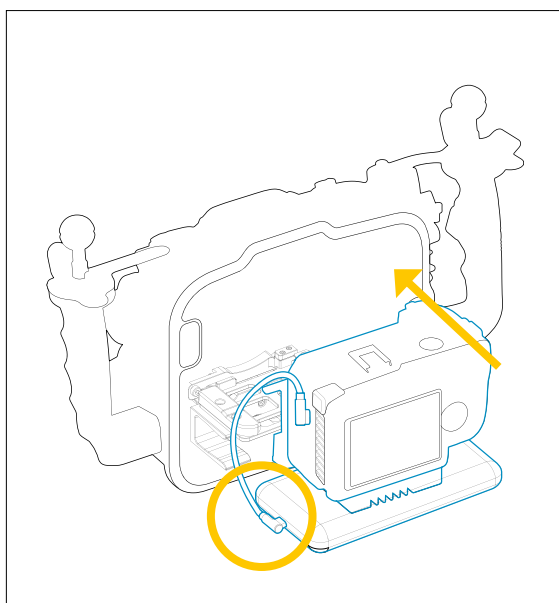
Installing the battery

1



connect the camera and a battery with a cable after plug USB-C male to female elbow adaptor provided

2



slide the camera tray back into the housing along the tray rail and battery back into a battery holder under the camera as shown.

then, lock camera tray

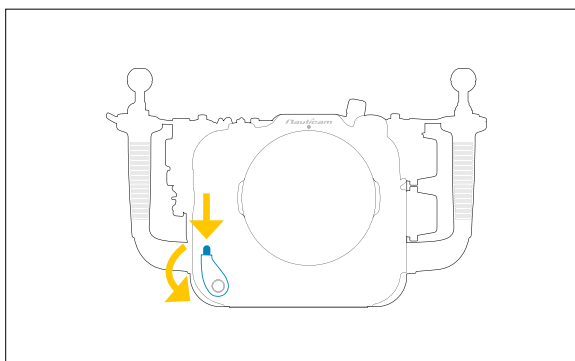
*\* please refer to page 22 for list of compatible external battery*

# PREPARATION FOR USE

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New Patented Port Mounting Design

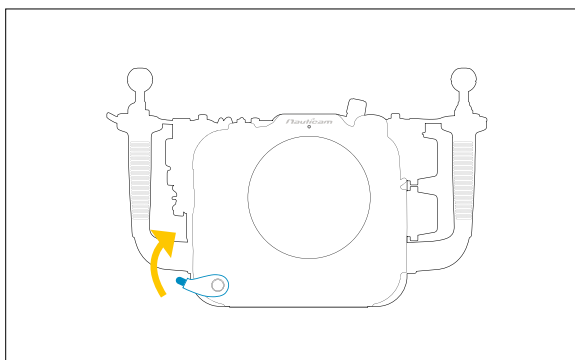
1



depress safety button and rotate anti-clockwise

remove housing cap from port mount

2

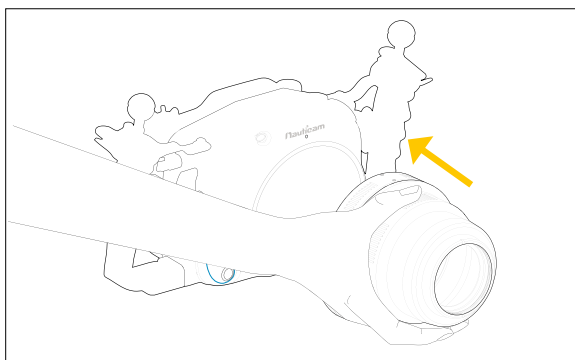


rotate locking lever clockwise to lock



*Do not operate the blue lever with force*

3

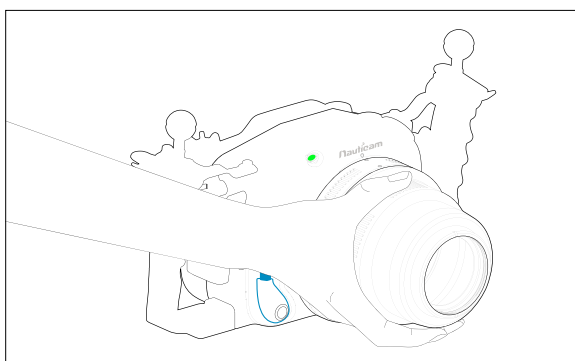


lubricant the port O-ring before mounting onto the housing

align the index mark

then push the port assembly straight in firmly until you can hear and feel a distinct 'click'

