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8" RING LIGHT

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# 7 Creative Ways to Use the Ring Light

## A. Use It For Subtle Fill

The most common use for a small ring flash is to use it to create a subtle fill light.

Since the light is coming from 100% on-axis, it has very little effect on the scene other than to provide additional light.

Contributor:  
digital-photography-school;  
strobist.blogspot.

## B. Use It For Color Effects

This is easy to understand and operate – changing different light modes by the control panel on the cord to create color washes in all kinds of directions.

The dimmable effect is a PLUS!



By UBeesize Ring Light Customer

## C. Use It To Expose Details On a Hard Light Shot

David Hobby A.K.A Strobist came up with one of the coolest and interesting ways to use a ring flash.

Using several strobes as hard lights he creates a contrasty scene. Then he uses a ring flash as fill to add details to the final photograph.



Bionic Arm by Bionic Arm

## D. Use It For Interesting Catch lights

One of the most visible signatures of ring lights is the unique shaped catch lights they produce.

Since the light is coming from a bagel shaped source, they catch light it produces is bagelled as well. This is wonderfully illustrated in John Winters photograph.



50" ringlight by 50" ringlight

If you are going towards this look, one thing that you need to take care of is the distance between the ring flash and your subject. The closer the ring light, the more prominent the catch light effect will be.

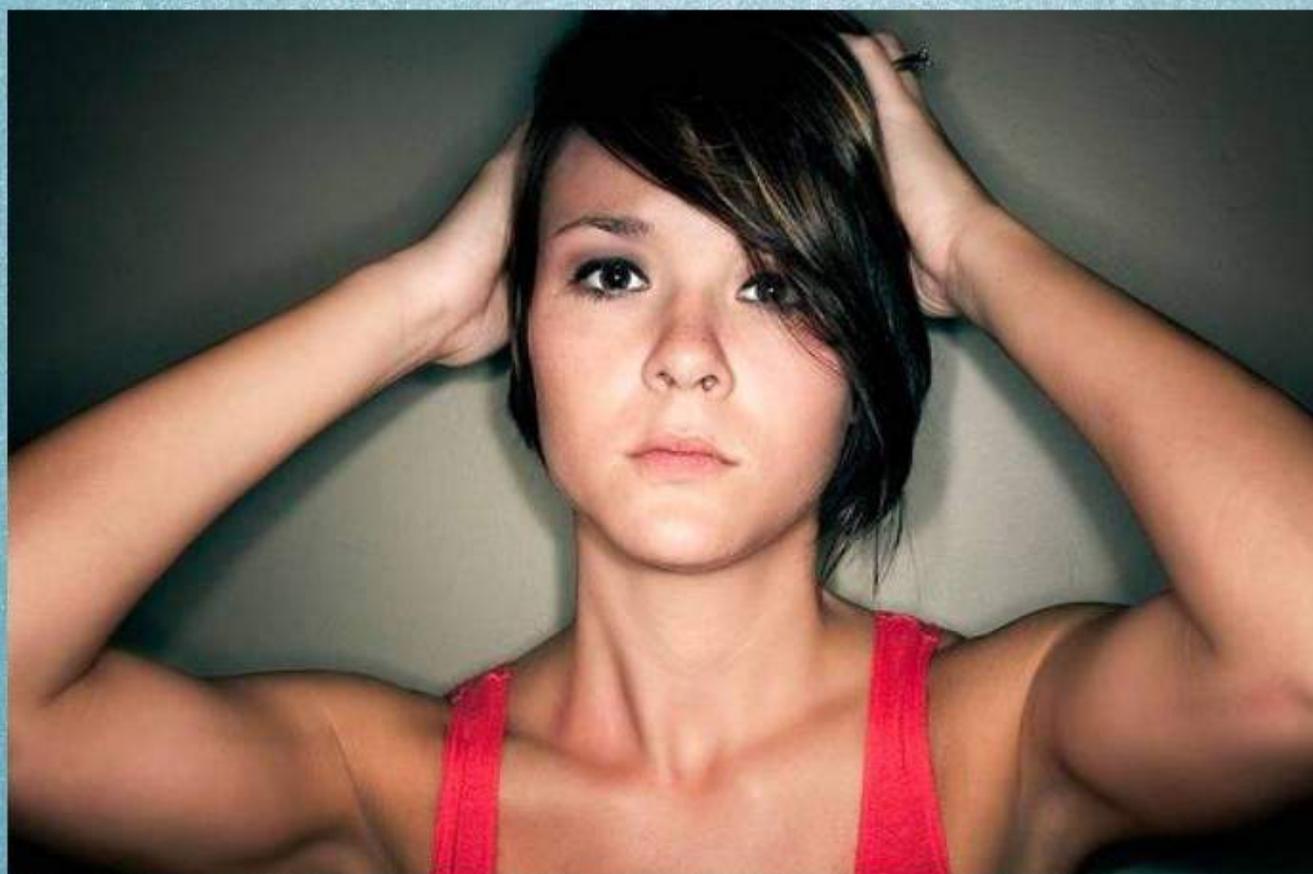
Of course, if you are into catch lights, you may want to try having your subject wear sunglasses. While I am not sure that this would qualify as ring light per se, the effect is well worth trying. And if you want to take this into extremes you can always add some star patterns into the ring light.



