

# Cell Phone Magnifier 15x

P2-1240



## INSTRUCTIONS:

Before sticking on the lens, make sure it is relatively dust free. A quick wipe of the finger is usually enough. Place the lens directly over your cell phone's camera and give it a gentle press to make sure it's fully adhered. It's easier to stick on the lens when your phone is on a table or other flat surface.

Then slowly bring your phone close to the subject. The picture will be in focus when your phone is about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch (1.2 cm) away from the subject. The lens has a shallow depth of field, meaning you need to hold your phone steady while taking the picture.

Now you're ready to take your picture! Remember to hold your phone steady; using two hands really helps to capture a good image. As with photography in general, don't be afraid to take a few pictures to get the one you want.

Resting your arms against a table, tree, or other large object is another way to get a great image. Sometimes you'll want to look at something that isn't easy to get near. In those situations, try to minimize movement by keeping your elbows close to your body or resting on your legs.

Seem like a lot of work? If you have a table or other flat surface, there is an easy way to keep your phone very steady. The plastic carrying case is the perfect height to rest your phone on.

## CARE:

After you have used your lens a couple times, you may notice some dust or dirt on the surface. Unfortunately, the stickiness that allows the lens to stick to your phone causes other things to stick to the lens as well. Normally a little dust or dirt on the lens doesn't impact image quality. However, in larger amounts it can make your image blurry or the lens less sticky. A quick wipe with clean fingers is usually enough to clean the lens off. If your lens is very dirty, or if you would like to make it exceptionally clean, simply rinse the lens with a little soap and water. Repeated washings do not negatively impact the stickiness of the lens. Be careful not to wash it down the drain; though, the lens is very slippery when wet! When washing with water use a four-finger "cage" to contain your lens. Keep the

lens between all four fingers to prevent it from washing away. Alternatively, a bowl or even the plastic carrying case makes a good basin for washing the lens.

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**NOTE:**

If you can't find your lens it may be stuck to the inside top of the case.