4



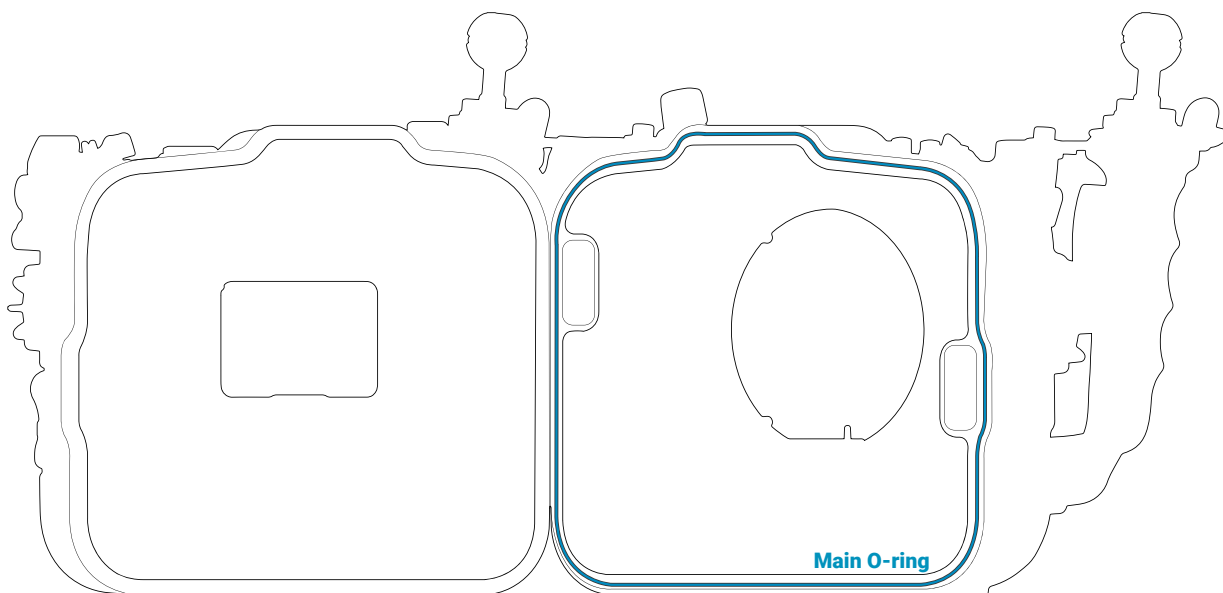
finally check the port lock safety indicator window

● the window shows green when the port is securely locked

# PREPARATION FOR USE

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Coating housing O-ring



1  
remove the main O-ring using an O-ring remover

2  
clean the O-ring groove with a cloth and ensure  
that it is free from salt or other foreign materials

