

Profoto 100517

Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter Multiblitz Varilux

MODEL: 100517

1. Introduction

The Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter 100517 is designed to facilitate the attachment of Profoto RFi Softboxes to Multiblitz Varilux light sources. This adapter ensures a secure and stable connection, allowing for precise light shaping in various photographic setups. It is an essential component for integrating RFi Softboxes with compatible flash systems, providing versatility and ease of use for professional photographers.

2. Safety Information

- Always ensure the adapter is securely fastened to both the softbox and the light source to prevent accidental detachment.
- Do not overtighten screws or clamps, as this may damage the adapter or connected equipment.
- Handle with care to avoid dropping or impacting the adapter, which could compromise its structural integrity.
- Keep the adapter away from excessive heat, moisture, and corrosive substances.
- Before moving the light setup, confirm all connections are stable.

3. Package Contents

Please check the package for the following items:

- 1 x Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter (Multiblitz Varilux)

If any items are missing or damaged, please contact your retailer or Profoto customer support.

4. Setup

Follow these steps to properly set up your Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter with an RFi Softbox and a Multiblitz Varilux light source.

4.1 Attaching the Softbox to the Speedring Adapter

1. Unfold your Profoto RFi Softbox.
2. Identify the color-coded holes on the RFi Speedring Adapter.
3. Match the colored rods of the softbox with the corresponding color-coded holes on the speedring adapter.
4. Insert each rod firmly into its designated hole until it is fully seated. Ensure all rods are securely in place to maintain the softbox's shape.



Figure 1: Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter 100517 with a softbox attached. The image shows the adapter's central mechanism and the points where softbox rods are inserted.

4.2 Attaching the Speedring Adapter to the Light Source

1. Locate the mounting mechanism on your Multiblitz Varilux light source.
2. Align the Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter with the light source's mount.
3. Carefully slide or twist the adapter onto the light source until it clicks or locks into place. Refer to your Multiblitz Varilux light source manual for specific mounting instructions if needed.

4. Verify that the adapter and softbox assembly is stable and securely attached to the light source before operation.

5. Operating Instructions

The Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter serves as a robust interface between your RFi Softbox and the Multiblitz Varilux light source. Once securely mounted, the adapter holds the softbox in position, allowing you to direct and shape the light as required for your photography.

- **Rotation:** The adapter typically allows for rotation of the softbox, enabling precise positioning of the light spread. Adjust the rotation as needed for your desired lighting effect.
- **Stability:** Ensure the adapter's locking mechanism is fully engaged to prevent any movement during a shoot.

6. Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe down the adapter. For stubborn dirt, a slightly damp cloth with mild soap can be used, followed by thorough drying. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** Store the adapter in a clean, dry environment, away from extreme temperatures and direct sunlight.
- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect the adapter for any signs of wear, damage, or loose components. Address any issues promptly to ensure safe operation.

7. Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Softbox rods do not fit into the adapter.	Incorrect softbox model or misaligned rods.	Ensure you are using a Profoto RFi Softbox. Verify that the rods are aligned with the correct color-coded holes.
Adapter does not attach to the light source.	Incompatible light source or incorrect mounting procedure.	This adapter is specifically for Multiblitz Varilux light sources. Consult your light source manual for proper mounting.
Softbox feels loose after attachment.	Rods not fully inserted or adapter not fully locked onto the light source.	Push softbox rods firmly into the adapter. Ensure the adapter's locking mechanism on the light source is fully engaged.

8. Specifications

Model Number	100517
Brand	Profoto
Compatibility	Profoto RFi Softboxes, Multiblitz Varilux Light Sources
Color	Black

Item Weight	1.5 Pounds (approx. 0.68 kg)
Material	Durable metal construction

9. Warranty and Support

This Profoto product is covered by a limited manufacturer's warranty. For specific warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Profoto website.

For technical support, service, or inquiries regarding your Profoto RFi Speedring Adapter, please contact Profoto customer service through their official website or your local authorized dealer. Please have your product model number (100517) and purchase information ready when contacting support.

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