



BG-S4-C

BATTERY GRIP

Designed for the
Sony Alpha a6300 and a6400
Mirrorless Cameras



Introduction

Thank you for choosing Vello, and congratulations on your new BG-S4-C battery grip purchase. Enjoy the many benefits that a battery grip offers, such as extended shooting time and a comfortable hand position when shooting in a vertical (portrait) orientation. The Vello BG-S4-C is compatible with the Sony Alpha a6300 and a6400 mirrorless cameras, and it accepts up to two Sony NP-FW50 rechargeable batteries. It offers an alternate shutter-release button that works with the included Multi Terminal cable, and a USB Type-C® port for charging the batteries while inserted in the grip.

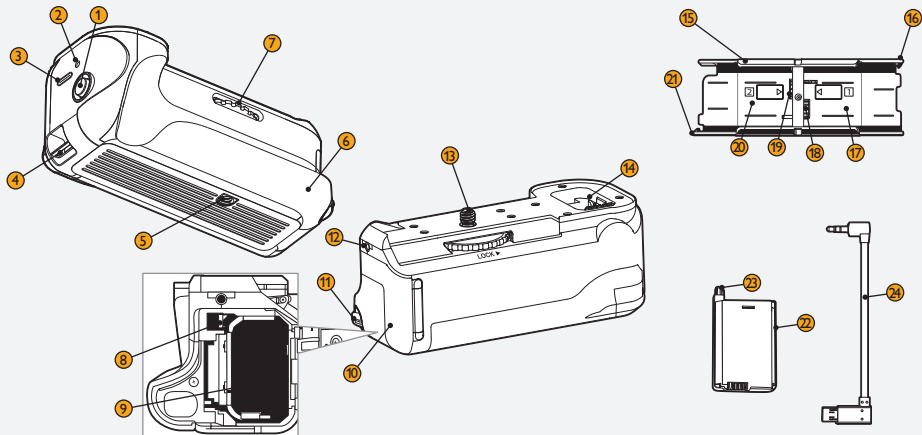


Please read through this entire manual before using the BG-S4-C battery grip.

Precautions

1. The BG-S4-C should be used only with compatible devices specified in this manual.
2. Use only with the batteries and battery holders recommended in this manual.
3. If you notice smoke, noise, or an unusual smell from the battery pack, discontinue use immediately. Remove the batteries, and take the device to a Vello authorized reseller.
4. The battery level may not display properly if batteries are installed before mounting the grip.
5. Remove batteries from the grip when not in use.
6. Do not attempt to disassemble.
7. Avoid exposing this product to water or extreme humidity, and keep it in a dry, cool place.
8. Keep out of reach of children.
9. All images are for illustrative purposes only.

Overview

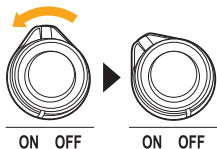


- ① Shutter release button
- ② Charging status LED
- ③ USB Type-C port
- ④ Hand-strap mount
- ⑤ Tripod socket
- ⑥ Nonslip grip
- ⑦ Thumbwheel lock
- ⑧ Battery tray lock
- ⑨ Battery compartment

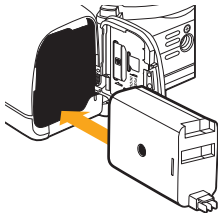
- ⑩ Battery compartment door
- ⑪ Battery compartment lock
- ⑫ Cable-release socket
- ⑬ Mounting screw
- ⑭ Connection plate cover recess
- ⑮ Battery tray
- ⑯ Battery 1 latch
- ⑰ Battery slot 1
- ⑱ Slot 1 contacts

- ⑲ Slot 2 contacts
- ⑳ Battery slot 2
- ㉑ Battery 2 latch
- ㉒ Battery pack adapter
- ㉓ Battery pack adapter contacts
- ㉔ Multi Terminal shutter release cable

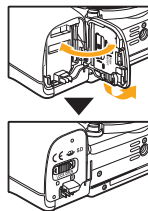
Attaching the Battery Grip



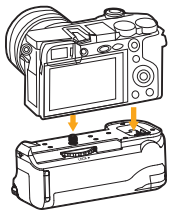
1. Ensure that the camera power is turned off.



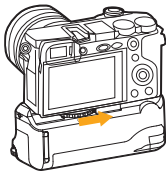
2. Open the camera's battery chamber door, and insert the battery pack adapter.



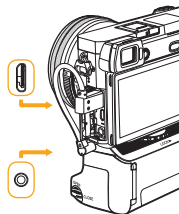
3. Open the camera's connection plate cover, and close the battery chamber door. This will leave the battery pack adapter's contacts exposed.



4. Align the camera's tripod socket with the BG-S4-C's mounting screw, and insert the camera's connection plate cover into the recess.

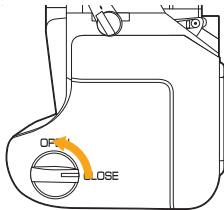


5. Rotate the thumbwheel counterclockwise until it's firmly tightened.

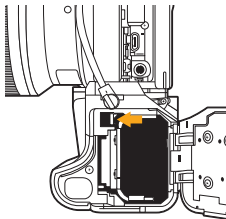


6. Connect the shutter release cable from the cable release socket on the battery grip to the Multi Terminal port on the camera body.

Inserting the Batteries



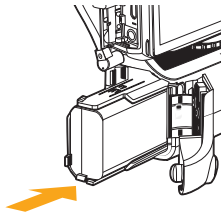
1. Twist the battery compartment's door lock counterclockwise to open the compartment door.



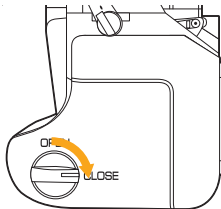
2. Press the battery tray lock to the left to release the battery tray and remove it.



3. Align the contacts of the first battery with slot 1, and slide the battery in until it clicks. Slide the battery into slot 1 of the battery tray, matching the contacts, until it clicks. Repeat this step for the second battery.



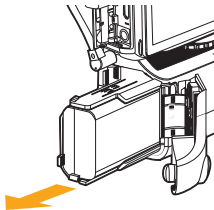
4. Insert the battery tray inside the battery grip until it clicks.



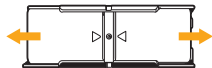
5. Close the battery compartment door, and turn the lock to the closed position.

Note: When removing the grip, turn off the camera power and remove the batteries.

Removing the Batteries



1. Twist the battery compartment door lock counterclockwise to open the door, and remove the battery tray from the grip.



2. Remove battery 1 by pushing it back out of the battery tray. Repeat for battery 2.

USB Battery Charging

You can charge the batteries while they're inserted in the grip by using the USB Type-C port. Use your camera's cable to plug it into a USB power source. The charging status LED is red when charging, and green when charging is complete.

Battery Status

When two batteries are installed in the BG-S4-C, your camera will automatically select the battery with less power remaining. The battery level will appear on your camera's LCD with the battery level percentage for only the battery in use. When the battery is depleted, your camera will switch to the other battery in the grip.

Specifications

Power source	Up to two NP-FW50 rechargeable Li-ion batteries
Operating temperature	32°F to 104°F (0°C to 40°C)
Dimensions (H × W × D)	2.25 × 4.9 × 2 in. (57 × 126 × 50.8 mm)
Weight	5 oz. (143 g) without batteries

ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

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