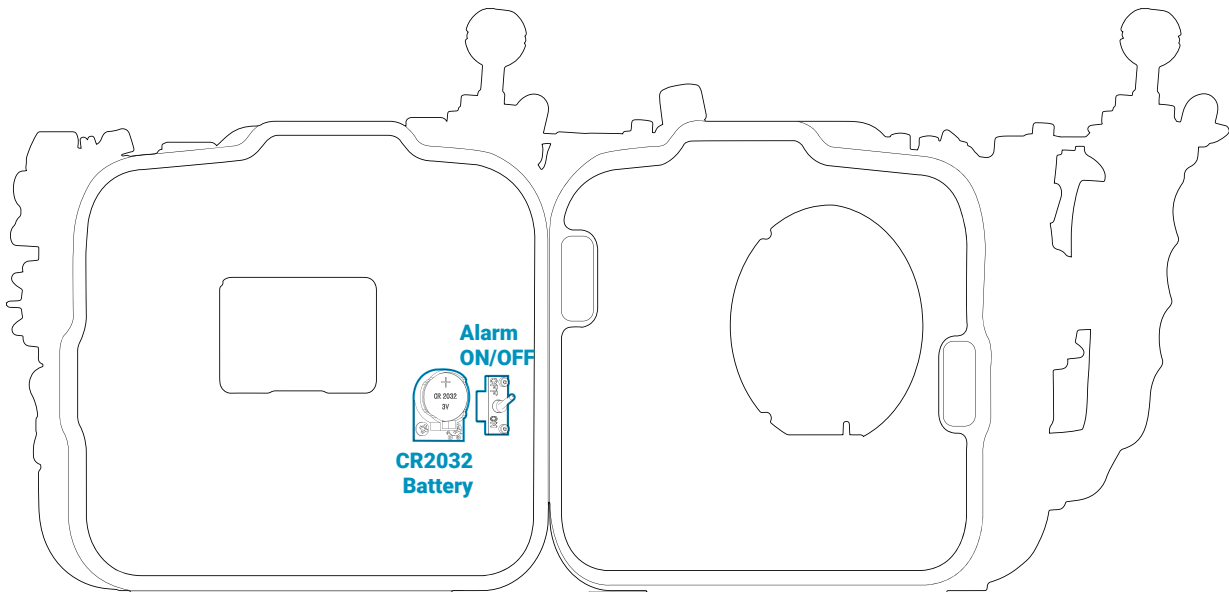
3  
lightly coat it with provided lubricant

4  
return the main O-ring by slowly pressing from  
one corner to the whole perimeter

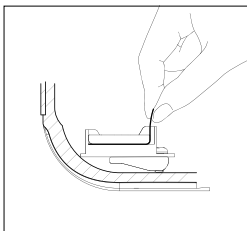
# PREPARATION FOR USE

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Setting up moisture alarm

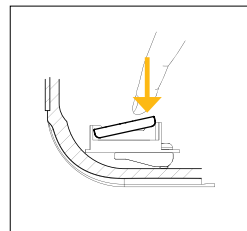


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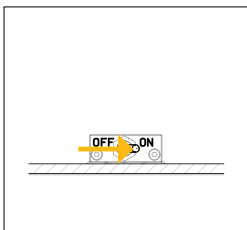
remove battery  
insulation film

2



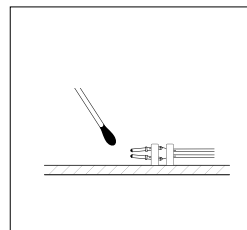
press the battery down until it  
click into place

3



switch on the alarm  
- the moisture alarm  
window will flash in  
**BLUE** when it is working  
correctly

4



test the alarm  
- connect the wires with a  
dampened cotton bud; the  
alarm will give a repeating  
'beep' and the moisture alarm  
window will flash **RED**

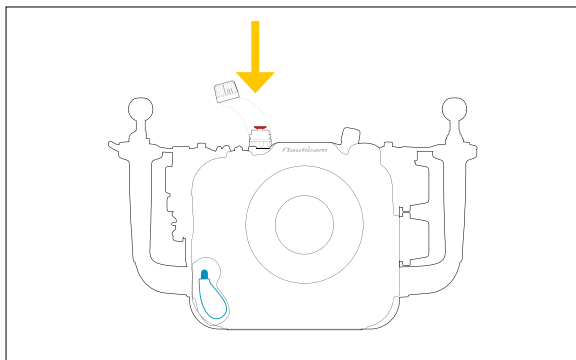
\* please contact our authorized service centers if testing fails  
\* please refer to page 16 for complete vacuum system guidance

# PREPARATION FOR USE

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Changing lens/port without opening the housing

1

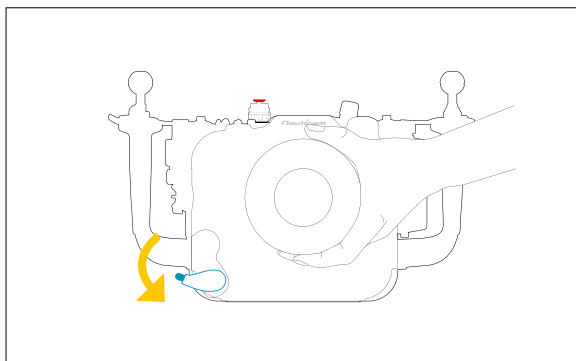


If using with vacuum valve :

remove the cap from the vacuum valve and press the red button to release pressure before unlocking port lock

