

FLEXFRAME SOFTBOX

FOR PORTABLE FLASHES

USER MANUAL



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The Vello FlexFrame Softbox for Portable Flash diffuses the light from a speedlight and improves the tonal quality illuminating the subject. The removable front diffuser can reduce shadows and hot spots where the shoe-mount flash creates unflattering light harshness. Unique to this small and portable softbox is the fiberglass

frame incorporating jointed rods for quick setup and easy folding. A touch fastener cinch strap is included for securely mounting the softbox onto the head of a portable flash unit. This is a perfect tool for an intermediate or professional photographer who wants to put a new look into their photography.



PRECAUTIONS

- Please read and follow these instructions and keep this manual in a safe place.
- Keep this unit away from water and any flammable gas or liquid.
- Handle this unit with care.
- Keep this unit away from children.
- Make sure this item is intact and that no parts are missing.
- All photos in this manual are for illustrative purposes only.

SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions (H × W × D)	8" × 12" × 7" (20 × 30 × 18 cm)
Weight	6.4 oz. (188 g)

KEY FEATURES

Touch Fastener Cinch Strap:

Included is the Touch Fastener Cinch Strap which wraps around the head of your speedlight so you can mount the softbox quickly and securely.

Removable Front Diffuser:

The removable front diffuser softens the output of your portable flash unit to reduce or eliminate harsh shadows on your subject.

Silver Reflective Interior:

The silver reflective interior maximizes the spread of the light output, resulting in increased image punchiness and contrast.

Durable Fiberglass Frame:

The inner frame of the softbox is composed of fiberglass jointed rods, ideal for quick setups or storage while being durable to handle.

Mounting Tabs:

The mounting tabs allow fast attachment to the portable flash unit via four touch-tab fasteners.

Drawstring Carrying Case:

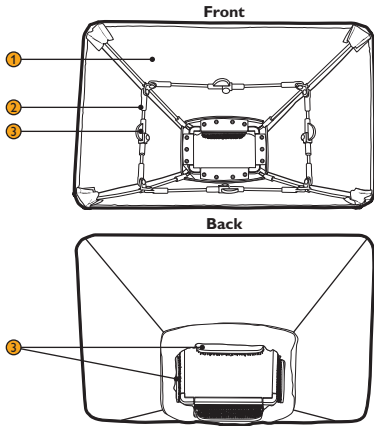
The included carrying case provides for transport and protection.

OVERVIEW

1. Silver Reflective Interior
2. Durable Fiberglass Frame
3. Frame Assembly Tab
4. Mounting Tabs

Also Included

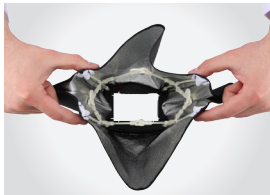
- Touch Fastener Cinch Strap
- Removable Front Diffuser
- Drawstring Carrying Case



INSTRUCTIONS

Opening the FlexFrame Softbox

1. Grab opposing corners of the softbox and its fiberglass frame, and gently spread outward until you can clearly see all four of the jointed rods.
2. On each of the fiberglass rods is an assembly tab. Push the tab down until the rod locks in place. Do this for each of the four rods.



Attaching the FlexFrame

Softbox to Your Portable Flash

1. Wrap the touch fastener cinch strap around the head of the flash unit with the edge of the cinch strap even with the edge of the flash head. Make sure this is done with the rubber side touching the flash head.



2. Place the bottom of the flash head against the bottom mounting tab of the softbox, just about halfway into the softbox.



3. Gently lift the top mounting tab and fit the flash head into the softbox.



4. The FlexFrame softbox should now be mounted onto your portable flash. You can make micro adjustments to fit the desired position.

5. Mount the flash unit with attached FlexFrame softbox to your camera's hot-shoe.



Affix the Front Diffuser

1. Wrap the front diffuser around two corners of the softbox.
2. Pull the front diffuser around the other two corners.



Removing the FlexFrame Softbox

1. Using two or three fingers, lift up the top mounting tab on the softbox and remove from the touch fastener cinch strap.



2. Continue rocking the softbox forward until it disengages fully from the touch fastener cinch strap on the head of the portable flash.



Closing the FlexFrame Softbox

1. Each of the four fiberglass jointed rods has a tab. Pull each tab, upward, until the joint releases.
2. Place your hands around the four corners of the softbox and gently squeeze all four corners simultaneously inward.



3. For storage, place the softbox in the provided drawstring bag. Then place the cinch strap and front diffuser inside for safekeeping.



TROUBLESHOOTING

The softbox will not open.

Check each of the jointed rods and make sure they are intact.

The softbox will not collapse.

Check the jointed rods and make sure that each assembly tab has been released from its fixed position.

ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

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