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Model: AAEWAL-021 | Brand: GoPro

INTRODUCTION

The GoPro Macro Lens Mod is designed to enhance the close-up capabilities of your HERO13 Black camera. It allows you to focus on objects significantly closer than the standard lens, enabling detailed macro photography and videography. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your Macro Lens Mod.



Image: The GoPro Macro Lens Mod, a specialized lens for close-up photography.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- Macro Lens Mod
- Front & Rear Protective Caps
- Microfiber Lens Cloth

SETUP

The Macro Lens Mod is designed for easy attachment and removal from your HERO13 Black camera. The HERO13 Black features auto-

recognition for the lens, simplifying the setup process.

Attaching the Macro Lens Mod

1. Ensure your HERO13 Black camera is powered off.
2. Carefully remove the standard lens cover from your HERO13 Black by twisting it counter-clockwise and pulling it off.



Image: Hands demonstrating the removal of the standard lens from the GoPro HERO13 Black camera.

3. Align the Macro Lens Mod with the camera's lens mount.
4. Gently push the Macro Lens Mod onto the camera and twist clockwise until it clicks securely into place.



Image: Hands attaching the Macro Lens Mod to the GoPro HERO13 Black camera.

5. Power on your HERO13 Black. The camera will automatically recognize the Macro Lens Mod.



Image: The GoPro HERO13 Black camera with the Macro Lens Mod securely attached.

Removing the Macro Lens Mod

1. Ensure your HERO13 Black camera is powered off.
2. Twist the Macro Lens Mod counter-clockwise and pull it off the camera.
3. Replace the standard lens cover on your HERO13 Black to protect the camera's built-in lens.

OPERATING THE MACRO LENS MOD

The Macro Lens Mod features variable focus with a rotating lens ring. It allows you to focus on objects approximately 3 times closer than the standard HERO13 Black lens, from a minimum distance of 11 centimeters to infinity.

Focus Peaking

The HERO13 Black camera supports Focus Peaking when the Macro Lens Mod is attached. This feature highlights the in-focus areas on the camera screen, making it easier to achieve precise focus, especially for small subjects or in challenging lighting conditions.

- To activate Focus Peaking, navigate to the camera settings on your HERO13 Black.
- Look for the "Focus Peaking" option and enable it. You may be able to select a color for the peaking overlay (e.g., yellow).



Image: The GoPro HERO13 Black camera screen displaying the focus peaking overlay, indicating areas that are in sharp focus.

Capturing Macro Shots

Rotate the lens ring on the Macro Lens Mod to adjust the focus. Use the Focus Peaking feature on your camera's screen to confirm sharp focus on your desired subject.



Image: A GoPro HERO13 Black with the Macro Lens Mod positioned to capture a detailed close-up of a bicycle chain and gears.



Image: A GoPro HERO13 Black with the Macro Lens Mod capturing a close-up of a fishing reel and line.



Image: A GoPro HERO13 Black with the Macro Lens Mod mounted on a helmet, ready for action shots.

MAINTENANCE

- Always use the provided microfiber lens cloth to clean the lens surfaces.
- Avoid touching the lens surface with your fingers to prevent smudges and scratches.
- When not in use, keep the front and rear protective caps on the Macro Lens Mod to protect it from dust and damage.
- Store the lens in a clean, dry place away from extreme temperatures and humidity.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Difficulty achieving sharp focus.	Incorrect focus ring adjustment; challenging lighting.	Rotate the lens ring slowly to fine-tune focus. Utilize the Focus Peaking feature on your HERO13 Black screen. In bright sunlight, it might be harder to see the peaking overlay; try to shade the screen or review shots.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Lens not recognized by camera.	Lens not securely attached.	Ensure the Macro Lens Mod is twisted fully clockwise until it clicks into place. Power cycle the camera if necessary.

SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number	AAEWAL-021
Compatible Camera	GoPro HERO13 Black
Focal Length Description	5.53 millimeters
Lens Type	Macro, Standard
Item Weight	3.53 ounces

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