GadgetMonster GM006

GadgetMonster Smartphone Vlogging Kit GM006 User Manual

Model: GM006

1. Product Overview

The GadgetMonster Smartphone Vlogging Kit GM006 is a universal kit designed to enhance your smartphone video recording experience. It includes essential accessories for vlogging, live streaming, and content creation, providing improved audio and lighting.

The kit comprises a directional microphone, a 6-inch LED ring light, a flexible smartphone holder, and a tripod with handles, all designed for easy assembly and use with any smartphone.



Figure 1: The GadgetMonster Smartphone Vlogging Kit assembled and held, showcasing its compact design and ease of use for mobile content creation.

Kit Components:

- **Directional Microphone:** Professional-grade microphone with a 3.5mm jack for clear audio capture.
- **6-inch LED Ring Light:** Provides optimal illumination for videos, with adjustable brightness via a USB cable remote control.
- **Smartphone Holder:** Flexible and universal holder compatible with all smartphones.
- **Tripod with Handles:** Functions as a stable tripod or a handheld grip for mobile recording.

2. Setup Instructions

Follow these steps to assemble your GadgetMonster Smartphone Vlogging Kit:

2.1 Assembling the Tripod and Phone Holder

1. Unfold the tripod legs to create a stable base.
2. Locate the smartphone holder. It typically has a standard 1/4-inch screw mount at its base.
3. Attach the smartphone holder to the top of the tripod by screwing it clockwise until secure.



Figure 2: The tripod base with the smartphone holder mounted, ready for accessory attachment.



Figure 3: Detailed view of the smartphone rig, showing the adjustable holder and mounting points for accessories.

2.2 Attaching the Microphone

1. Identify the cold shoe mount or 1/4-inch screw thread on the top frame of the smartphone rig.
2. Slide the microphone into the cold shoe mount or screw it onto the thread until it is firmly in place.
3. Connect the microphone's 3.5mm audio jack cable to your smartphone's headphone jack. If your smartphone lacks a 3.5mm jack, an adapter (not included) may be required.

2.3 Attaching the LED Ring Light

1. Locate the remaining cold shoe mount or 1/4-inch screw thread on the top frame of the smartphone rig.
2. Mount the LED ring light by sliding it into the cold shoe mount or screwing it onto the thread.
3. Connect the USB cable of the ring light to a power source (e.g., a USB power bank, wall adapter, or computer USB port).

2.4 Inserting Your Smartphone

1. Gently expand the spring-loaded clamp of the smartphone holder.
2. Carefully insert your smartphone into the holder, ensuring it is securely gripped and centered.
3. Verify that the phone's buttons and ports are not obstructed by the holder.



Figure 4: The complete vlogging kit with a smartphone, microphone, and LED ring light fully assembled and ready for use.

3. Operating Instructions

3.1 Using the Microphone

- Ensure the microphone is securely connected to your smartphone's audio input.
- For optimal audio quality, position the microphone to face the sound source.
- Test the audio recording before starting your main session to ensure proper function and sound levels.

3.2 Using the LED Ring Light

- Connect the ring light's USB cable to a power source.
- Use the inline remote control on the USB cable to turn the light on/off and adjust brightness levels.
- Experiment with different brightness settings to achieve the desired lighting effect for your video.



Figure 5: The vlogging kit with the LED ring light turned on, demonstrating its illumination capability for recording.

3.3 Using the Tripod/Handheld Grip

- **Tripod Mode:** Place the kit on a flat, stable surface with the tripod legs extended for stationary recording.
- **Handheld Mode:** Fold the tripod legs together to form a comfortable grip for mobile recording and dynamic shots.

4. Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe down the components. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** Store the kit in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures when not in

use.

- **Cable Care:** Handle cables gently to prevent damage. Avoid sharp bends or excessive pulling.
- **Microphone Windscreen:** Ensure the foam windscreen on the microphone is clean and free from debris for optimal sound quality.

5. Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No audio from microphone.	• Microphone not fully plugged in. • Incorrect audio input selected on smartphone. • Smartphone requires a 3.5mm adapter (not included).	• Ensure the 3.5mm jack is fully inserted into the smartphone. • Check your smartphone's audio settings to confirm the external microphone is selected. • If your phone lacks a 3.5mm jack, use a compatible USB-C or Lightning to 3.5mm adapter.
LED ring light does not turn on.	• No power supply. • USB cable not properly connected. • Remote control is off.	• Connect the USB cable to a working power source (e.g., power bank, wall adapter). • Ensure the USB cable is securely plugged into both the light and the power source. • Press the power button on the inline remote control.
Smartphone is not stable in the holder.	• Smartphone not properly seated. • Holder not tightened.	• Ensure the smartphone is fully inserted and gripped by both sides of the spring-loaded clamp. • Tighten any adjustment knobs on the holder or tripod connection point.

6. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	GadgetMonster
Model Number	GM006
Color	Black
Connectivity Technology	Auxiliary (for microphone)
Hardware Interface	USB (for ring light power)
Special Features	Integrated Support/Holder
Compatible Devices	Smartphone
Rechargeable Battery	No (external power required for ring light)
International Article Code (EAN/UPC)	07333048048424

7. Warranty and Support

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the official GadgetMonster website or contact your

retailer. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

Manufacturer: GadgetMonster

Website: www.gadgetmonster.com (*Note: This is a placeholder URL, please refer to actual product packaging or documentation for official support channels.*)

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