

Magnetic Tab Installation on Third-Party Phone Cases

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Ollin provides assembled MagCases for multiple generations of Apple and Samsung phones. It is recommended that SnapShot users utilize official Ollin MagCases to ensure proper installation and alignment of the magnetic tab adapter with the mobile phone camera. However, if a third-party phone case is needed or desired for use, these instructions outline the general process of the installation of a magnetic tab onto a third-party phone case.

OLLIN DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT THE MAGNETIC TAB WILL FUNCTION WITH ALL THIRD-PARTY PHONE CASES. Users will install at their own risk and acknowledgement that the tab may not function with their desired phone case and that proper alignment is dependent on user installation.

Magnetic Tab Installation Instructions

1. If not pre-installed, install the double-sided adhesive tab on the back of magnetic tab as shown in Figure 1.



Figure 1 – Adhesive installation on large tab (small tab is similar)

2. Ensure that there is a clean and flat surface on the back of the phone case for adhesion of the magnetic tab. Ensure that when the magnetic tab is placed on the back of the phone case that the back face magnetic tab clears all camera lenses and all lips or protrusions from the phone case around the cameras as shown in Figure 2. If the magnetic tab does not clear any portion of the phone case or camera lenses, then it is not recommended that the magnetic tab be installed on that phone case.



3. Determine the phone's default camera by opening the camera application and covering each camera lens individually. The lens which shows the cover being placed is the default selection and the lens which is recommended for centering of the magnetic tab during installation. Other lenses may be used if desired.

4. Temporarily place the magnetic tab in the desired installation location and note any excess portion of the adhesive tab that extends beyond the phone case camera cutout as shown in Figure 3. Trim the excess adhesive tab and remove it from the magnetic tab as shown in Figure 4.





Figure 3 – Excess adhesive tab extending beyond the phone case camera cutout

Figure 4 – Excess adhesive tab trimmed and removed from the magnetic tab

5. Ensure that the phone case is clean and free of any dust. Remove the red adhesive backing. Hold the magnetic tab above the phone case and align the circle cutout of the magnetic tab with the desired camera lens as shown in Figure 5. Slowly lower the magnetic tab onto the phone case while maintaining concentric alignment with the camera lens and keeping the edges of the magnetic tab parallel with the phone case edges. Push the magnetic tab firmly onto the phone case for proper adhesion as shown in Figure 6.



Figure 5 – Concentric alignment of the magnetic tab cutout with the desired camera lens



Figure 6 – Magnetic tab installed on the phone case and ready for use