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OptiView 50

OV-50

LCD VIEWFINDER

**USER
MANUAL**



INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Elvid OptiView 50. This LCD viewfinder provides 3× magnification for 3.0" and 3.2" LCD screens with a 4:3 or 3:2 aspect ratio. It creates a larger-than-normal view that is perfect for seeing the image on the LCD screen in greater detail and for fine-image focusing. The OptiView's lower half can be detached to provide shading without magnification for optimum viewing conditions when shooting video or photos.

The OptiView 50 features multi-coated optical glass for a sharp image from edge to edge. The viewfinder can be used with either eye, and the soft rubber eyecup prohibits stray light from affecting viewfinder image quality even when used with eyeglasses.

The OptiView 50 can be attached to the camera with the adhesive on the metal mounting frame for more permanent use, or carried around the neck with the included lanyard to occasionally view the LCD screen in greater detail.

PRECAUTIONS

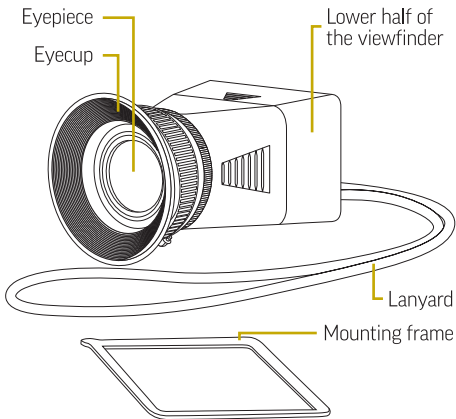
- Please read and follow these instructions.
- Keep this manual in a safe place.
- Remove the viewfinder when not in use for long periods of time. The OptiView's lens is similar to a magnifying glass, intensifying heat from the sun during prolonged exposure to direct sunlight. This can cause damage to the LCD screen of your camera.
- Do not use the lanyard to support the combined weight of the OptiView while attached to the camera. It is meant for carrying the weight of the OptiView alone.
- Handle this product with care.
- Clean this product with a soft, dry cloth.
- Make sure that this product is intact and that there are no missing parts before use.
- Images are for illustrative purposes only.

KEY FEATURES

- Magnifies camera's display by 300%
- Supports 3.0" and 3.2" LCD screens
- Facilitates fine-image focusing
- Blocks out ambient light for clear image viewing
- Lower half of the viewfinder acts as an LCD shade
- Soft eyecup can be used with left or right eye
- Lanyard included for convenient hands-free carrying of the viewfinder

SPECIFICATIONS	
Magnification	300% (3x)
Support	3.0-inch and 3.2-inch LCD screens with 4:3 or 3:2 aspect ratio
Lanyard Length	19.5" (49.5 cm)
Dimensions (HxWxD)	2" x 3" x 4" (5 x 7.6 x 10.2 cm)
Weight	3.5 oz. (99 g)

OVERVIEW



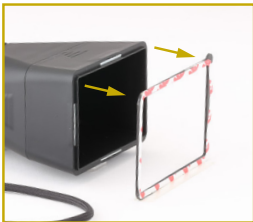
Includes:

- OptiView 50 Viewfinder
- Lanyard
- Metal frame with adhesive

MOUNTING THE OPTIVIEW 50

Note: Once the OptiView 50's mounting frame is attached to the camera with the adhesive, it cannot be removed and reattached. The adhesive cannot be reused.

1. Clean the LCD screen with a soft, dry cloth.
2. Remove the mounting frame from the viewfinder.
3. Turn on the LCD screen. The heat from the camera will promote adhesion of the LCD mounting frame.



4. Remove the protective strip on the adhesive side of the mounting frame. Make sure to carefully center the mounting frame before pushing it down to secure it on your camera's LCD screen.



5. Once mounted on the camera, attach the viewfinder to the mounting frame. The magnets on the viewfinder assure that it will snap into place.



USING THE OPTIVIEW 50 AS AN LCD SHADE

The lower half of the viewfinder can be used as an LCD shade while providing a 1:1 view of the LCD.

1. Remove the viewfinder from the mounting frame while leaving the mounting frame attached to the camera.



2. Firmly hold the viewfinder in place and pull the eyepiece so that it separates.

3. Reattach the lower half to the mounting frame until it snaps into place.



REMOVING THE OPTIVIEW 50

Note: Once the OptiView's mounting frame has been detached from the camera, it cannot be reattached.

1. Remove the viewfinder from the mounting frame.
2. Heat the mounting frame with a blow dryer from approximately 2" away for 30-45 seconds.
3. When the adhesive of the frame loosens, use your fingernail to lift the frame off of the camera. Do not pry the frame with a hard object that can damage the LCD screen.
4. Apply more heat with the hairdryer if the frame does not release easily.

ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

This ELVID product is warranted to the original purchaser to be free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal consumer use for a period of one (1) year from the original purchase date or thirty (30) days after replacement, whichever occurs later. The warranty provider's responsibility with respect to this limited warranty shall be limited solely to repair or replacement, at the provider's discretion, of any product that fails during normal use of this product in its intended manner and in its intended environment. Inoperability of the product or part(s) shall be determined by the warranty provider. If the product has been discontinued, the warranty provider reserves the right to replace it with a model of equivalent quality and function.

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