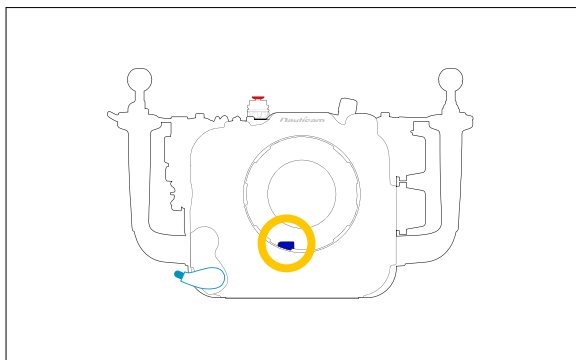
If using without vacuum valve, please follow from step 2

2



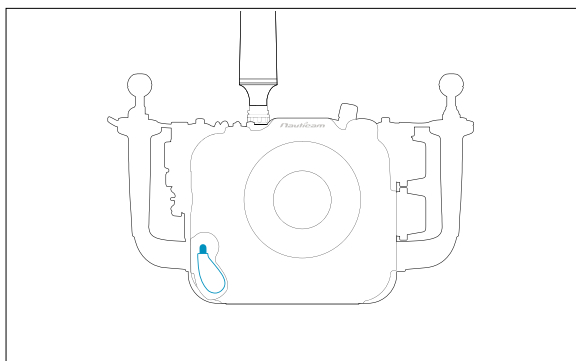
unlock port lock and remove port assembly

3



press the blue button to reset vacuum alarm before replacing port

4



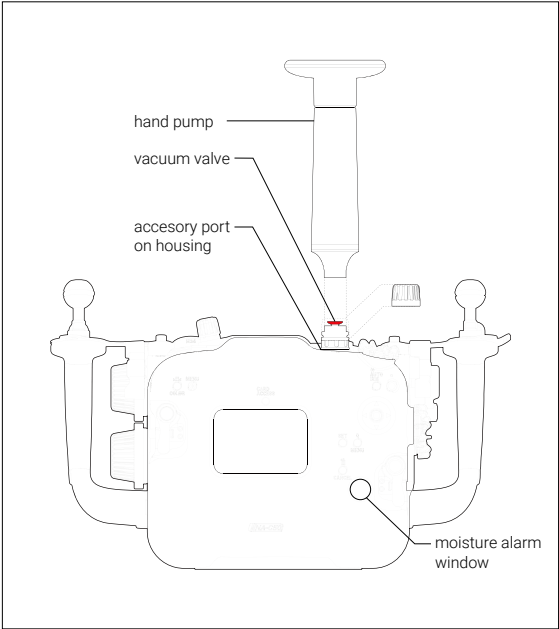
replace port assembly then lock port lock

reset vacuum valve system using hand pump and close the cap after

\* please refer to page 16 on complete vacuum system guidance

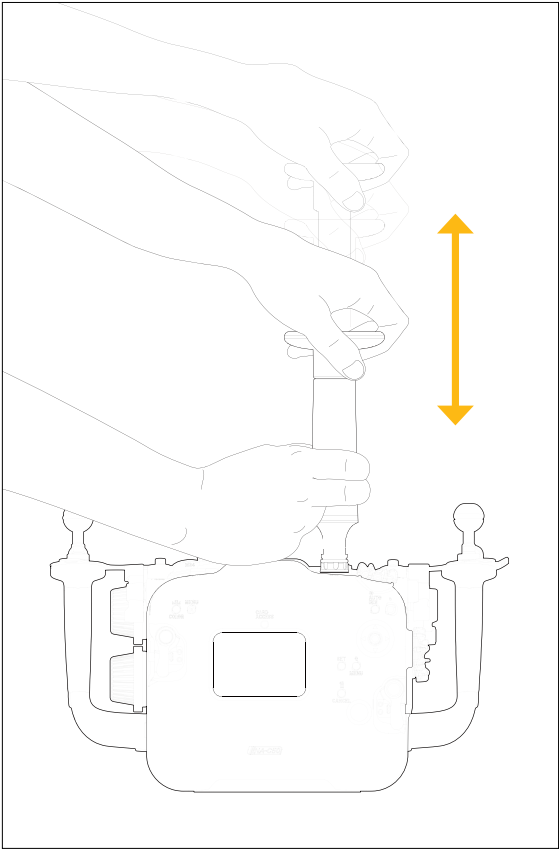
# OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

