

SMALLRIG 5541

SmallRig Phone Video Cage Dual Handheld Kit for iPhone 17 Pro Max (Model 5541)

Instruction Manual

1. INTRODUCTION

The SmallRig Phone Video Cage Dual Handheld Kit (Model 5541) is specifically designed for the iPhone 17 Pro Max, providing a robust and versatile platform for professional-level mobile video recording, live streaming, and filmmaking. This kit enhances stability, expands accessory mounting options, and offers ergonomic control for various shooting scenarios.

2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Verify that all components are present in your package:

- Phone Cage × 1
- Phone Case × 1
- TPU Soft Bumper × 1
- Rotatable Handle with Wireless Control × 1
- Rotatable Side Handle × 1
- T-Mount Lens Backplate × 1
- 17mm Lens Backplate × 1
- Operating Instruction × 1

► Pro-Grade Motion and Remote Shooting ◄



Figure 2.1: All components included in the SmallRig Phone Video Cage Dual Handheld Kit 5541.

3. PRODUCT FEATURES

- **Dual Handheld Kit:** Specifically designed for iPhone 17 Pro Max, facilitating professional video shooting, live streaming, and filmmaking.
- **17mm T-Mount Lens Backplate:** Standard quick-release T-mount backplate can be swapped for a trim ring, a 17mm threaded lens backplate, or a 67mm magnetic filter adapter (sold separately) for diverse shooting effects.
- **Rich Expansion Interfaces:** Multiple 1/4"-20 threaded holes, cold shoe mounts, and HawkLock H11 quick-release interfaces for attaching handles, tripods, microphones, and LED lights.
- **Quick-release Wireless Remote Control Rotating Handle:** Handles connect via HawkLock H11 quick-release system for fast, stable, and tool-free attachment. The detachable wireless remote supports one-touch shooting with a maximum control range of up to 10 meters.
- **Contouring Cutaway Design:** Ensures no interference with iPhone's buttons, ports, radar, ultra-wide-angle lens, and wireless charging functionality.
- **Layered Protection & Heat Dissipation:** Full-enclosure metal frame provides comprehensive protection. For underwater filming or high-performance heat dissipation, the phone can be used without its case by pairing it with the TPU soft rubber frame within the cage.

4. SETUP & ASSEMBLY

4.1. Inserting the iPhone into the Case

1. Ensure your iPhone 17 Pro Max is clean and free of debris.
2. Carefully align your iPhone with the included phone case.
3. Gently press the iPhone into the case until it is securely seated. Ensure all buttons and ports are accessible and aligned.

4.2. Attaching the Phone Cage

1. With the iPhone securely in its case, align the case with the phone cage.
2. Slide the phone case into the cage from one side, ensuring it clicks into place. The quick-release mechanism provides a secure and stable fit.

4.3. Swapping Lens Backplates

1. The kit includes a T-Mount Lens Backplate and a 17mm Lens Backplate.
2. To change, gently detach the currently installed backplate from the phone case.
3. Align the desired backplate (T-Mount or 17mm) with the camera module area on the phone case and press it into place until secure.

