

News and New Products

Ikelite EOS-300D Housing

The clear molded dSLR introduces a compact new housing system at a very realistic price. It features full capabilities and operates safely to 200 feet depth.

The Auto Exposure Lock and Focus Lock are placed where they can be activated with your thumb while taking a picture. Special “stay depressed when desired” control allows dial to provide constant manual aperture rather than shutter speed when desired.

All ports from their SLR systems can be utilized, allowing use of most macro, wide angle, and zoom lenses. This system allows you to see that the port is sealed.

The housing “O” ring seal is a masterpiece in fail-safe simplicity compared to designs that require stuffing the “O” ring into a groove. You can see that the “O” ring is sealed.

The heavy duty thick wall housing is molded of corrosion free clear polycarbonate. The Release Handle system allows easy attachment and removal of SubStrobe mounting arms at the touch of a button. Two screws remove the handle and tray assembly for traveling.

The housing is sized and weighted for near neutral buoyancy and superb handling underwater. Camera installation is quick and simple. The dependable controls are conveniently placed at your fingertips, and kept water tight with Ikelite pioneered Quad-Ring seal glands proven to be the most reliable method for sealing controls.



The Ikelite Super-Eye magnifier provided with the housing offers enhanced viewing while wearing a diving mask.

This Canon digital camera allows only manual operation with any underwater strobe. TTL or E-TTL conversion circuitry is not available.

For further details visit www.ikelite.com

New Ultralight adaptor

Ultralight has modified their TTL adapter to now attach on top of their new digital handle. This allows for use of Ikelites TTL unit or manual controller unit to be attached at the top of the handle. The units tighten onto the TTL adapter and can be positioned where needed.

www.ulcs.com



Fantasea CP-3 Nikon Coolpix 3100 Housing

Fantasea's new CP-3 housing for Nikon Coolpix 3100 (3 MegaPix) and Coolpix 2100 (2MegaPix) Cameras should now be available.

It is depth rated to 40 meters/130 ft and has controls for 7 functions including:

Shutter release , Zoom In , Zoom Out , Flash on and off , Macro focus , Confirm or enter (flash & Macro) , Quick review and Restart.

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Subal C30 housing for Canon EOS 300D

The Subal C30 housing is machined from a solid block of aluminium and follows the proved and tried design of their Nikon D100 housing.

There are controls for Power On/Off, shutter release, Manual Focus/Zoom, Mode, main dial and lens release and there are push buttons for Menu, Info, Jump, Play, Delete, Set, Light, Exposure compensation, Multiselector, AE-Lock and Focus area selector.

The C30 weighs just 1.6kg without port and accessories it measures 230 x 140 x 140mm without port and handles. Underwater the C30 is neutral but final buoyancy will depend on the port and accessories being used.

A single flash connector is provided and TTL performance can only be achieved by using the S6 connector and Canon flashgun.

The Subal C30 can be used down to 70 metres (210 feet).

For further information visit
www.subal.com



Nikon WP-CP1

This Waterproof Case is an optional accessory designed exclusively for COOLPIX 2200 and COOLPIX 3200. The case allows you to take pictures safely in the rain, on the beach or even underwater to the depth of 40m.

www.nikon.co.uk

Gates High definition HD-1 video housing



The Gates HD-1 houses the JVC HD cameras JY-HD10U, GR-HD1 and GR-PD1.

There are mechanical controls for Power On/Off, Record/Standby, Snapshot, Zoom, Auto / Manual Focus, HD / SD Mode, Internal "Flip" Color Correction Filter, Manual Focus Control, Program AE, Shutter Speed – Iris / White Balance, Select Dial, Select Dial Execute

Its dimensions are 12." L x 6.7" H x 6.7" W (12.5" w/handles) or 32 cm L x 17 cm H x 17 cm W (32 cm w/handles).

It weighs 14.3 lbs / 6.5 kg and is neutral underwater and is depth rated to 450 feet / 137 meters.

www.gateshousings.com

Light & Motion Mako video housing

Light & Motion have announced their Mako housings for



Sony's mega-pixel MiniDV digital cameras, the PC330, PC300, PC120 and PC115, PC110 and PC100.

The Mako housing employs Smart Grip fingertip controls which allow access to camcorder functions as well as your lighting system.

There are also two color active matrix monitors - the Mako monitor back or the Mako remote monitor

The Mako is available as a stand alone housing or can be purchased as part of a complete travel package.

The Mako housing costs \$2399.

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SUBAL C10 housing for Canon EOS 10D



The Subal C10 follows the successful and well received design strategy of the new generation of underwater housings machined from solid stock.

A 4 mm main O ring and the Subal QuickLock latching system make it virtually impossible to close the lid incorrectly. Threaded holes on the base and in the top shoe allow mounting of trays, aiming lights or other accessories to be mounted. The generous shading of the LCD-monitor port provides a bright and clear image for easy viewing.

The housing incorporates an excellent viewfinder optic for full frame viewing.

Dimensions: W x H x D Approx. 240x170x140 mm (w/o port and handles). Weight Approx. 2.1 kg (w/o port and accessories). Buoyancy: All but neutral (dependant on the port and accessories used).

2 Flash connectors are supplied as standard with optional Nikonos V, Ikelite or Subtronic S6 sockets. TTL mode only available with S6 socket and an original Canon flash gun.

Max. Depth rating 70 m (210 ft)

Controls/Functions:

Power On/OFF, Shutter Release, Front and Rear Main Dial, Manual Focus/Zoom, Mode Dial, Lens Release.

Push Buttons for: Light, AF/WB Selector, Drive-ISO, Metering System/Flash Power Compensation, Menu, Info, Jump, Direction Switching, Playback, Delete, Index/AE-Lock, Focus Area Selector, Set.

www.subal.com

Inon X-2



The Inon X-2 is designed for the Canon EOS10D and is machined from aluminum and reinforced plastic.

It's innovative design incorporates 3 Optical Connectors - 2 for Strobos and 1 for remote light switch. The 2 TTL Strobe connectors are individually controllable on the X-2 control panel, so that the user can adjust either strobe manually.

Function Mode - User can select 3 modes, "Strobe Mode" "Light Mode" and "Natural Light

Mode", underwater on the back panel of X-2.

"Strobe Mode" is for strobe usage. "Light Mode" is for external light use. The optional compact external light unit (to be released as an optional accessory) can be used with the X-2 housing. Instead of Strobos, this compact light unit works with X-2 housing as same as strobos. The light unit is connected to the X-2 through an Optical Fiber Cable so there is no water-leakage.

"Natural Light Mode" - With this mode, Strobe and external light can be intentionally deactivated.

The X-2 has Remote Optical Connector for activating shutter release button from a distance. Either strobe or external light unit coupled other side of the remote optical fiber can be worked as trigger switch of shutter release button. With strobe, remote operation can be worked as wireless or as wired (Optical Cable).

External light has to be connected with optical fiber cable (the other side is connected to Remote Optical Connector)

Other features include:

*The focus Light/target laser of Z-220/D-180 is turned on by partially pressing of shutter release button then automatically turned off before the exposure.

*Ports compatible with the X-1 are also useable on the X-2 housing.

*The INON MRS100 Port Type U enables, with its Magnet Rotary System, the user to use lens barrel rotation as if they are adjusting the lens barrel directly.

Like the X-1 series, pick-up finder, 3D Guide System and Leak Sensor are installed.

For further information please contact your nearest Inon dealer.