1



- remove the plug of M16 accessory port from the housing
- remove the cap from the vacuum valve
- slightly lubricate the o-ring and make sure the o-ring is in place
- then tighten the vacuum valve to the housing with the tool provided

2



- connect hand pump to the valve and pump several times until it reaches the target vacuum level
- close vacuum valve cap

Moisture alarm window colour indication :

Steady Blue		device is turned on
Flashing Blue		standby mode, ready for pumping
Steady Green		target vacuum level is reached
Flashing Yellow		vacuum level is dropping
Flashing Red		vacuum is totally lost, circuit stalled until device is switched off
Alternating Blue and Red		vacuum is totally lost, circuit stalled until device is switched off
Steady Red		out of battery

*\* It is recommended to leave the housing for at least 20mins to ensure it is sealed. If the LED light changes from steady green light to rapidly flashing yellow light, that means there is a leakage. Please check every O-ring and then conduct the vacuum test again.*

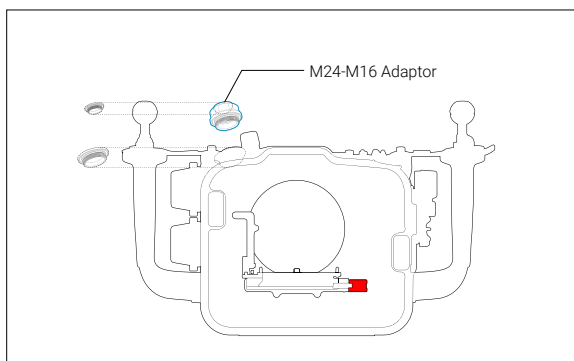
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## OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

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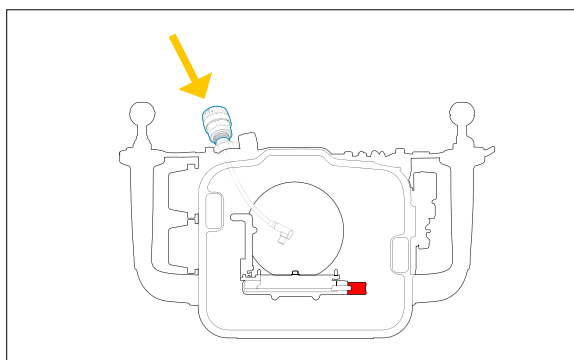
Installing Surface USB-PD Power Bank

1



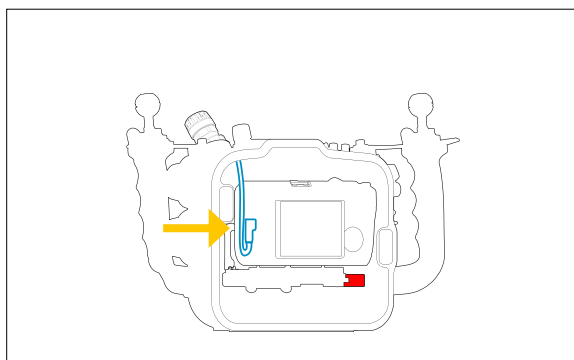
unscrew the M24 accessory port cap from the camera housing and screw the M24-M16 adaptor into the housing port

2



plug the USB-C Bulkhead into the accessory port, gently push the connection head into the accessory port until it cannot go further then tighten it by turning the locking nut

