



# TRIPOD COLLAR

## USER MANUAL



## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing Vello.

Congratulations on the purchase of your new Vello Tripod Collar. The Vello Tripod Collar is simple to install, mounting directly to the barrel of the lens. Once mounted, the collar provides improved balance and less stress on the lens mount during tripod use. By slightly loosening the collar the lens can also be easily rotated between horizontal and vertical shooting positions.

Please read the entire manual before using the Tripod Collar.

1. Start with the lens detached from the camera body.
2. Open the Tripod Collar by unscrewing the knob. Some tripod collars require the knob to be unscrewed and pulled out to open or secure the ring.
3. With the foot of the Tripod Collar facing forward, fit the Tripod Collar around the lens barrel.





4. To secure the Tripod Collar, close the ring and screw the knob firmly into place.



5. Attach the lens to the camera body and securely mount on the tripod.



**Note:** If using a Quick Release Plate, align the plate with the lens barrel so the camera faces forward when mounted to the tripod and screw it firmly into place.

6. To shoot horizontally, align top of the lens to line on top of collar.

7. To shoot vertically, align top of lens to either line provided on the sides of the collar.

*Instructions may vary slightly for different lenses. Images are for illustrative purposes only. Actual product may vary.*

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