

## Common Questions

### How do I know if the Eyelighter 2 is placed in the correct position?

A good way to check the placement of both the light and the Eyelighter 2 is to place yourself in the position of the model. The reflection coming from the Eyelighter 2 should be evenly lit. If the reflection is not even, experiment with moving the Eyelighter 2 either closer to or further away from your subject. When the reflection from the Eyelighter 2 is equal throughout, the Eyelighter 2 is in the correct position. As your experience with the Eyelighter 2 grows, you may experiment with other positions that work well for you.

### Are there signs that the Eyelighter 2 is positioned incorrectly?

The Eyelighter 2 should appear as a curved reflection below your subject's pupil. If the reflection cuts into the pupil of your subject's eye, it is in the wrong location.

### What modifiers should I use with the Eyelighter 2?

We recommend using a light with a modifier large enough to completely illuminate the Eyelighter 2. A light modifier approximately 24" x 24" is the smallest modifier suggested to use. Umbrellas are not recommended. A larger modifier is appropriate to use as long as you have enough vertical room to have the modifier correctly positioned at a 45° angle.

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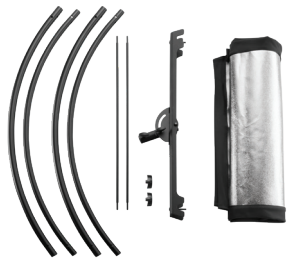
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## User Manual



## Included in this Box



- 4 x **Curved Tubes**
- 2 x **Tension Rods**
- 2 x **Tension Knobs\***
- 1 x **Support Spine**
- 1 x **Reflective Silver Fabric**

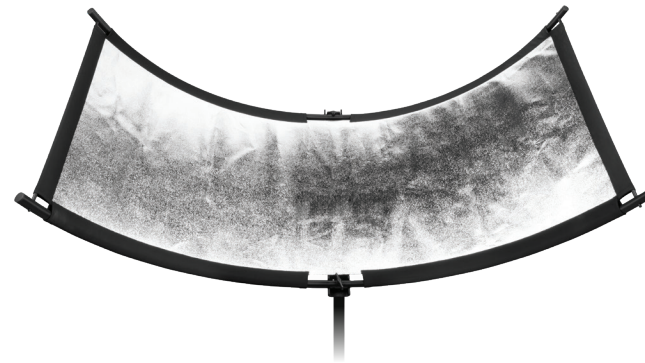
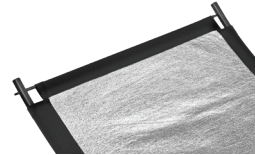
\*May be affixed to support spine

## Assembly Instructions

1. Loosen the light stand receptacle knob located on the support spine.
2. Place the support spine on the light stand receptacle and tighten knob to secure.
3. Remove the two tension knobs from the top of the support spine.
4. Locate one of the curved tubes with a positive-locking button and one of the curved tubes with a positive-locking receptacle. Connect these tubes to create a larger arched tube. Repeat with remaining tubes to create a second arched section.
5. Lay the Eyclighter 2 fabric on a flat surface with the reflective material facing upwards.
6. Thread one arched tube section through the full-length pocket on the edge of the fabric. Repeat with remaining arched section.
7. Thread a tension rod through one of the short pockets on the end of the fabric. Secure each end of the rod into the rod receptacles located on the ends of the arched tube sections. Repeat with



- remaining tension rod in the final pocket. The Eyclighter 2 fabric should now appear taut.
8. Place the Eyclighter 2 onto the support spine, aligning the mounting screws with the screw receptacles located in the center of both arched sections.
  9. Press the Eyclighter 2 down into place, ensuring that the tubes are secured in the support spine's tube channels and fabric is not pinched.
  10. Tighten the two tension knobs over the arched tubes, onto the support spine's mounting screws.



## Disassembly Instructions

1. Loosen the support spine's light stand receptacle knob and remove entire unit from the light stand. Place the unit on a flat surface.
2. Remove the two tension knobs from the top of the support spine. Then, remove the Eyclighter 2 from the support spine.
3. Firmly pull each tension rod from the arched tubes' rod receptacles. Guide the released rods through the fabric pockets.
4. Remove both curved tubes from the full-length fabric pockets.
5. Disconnect the curved tubes by pressing on the positive-locking buttons while pulling to separate.

## Achieving the Perfect Look

The Eyclighter 2 features an integrated locking-tilter, providing the ability to adjust and maintain a desired reflection angle. This is particularly useful when shooting with sunlight, ambient light, or when experimenting with different styles of studio lighting.

To achieve the traditional results, we recommend taking these steps to ensure that the Eyclighter 2 is positioned at the ideal angle:



1. Place the center of the Eyclighter 2 approximately 30" from your subject's face.
2. Place your light facing slightly downward approximately 30" from your subject at a 45° angle from the Eyclighter 2.
3. When positioned correctly, the subject should have a thin catchlight just below the pupil that follows the curvature of the eye.