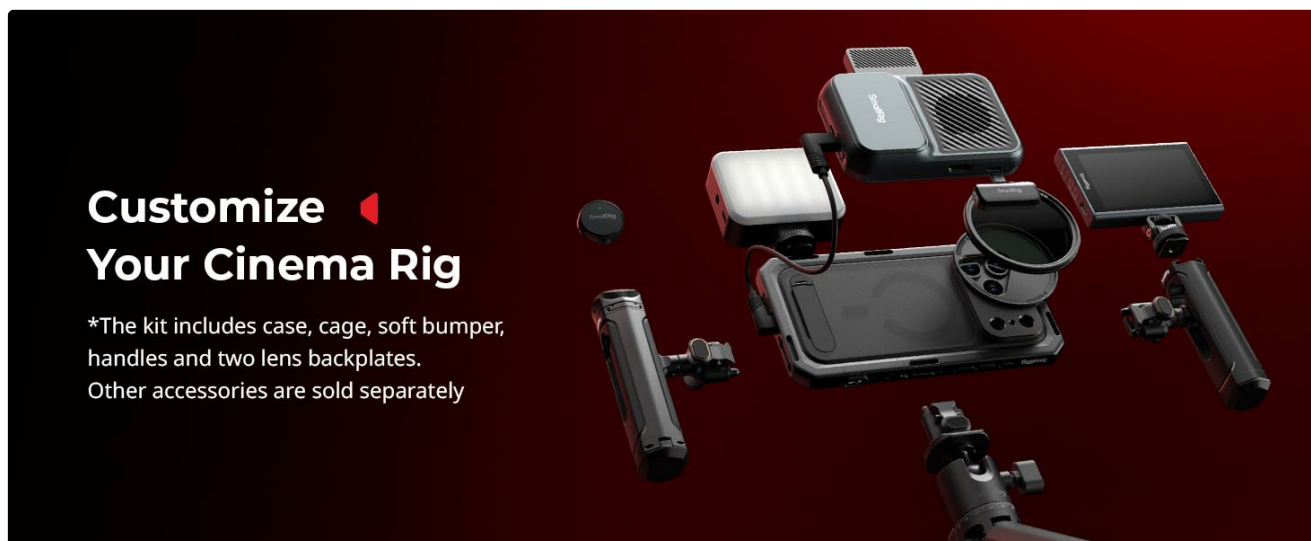


Figure 4.1: The quick-release T-mount and 17mm threaded lens backplates allow for easy attachment of external lenses and filters (67mm filter adapter sold separately).

4.4. Attaching Rotatable Side Handles

1. Locate the HawkLock H11 quick-release interfaces on the sides of the phone cage.
2. Align the rotatable side handles with these interfaces.
3. Push and twist the handles until they lock securely into position. The handles can be rotated 360° for comfortable grip and versatile shooting angles.

In the Box

SmallRig Mobile Dual Handheld Kit for iPhone 17 Pro Max

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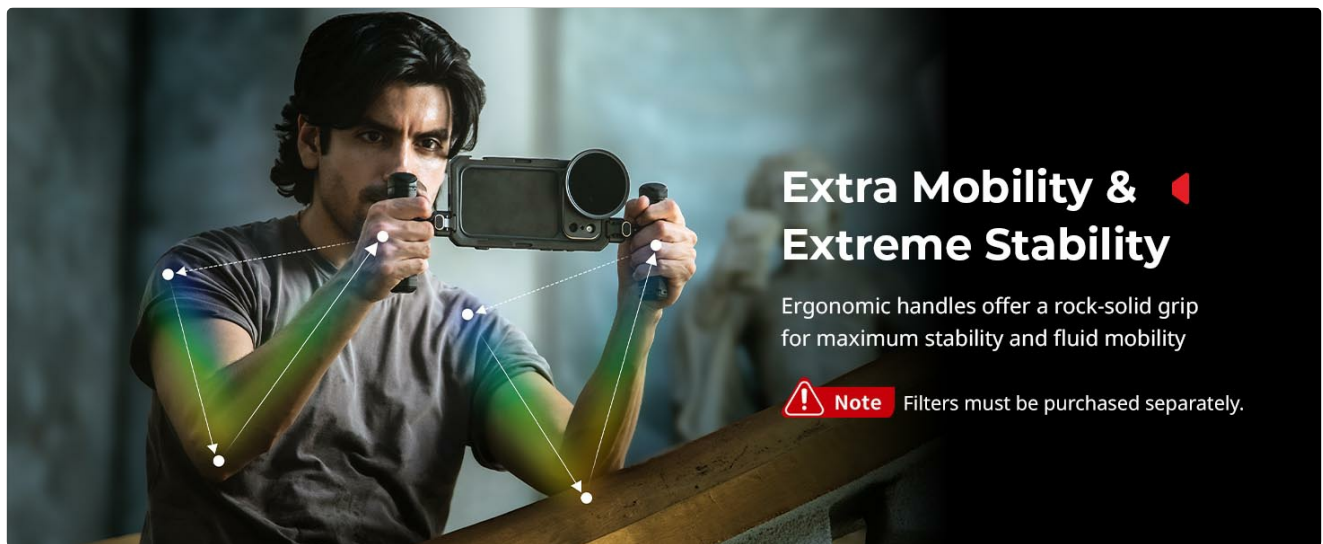
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Figure 4.2: Ergonomic handles provide enhanced stability and fluid mobility for video recording.

4.5. Mounting Additional Accessories

The cage features multiple 1/4"-20 threaded holes and cold shoe mounts for attaching external microphones, LED lights, tripods, and other filmmaking accessories. Simply screw or slide your accessories into the appropriate mounts.