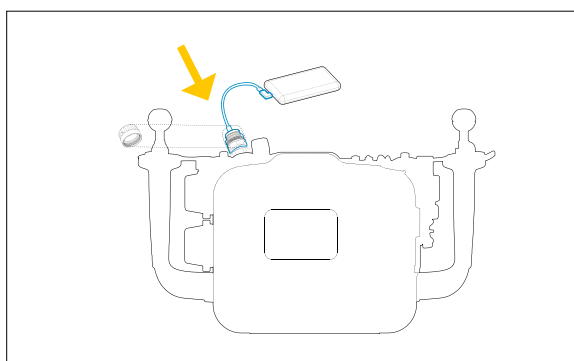
3



plug the cable into the USB Type-C jack on the camera with camera tray attached before sliding into the camera housing

slide the camera tray into the housing along the tray rail then lock camera tray

4



close the housing gently

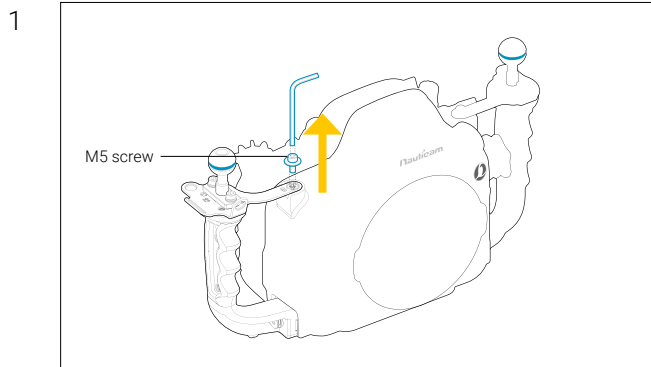
plug the power bank with USB Type-C connector into the USB-C bulkhead

# OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

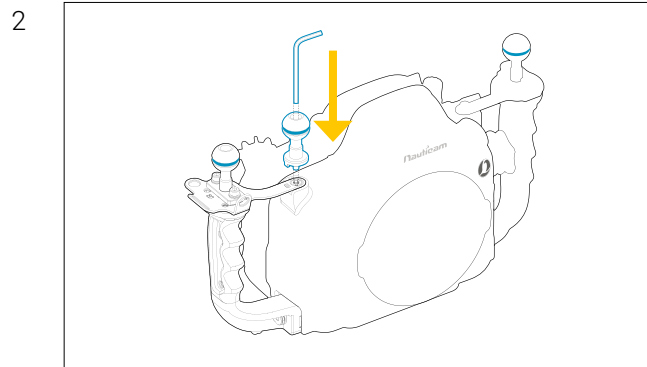
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Strobe Mounting Ball

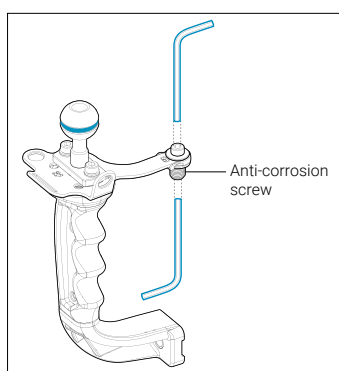
## Installing M5 Strobe Mounting Ball - **RECOMMENDED**



remove M5 screw with the allen key provided in the housing package

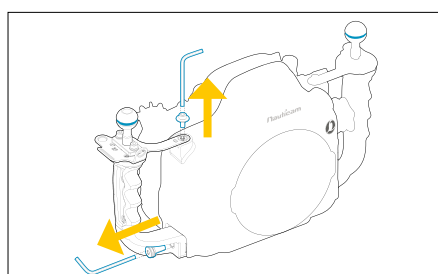


screw #25228 M5 Strobe mounting ball directing onto the M5 thread

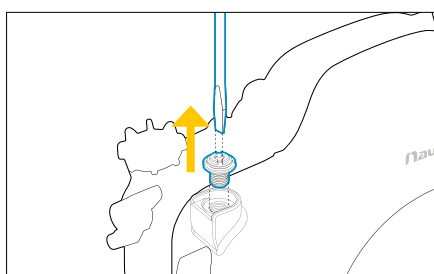


*\* the anti-corrosion screw may also be unscrewed while removing M5 screw, if this is happening, you can separate the parts as shown in the diagram on the left*

