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For Creality K1, K1 MAX, K1C, K1 SE 3D Printers

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Creality K1 AI Camera is an accessory designed to enhance the 3D printing experience on compatible Creality K1 series printers. It provides real-time monitoring, time-lapse video creation, and advanced AI-powered print failure detection capabilities.



Figure 1: Front view of the Creality K1 AI Camera.

2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- USB Cable
- User Manual (this document)
- Creality K1 AI Camera Unit

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

The Creality K1 AI Camera is designed for easy integration with Creality K1, K1 MAX, K1C, and K1 SE 3D printers. Follow these steps for installation:

1. **Locate the Reserved Interface:** The camera connects to a dedicated interface within your Creality K1 series printer. Refer to your printer's manual for the exact location.
2. **Connect the Camera:** Plug the camera's cable into the reserved interface. Ensure a secure connection.
3. **Mount the Camera:** Secure the camera in its designated mounting slot within the printer's enclosure. The

design ensures optimal viewing of the print bed.

Easy to Install



Figure 2: Illustration of the easy installation process for the K1 AI Camera.

3.1 Initial Configuration and Firmware Upgrade

After physical installation, ensure your printer's firmware is up-to-date and the camera is recognized by the system. This may involve connecting to Creality Print software or Creality Cloud platform.

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Video 1: Official Creality K1 AI Camera overview and installation guide. This video demonstrates the physical installation and initial setup steps for the camera.

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Video 2: Creality Nebula Smart Kit - Unboxing and Operation Tutorial. This video provides a detailed walkthrough of setting up the Nebula Camera and Nebula Pad, including firmware updates and initial configuration.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Real-time Monitoring

The K1 AI Camera enables real-time monitoring of your 3D prints. Access the live feed through the Creality Cloud app on your mobile device or the Creality Print software on your computer. This allows you to observe the printing process remotely.



Figure 3: High-definition video feed from the K1 AI Camera during a print.

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Video 3: Creality Nebula Camera: Monitor 3D Prints in Real-time. This video highlights the real-time monitoring capabilities of the camera.

4.2 Time-Lapse Filming

The camera supports automatic time-lapse video creation. Once enabled, the camera will capture images at set intervals and compile them into a time-lapse video of your print. These videos can be accessed and shared via the Creality Cloud platform.

4.3 AI Detection Features

The K1 AI Camera incorporates artificial intelligence for enhanced print reliability:

- **Print Failure Detection:** The camera can identify common printing issues, such as spaghetti failures or layer shifts. Upon detection, the printer can automatically pause the print job, minimizing filament waste and potential damage.
- **Foreign Object Detection (with AI Lidar):** When paired with an optional AI Lidar (purchased separately), the camera can detect foreign objects on the print platform before printing begins. This feature automatically pauses the process to prevent collisions with the hotend.

AI Camera Keeps a Keen Watch



Figure 4: The K1 AI Camera actively monitors the print area.

Enable AI detection

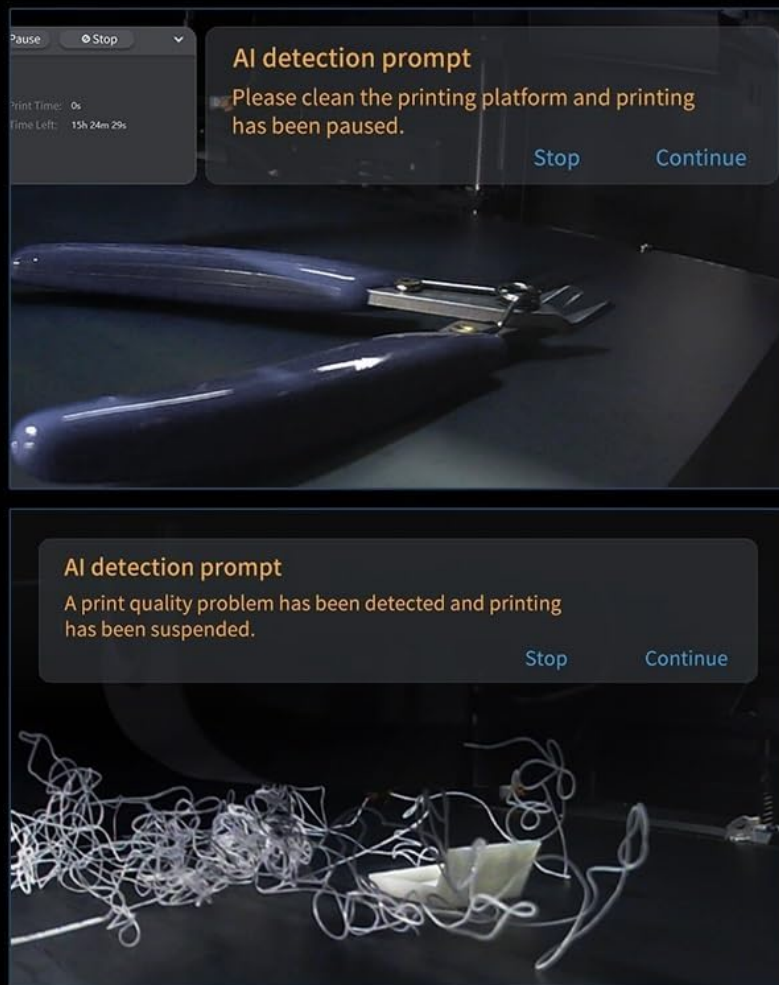


Figure 5: Examples of AI detection prompts for cleaning the platform or suspending a print due to quality issues.

4.4 Remote Printing and Control

Through the Creality Cloud or Creality Print software, you can initiate and manage print jobs remotely. The camera's live feed provides visual confirmation of the print's progress and status.

4.5 Night Vision Functionality

The camera is equipped with night vision capabilities, allowing for clear monitoring of prints even in low-light or dark environments.

5. MAINTENANCE

To ensure optimal performance and longevity of your Creality K1 AI Camera, consider the following maintenance tips:

- **Lens Cleaning:** Gently clean the camera lens with a soft, lint-free cloth to remove dust or smudges that may affect image clarity. Avoid abrasive materials or harsh chemicals.

- **Cable Management:** Ensure all cables are neatly routed and secured to prevent interference with printer movement or accidental disconnections.
- **Software Updates:** Regularly check for and install firmware updates for both the camera and your 3D printer to benefit from performance improvements and new features.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Creality K1 AI Camera, try the following:

- **No Camera Feed:**
 - Verify the camera is securely connected to the printer's interface.
 - Ensure the printer is powered on and connected to the network (Wi-Fi or Ethernet).
 - Restart the Creality Print software or Creality Cloud app.
 - Check for and install any pending firmware updates for the camera or printer.
- **Poor Image Quality:**
 - Clean the camera lens as described in the Maintenance section.
 - Ensure adequate lighting in the print area, especially if night vision is not active.
- **AI Detection Issues:**
 - Confirm that AI detection features are enabled in your printer's settings or Creality Print/Cloud.
 - If using AI Lidar, ensure it is correctly installed and calibrated.
 - Some print geometries or filament colors may affect detection accuracy.
- **Connectivity Problems:**
 - Ensure your printer and the device accessing the camera (phone/PC) are on the same local area network (LAN).
 - Check your network connection for stability.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	0.21 x 1.43 x 1.74 inches
Item Weight	0.43 ounces
ASIN	B0C6XFP3X2
Item Model Number	BREAUX
Brand	Creality
Material	Metal and Plastic
Color	One Color
Manufacturer	Creality 3D

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the official Creality website or contact Creality customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

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