

Benro TablePodProKit

Benro TablePod Pro Kit Instruction Manual

Model: TablePodProKit

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Benro TablePod Pro Kit is a lightweight and portable carbon fiber tripod system designed for mobile content creators, photographers, and videographers. It features a compact ball head with 360-degree panoramic rotation and a weight capacity of 3kg (6.6 lbs). This kit includes the Benro ARCASMART70 Combination Plate and Phone Holder, offering versatile mounting options for both cameras and smartphones.

Key features include:

- **Compact and Portable Design:** Lightweight 8-layer carbon fiber construction, folding to just 22.2cm (8.74 inches) and weighing 0.25kg (0.5 lbs), making it ideal for travel and on-the-go use.
- **Ball Head with Precise Control:** Smooth ball head adjustment for accurate framing, suitable for overhead views, product shoots, interviews, and vlogging.
- **ArcaSmart70 Plate Adapter:** A dual-use plate that functions as an Arca-Swiss compatible camera mount and a smartphone adapter, allowing quick transitions between devices.
- **Adjustable Leg Angles:** Multiple leg angle positions for low-angle shooting, flat lay photography, and stable placement on uneven surfaces.
- **Creator-Ready Accessories:** Built-in cold shoe mounts and threaded connection points for attaching lights, microphones, and other small accessories.



Figure 1: Benro TablePod Pro Kit components.

2. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

2.1 Unpacking and Initial Inspection

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Verify that all items listed in the "What's in the Box" section are present and undamaged. The kit typically includes the TablePod Pro tripod, ball head, ArcaSmart70 plate, smartphone adapter, and a carrying pouch.



Figure 2: The Benro TablePod Pro Kit stored in its carrying pouch.

2.2 Attaching the Camera or Smartphone

1. **For Cameras:** Attach the Arca-Swiss compatible plate (part of the ArcaSmart70) to the bottom of your camera using the 1/4"-20 screw. Ensure it is securely tightened.

2. **For Smartphones:** Extend the smartphone adapter arms of the ArcaSmart70 plate. Place your smartphone into the adapter and ensure it is held firmly.
3. Slide the mounted camera or smartphone (with ArcaSmart70) onto the ball head's quick release clamp. Tighten the clamp knob to secure the device.



Figure 3: A camera mounted on the TablePod Pro Kit.



Figure 4: A smartphone mounted on the TablePod Pro Kit with an external microphone.

2.3 Adjusting Leg Angles

Each leg of the TablePod Pro Kit features a button for adjusting its angle. Press the button on the leg and move the leg to one of the available angle positions. This allows for stable setup on various surfaces and for achieving different shooting heights, including low-angle shots.



Figure 5: Adjusting the leg angle by pressing the release button.



Figure 6: Tripod legs adjusted for a low-angle setup.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Ball Head Adjustments

The integrated ball head allows for flexible positioning of your camera or smartphone. Loosen the main locking knob to adjust the angle and tilt. Tighten the knob firmly once the desired position is achieved. The head also features a separate knob for 360-degree panoramic rotation, with a built-in pan scale for precise adjustments.



Figure 7: Ball head with pan scale for precise rotation.

3.2 Switching Between Landscape and Portrait Orientation

The ball head includes two built-in 90-degree notches. To switch from landscape to portrait orientation, loosen the main locking knob, tilt the camera/smartphone into one of the notches, and then re-tighten the knob. This allows for quick and easy changes in shooting orientation.

3.3 Attaching Additional Accessories

The tripod features 1/4"-20 threaded mounts on the legs, allowing you to attach various accessories such as LED lights, external microphones, or other compatible equipment. The ArcaSmart70 smartphone adapter also includes cold shoe mounts for direct attachment of accessories.

4. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the tripod legs and ball head with a soft, dry cloth after each use to remove dust and debris. For stubborn dirt, use a slightly damp cloth and mild soap, then dry thoroughly. Avoid harsh chemicals.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check all screws, knobs, and moving parts for tightness. Ensure the quick release plate mechanism operates smoothly.
- **Storage:** Store the tripod in its provided carrying pouch in a cool, dry place away from extreme temperatures and humidity.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Tripod is unstable.	Legs not fully extended or locked; uneven surface; excessive weight.	Ensure legs are fully extended and leg angle buttons are engaged. Adjust leg angles to compensate for uneven ground. Verify device weight is within the tripod's maximum payload.
Camera/Smartphone is loose on the ball head.	Quick release plate not tightened; ball head locking knob loose.	Ensure the quick release plate is securely attached to your device. Tighten the quick release clamp knob on the ball head. Tighten the main ball head locking knob.
Ball head movement is stiff.	Dust/debris in the ball head mechanism.	Clean the ball head thoroughly. If the issue persists, contact Benro customer support.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	3.35 x 1.97 x 8.74 inches
Item Weight	1.1 pounds (0.5 kg)
Material	Carbon Fiber
Weight Limit (Payload)	6.6 Pounds (3 kg)
Maximum Height	8.8 Inches (22.35 cm)
Tripod Head Type	Ball Head (FS20)
Quick Release Plate	Arca-Swiss compatible (ArcaSmart70)
Smartphone Adapter	Integrated into ArcaSmart70, with cold shoe mounts
Accessory Mounts	1/4"-20 threads on legs

7. PRODUCT VIDEOS

Benro Tablepod Kit & Pro Kit Overview

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This video provides a comprehensive overview of the Benro TablePod Kit and TablePod Pro Kit, demonstrating their features, components, and various usage scenarios for content creation. It highlights the compact design, adjustable leg angles, and the versatility of the included accessories like the ArcaSmart70 plate.

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT




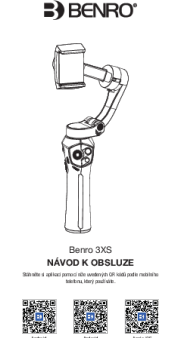
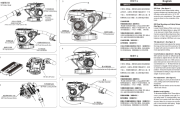
8.1 Warranty Information

The standard limited warranty for the Benro TablePod Pro Kit is **3 years** from the date of purchase for the original owner. If the product is registered online, the warranty is extended by an additional **2 years**, totaling **5 years** in applicable regions. Please refer to the official Benro website for detailed warranty terms and conditions.

8.2 Customer Support

For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or warranty claims, please visit the official Benro website or contact their customer support team. Contact details can typically be found on the manufacturer's website or in the product packaging.

Related Documents - TablePodProKit

	<p>Benro Mach 3 Series Tripod Instruction Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive instructions for setting up and operating your Benro Mach 3 series carbon fiber tripods, covering leg angle and section adjustments, center column operation, reversible mounting screw, interchangeable feet, and monopod conversion.</p>
	<p>Benro Polaris Smart Electric Tripod Head and 3rd Axis User Manual and Specifications</p> <p>This document provides specifications, item lists, warranty information, and FCC warnings for the Benro Polaris Smart Electric Tripod Head and its 3rd Axis accessory. It details technical parameters, included components, and warranty terms for both products.</p>
	<p>Benro Travel Angel Series Tripods: Operating Instructions and User Notice</p> <p>Comprehensive operating instructions and user notice for Benro Travel Angel Series tripods, covering setup, operation, maintenance, and safety guidelines for professional photographic equipment.</p>
	<p>Benro 3XS Gimbal Smartphone Stabilizer User Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive user manual for the Benro 3XS smartphone gimbal, detailing setup, features, specifications, and operating instructions for photography and videography.</p>
	<p>Benro Professional S6 Video Head User Manual</p> <p>User manual and setup guide for the Benro Professional S6 Video Head, covering installation, adjustments, and safety notices.</p>