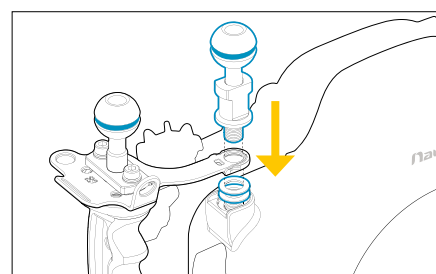
## Installing M10 Strobe Mounting Ball - Optional



remove M5 screw and housing handle screw on the side



take out the handle and remove the anti-corrosion screw



replace the handle and screw the M10 strobe mounting ball onto the housing as shown

## CARE/STORAGE

1

Soak the housing system in fresh water after salt water usage

2

Operate all controls and buttons at least 3 times while immersed in fresh water

3

We recommend cleaning and inspecting the main O-ring each time after diving for any damage and every time the housing is opened.

4

Protect the housing with robust and shock-proof travel case during transportation. Do not travel with camera inside housing.

5

We recommend to ship the housing to our service centers for a complete overhaul after 500 dives/every 3 years.

# WARRANTY

All NAUTICAM Housing Products and Viewfinders are warranted against any material and manufacturing defects for two years from the date of purchase for consumer use. NAUTICAM Optical Accessories are warranted against material and manufacturing defects for a period of one year, and HDMI cables carry a year warranty.

This warranty only applies to products purchased from authorized NAUTICAM dealers and does not extend beyond the original retail purchaser.

To return your product for service, please contact your regional authorized service center(s). Please note that this warranty only applies when the product is purchased in the territory where the service center is located.

NAUTICAM accepts no liability for any damage to and defects in the housing caused by improper use and/or poor maintenance; it is the responsibility of the owner to carefully follow the instructions in our manuals.

NAUTICAM does not hold responsibility for damage, of any nature, to any equipment used with and/or placed within our products.

NAUTICAM accepts no liability for any loss of captured images or the inability to capture images even if it is due to the malfunctioning of our products.

Unauthorized modifications and/or repairs of our products will automatically invalidate the warranty.

# SPECIFICATIONS

## Construction

Housing body	Hard Anodized Aluminium Alloy
Display window	Abrasion Resistant Polycarbonate

## Dimensions

Width	366 mm
Height	237 mm
Depth	131 mm

## Weight

In air	3.74kg
Buoyancy in water	Negative 233g (incl. camera ,LP-E6P and Anker 20000mAh Power bank)

## Depth

Rating	100 m
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## Port Specifications

Port mount	N120 RF Mount II (for C50/R6III)
Port accessories	1 x M24, 2 x M16 , 1 x M10

## Surface USB-PD Power bank

26325 USB-C Bulkhead with USB-C Connector
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## Lanyard

25413 27cm Lanyard with 2 Snap Hooks
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## Buoyancy Options

72261 Ø70x200mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 370g)
72262 Ø70x250mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm(Buoyancy 520g)
72263 Ø70x300mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 670g)
72264 Ø90x170mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 450g)
72265 Ø90x220mmCarbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 720g)
72266 Ø50x200mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 160g)
72267 Ø50x250mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 240g)
72268 Ø50x300mm Carbon Fibre Aluminium Float Arm (Buoyancy 320g)
72233 Single Bayonet Holder II for Ø70 Float Arm
72234 Double Bayonet Holder II for Ø70 Float Arm
72243 Single Bayonet Holder II for Ø90 Float Arm
72244 Double Bayonet Holder II for Ø90 Float Arm
83252 Bayonet Holder for Arms
83253 Double Bayonet Holder for Arms
83254 Bayonet Lens Holder for Inon Float Arms
87516 EMWL Bayonet Holder for Ø70 Float Arm
87517 EMWL Bayonet Holder for Ø90 Float Arm

## HDMI CONNECTION & MONITOR OPTIONS

### HDMI Connectivity Required Accessories ( 1.4 )

25033 Standard HDMI Bulkhead with M16 Thread
26326 M24-M16 Adaptor for use with 26325
25100 HDMI (D-A) 1.4 Cable in 200mm Length
25082 25082 HDMI 1.4 Cable for Ninja V Housing in 0.75m Length
25047 HDMI (D-D) cable in 800mm length