Extra Mobility & Extreme Stability

Ergonomic handles offer a rock-solid grip for maximum stability and fluid mobility

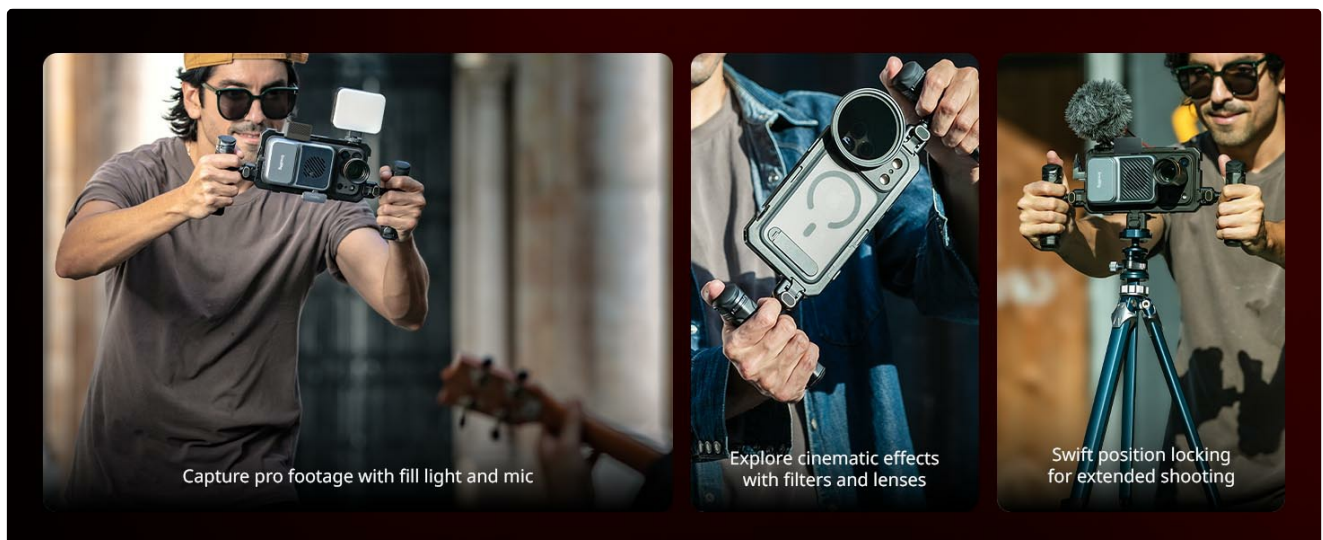
Note Filters must be purchased separately.

Figure 4.3: Customize your mobile cinema rig with various compatible accessories.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1. Using the Wireless Remote Control

The rotatable handle with wireless control includes a detachable remote. This remote allows for one-touch shooting and can operate up to 10 meters away, providing flexibility for remote camera activation.



Capture pro footage with fill light and mic

Explore cinematic effects with filters and lenses

Swift position locking for extended shooting

Figure 5.1: The detachable wireless remote offers convenient control from a distance of up to 10 meters.

5.2. Adjusting Handle Position

The rotatable side handles can be adjusted 360° to achieve the most comfortable and stable grip for any shooting scenario, whether horizontal or vertical.

Explore Cinematic Effects

T-mount backplate, 17mm threaded lens backplate, and 67mm filter adapter for seamless lens and filter switching



*67mm filter adapter sold separately:
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Figure 5.2: The handles offer 360° bi-directional rotation for optimal positioning and comfort.

5.3. Using the Integrated Kickstand

The phone case features an integrated kickstand for convenient hands-free viewing or stable placement on flat surfaces.

6. PRODUCT VIDEOS

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Video 6.1: Official overview of the SmallRig Phone Video Rig for iPhone 17 Pro/Max, demonstrating its features and use cases.

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Video 6.2: A concise demonstration of the SMALLRIG phone cage for iPhone 17 Pro/Max, highlighting key functionalities.

7. MAINTENANCE & CARE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the cage and handles. For stubborn dirt, a slightly damp cloth can be used, followed by immediate drying.
- **Storage:** Store the kit in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Handling:** Avoid dropping the kit or subjecting it to excessive force, as this may damage the components or your iPhone.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Difficulty inserting iPhone:** Ensure no third-party phone cases are installed on your iPhone before attempting to insert it into the SmallRig case. Forced use with incompatible cases may damage your mobile phone.
- **Loose handles/accessories:** Verify that all quick-release mechanisms and threaded connections are properly tightened.
- **Wireless remote not responding:** Check the remote's battery and ensure it is within the 10-meter operating range of the handle.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	7.19 x 3.92 x 0.49 inches
Item Weight	1.07 pounds (487 Grams)
Item Model Number	5541
Compatible Devices	iPhone 17 Pro Max
Material	Aluminum Alloy (Cage), TPU (Soft Bumper)
Color	Black
Wireless Remote Range	Up to 10 meters
Lens Mounts	T-Mount, 17mm Threaded

10. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Warning: Do not use this product with third-party phone cases. Forced use with incompatible cases may damage your mobile phone. Always ensure your iPhone is properly seated and secured within the SmallRig case and cage before use.

11. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official SmallRig website or contact their customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt for any warranty claims.