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1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The ULANZI F38 Camera Quick Release System is designed to provide photographers and videographers with a fast and secure method for attaching and detaching cameras from various supports. This system enhances workflow efficiency by allowing quick transitions between carrying and shooting modes, whether using a backpack, tripod, or other compatible accessories.

Key Features:

- One-Click Attachment & Detachment: Seamlessly switch between carrying and shooting modes.
- **Upgraded Flexible Structure:** Arc-shaped thermoplastic back panel ensures a tight, comfortable fit on straps without chafing.
- Wide Compatibility: Compatible with a broad range of cameras, backpack straps, and tripods.
- Adjustable Strap Clamping: Three gear options accommodate strap thicknesses from 2mm to 20mm.
- **High Load Capacity:** Supports up to 30kg (66.14 lbs) for secure camera mounting.
- Four-Way Installation: Allows flexible mounting direction without specific positioning.
- Self-Locking Mechanism: Redesigned for smoother quick release and enhanced security.

2. SETUP GUIDE

2.1 Attaching the Quick Release Plate to Your Camera

The F38 Quick Release Plate features a standard 1/4" screw for attaching to your camera's tripod socket. Ensure the screw is tightened securely to prevent any movement.

The Quick Release Plate Contains Locking **Gasket Camera Fixed More Stable** Various Mounting Methods, can be mounted in any of Stainless steel gaskets Graphite nylon gaskets the four directions

Figure 2.1: The F38 Quick Release Plate with its locking gasket for stable camera fixation. It supports four-way mounting.

2.2 Attaching the F38 Clip to a Backpack Strap or Belt

The F38 clip is designed to securely attach to backpack straps or belts. It features a flexible structure and adjustable gears to fit various strap thicknesses.

- 1. Open the F38 clip by pressing the release button and unfolding it.
- 2. Position the clip on your backpack strap or belt. The clip is compatible with straps up to 8 cm (3.15 inches) wide and 2 cm (0.79 inches) thick.
- 3. Adjust the three gear options to match your strap's thickness (2mm-20mm) for a snug fit.
- 4. Close the clip until it locks securely. The arc-shaped thermoplastic back panel will conform to the strap for comfort.



Figure 2.2: The F38 Clip's three gear options for adjusting to various strap thicknesses (2mm-20mm).



Figure 2.3: The flexible structure of the F38 Clip ensures a comfortable and secure fit on backpack straps.

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Video 2.1: Official demonstration of attaching the F38 Camera Backpack Clip V2 to a backpack strap and its quick release functionality.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Mounting and Dismounting Your Camera

- 1. To mount your camera: Align the quick release plate (attached to your camera) with the F38 clip on your backpack. Slide the camera downwards into the clip until it clicks and locks into place. The system is designed for self-locking.
- 2. To dismount your camera: Press the release button on the F38 clip and slide the camera upwards to remove it.



Figure 3.1: Illustration of the slide-in self-locking mechanism for quick camera attachment.

3.2 Using the Safety Lock

The F38 clip includes a safety device to prevent accidental release. This is particularly useful during active movements like hiking or climbing.

- To engage the safety lock: Push the small button on the side of the release mechanism downwards into the locked mode (indicated by a lock icon). This will prevent the main release button from being pressed.
- To disengage the safety lock: Push the small button upwards to unlock the main release button.



Figure 3.2: Detail of the safety lock feature on the F38 clip, preventing accidental camera release.

4. MAINTENANCE

- **Regular Cleaning:** Wipe the F38 clip and quick release plate with a soft, dry cloth to remove dust and debris. Avoid using harsh chemicals.
- Lanyard Inspection: The Dyneema lanyard features a 3-layer wear warning system. Regularly inspect the lanyard for any signs of wear, especially if yellow rope appears. Replace the lanyard if significant wear is observed to maintain safety.
- Screw Check: Periodically check the 1/4" screw on the quick release plate to ensure it remains tightly secured to your camera.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

- Camera feels loose on the mount: Ensure the 1/4" screw on the quick release plate is fully tightened to your camera. Also, verify that the F38 clip's adjustable gears are set to the correct thickness for your backpack strap, providing a snug fit. If using with a Ronin gimbal, adjust the twist lock on the gimbal that mounts the plate using a torque screwdriver to ensure a secure fit.
- **Difficulty attaching/detaching camera:** Ensure the safety lock is disengaged. Check for any obstructions or debris in the quick release mechanism.

• Sharp edges on the plate: Some users have noted that the threads on the bottom of the plate can be sharp. Exercise caution when handling to avoid cuts.

6. PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number	F38
Brand	ULANZI
Item Weight	4.2 ounces (approx. 119 grams)
Package Dimensions	4.41 x 2.8 x 1.54 inches
Compatible Devices	Camera
Max Load Capacity	30 kg (66.14 lbs)
Strap Width Compatibility	Up to 8 cm (3.15 inches)
Strap Thickness Compatibility	2mm - 20mm (0.08 - 0.79 inches)
Mounting Screw	1/4" to 3/8" Screw Thread

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, technical support, or any inquiries regarding your ULANZI F38 Camera Quick Release System, please contact ULANZI customer service directly. You can find more information and contact details on the official ULANZI store page:

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