### Monitor Options ( 1.4 )

16611 Nauticam 7" G7 UW ULTRAHD Monitor
16612 Nauticam 7" T7 UW ULTRAHD Monitor
17927 NA-Shinobi II Housing
17922 Nauticam Atomos Ninja V Housing

- \* 25082 is required for use with 17922 monitor housing
- \* 25047 is required for use with 16611/16612 monitor housing

### HDMI Connectivity Required Accessories ( 2.0 )

25086 M24 Adaptor for HDMI 2.0 Cable (incl. tightening tool)
25099 M24A2R200-M28A1R170 HDMI 2.0 Cable

### Monitor Options ( 2.0 )

17922 NA-Ninja V Housing
17922S Nauticam Atomos Ninja V-S Housing

### Optional Monitor Mounting Accessories

17951 Atomos Housing Mounting System
17954 Tripod Plate
17957 Nauticam Monitor Housing Mounting Adaptor (TBD)
17960 Universal Quadra-Pod Plate
17961 Swivel and Tilt Adjustable Monitor Mount System
* 96355 Housing skids for NA-R5C/C50

## WET LENS COMPATIBILITY

\* please refer to Nauticam port charts for more setup information

### Nauticam optical lenses

Macro	81202 Super Macro Convertor 2
	81203 Super Macro Convertor 3
	81301 Compact Macro Convertor 1
	81302 Compact Macro Convertor 2
	81501 Mid-range Focus Optimizer 1
	81503 Mid-range Focus Optimizer 3
Macro to Wideangle	86201 Macro to Wideangle Lens 1 (MWL-1) 150 deg. FOV with full frame 60mm macro lens
	87303 EMWL Set #3
	87203 EMWL Focusing Unit #3 (for Canon RF 100mm f2.8 Macro)
	87211 EMWL 150mm Relay Lens
	87212 EMWL Angled Relay Lens
	87221 EMWL 60° Objective Lens
	87222 EMWL 100° Objective Lens
	87223 EMWL 130° Objective Lens
	87226 EMWL 160° Objective Lens
Wideangle	83202 Wet Wide Lens 1B (WWL-1B) 130 deg. FOV with Compatible 28mm Lenses (incl. float collar)
	83203 Wet Wide Lens Compact (WWL-C) 130 Deg. FOV with Compatible 24mm Lenses (incl. float collar)
	85204 0.57x Wide Angle Conversion Port - 2 (WACP-2) 140 Deg. FOV with Compatible 14mm Lenses (incl. float collar)
	85205 N100 0.36x Wide Angle Conversion Port Compact (WACP-C)
	85206 N120/N100 0.36x Wide Angle Conversion Port (WACP-1B) (incl. float collar & interchangeable port mounting ring)
	85207 N120/N100 Fisheye Conversion Port (FCP-1) 170 Deg. FOV with Compatible 28mm Lenses (incl. float collar & interchangeable port mounting ring)

### Optional accessories

25101 M67 flip diopter holder for M67 macro ports
25108 M67 Double Flip Holder for M67 Macro Ports
83250 M67 to Bayonet Converter II
83251 M77 to Bayonet Converter II
83214 Bayonet Mount Adaptor for SMC/CMC
86221 M67 Flip holder for MWL-1
86222 Double Flip Holder for MWL-1
87501 Flip Holder for EMWL
87512 Shade for 130° Objective Lens
87513 Shade for 100° Objective Lens
87516 EMWL Bayonet Holder for Ø70 Float Arm
87517 EMWL Bayonet Holder for Ø90 Float Arm
87518 Strobe Mounting Brackets for EMWL Relay Lens

## EXTERNAL BATTERY

### Recommended External Batteries

Anker Power Bank 20,000mAh Travel Essential Portable Charger	Dimensions : 157.5 x 73.5 x 26mm Weight : 440g
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\* Please use the USB-C to USB-C Right Angled Cable included in the housing package

\* The maximum size of compatible power bank is 165mm (W) x 76mm (D) x 26mm (H )

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