## E. Use It As Key and Create Halo Shadow

Of course, it is always an option to use a ring flash as a strong key light or even a single light. This is where you can see the “signature” lighting pattern of the ring light at its best.

Note the halo of shadow originating around the model as the light hits her exactly from the lens center.



Ray Flash Ring Light by Ian Wedlock

## F. Use It For Macro

If you opt to photograph the small things, a ring flash is your perfect companion. Its even illumination is great for macro shots where you need very soft light.

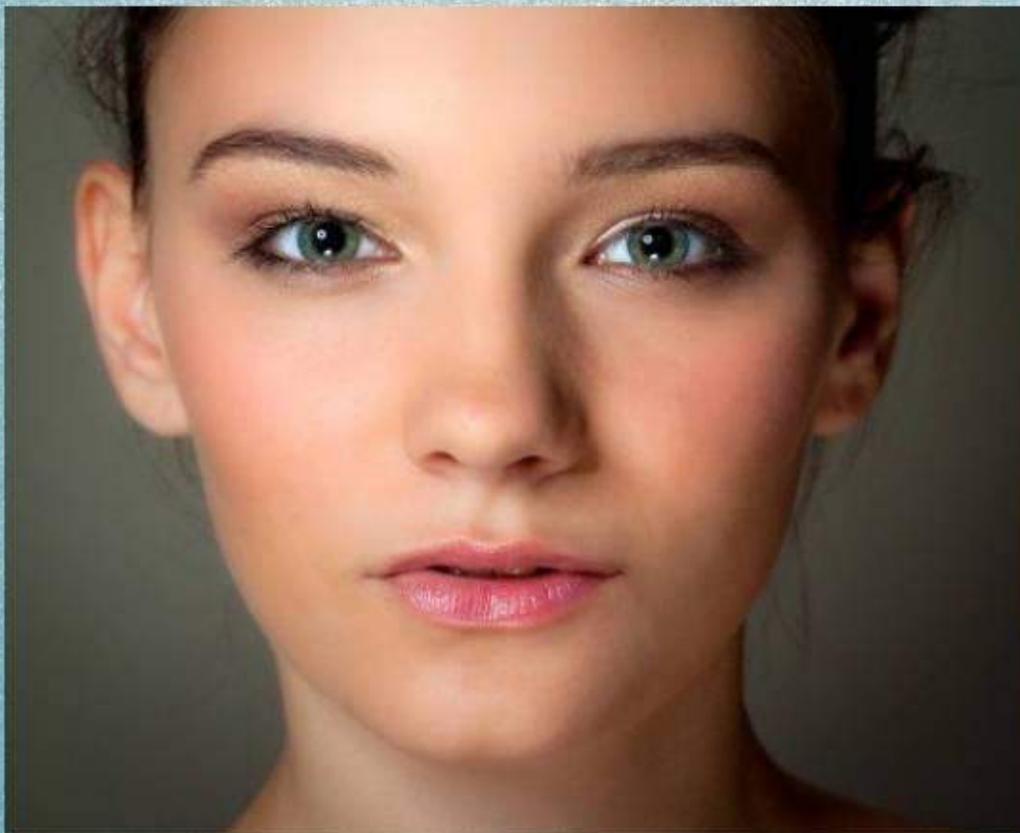


Refraction 001 By LULZ Photography

## G. Use it As Softbox

Lastly, you can forget the fact that this is a ring flash at all and simply use it off camera and off axis as a small softbox.

This is exactly what Tomer Jacobson did for Nadia, his model. Using a Lastolite Triflector Speed-Lite as soft glamorous light with a ring flash coming from top left and actually acting as a softbox to add a bit of directional light.



Nadia by Tomer Jacobson

# General Assembly Instructions

## How to assemble the ring light



1、 Open the tripod stand



2、 Extend the stick



3、 Attach the ring light to tripod head

# General Assembly Instructions

## How to assemble the phone holder

1



1、 Attaching the 4-prong plate to the handlebar clamp

2



2、 Secure the mount to the handlebar

3



3、 Press to open the side support arms

4



4、 Put in smartphone and press the front screen to tighten the device

# General Assembly Instructions

## How to Choose Lightning Mode



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## USB Cable Powered



# How to use the Bluetooth remote

FOR IOS AND ANDROID DEVICES



(The Bluetooth remote's appearance may vary)

1. Turn the remote on with the power button located at the side. The blue LED will flicker.
2. Turn on your phone's Bluetooth setting and connect to device "AB Shutter3" in the available devices list. The blue light will stop flickering once it's connected.

# What can I do with the versatile selfie stick



# FAQs

## 1. How does the light work?

The ring light needs to be connected to USB cable to work, it works well with multiple devices - PC, Battery Bank, AC adapter.

## 2. Can you take the light off the Tripod?

Yes, you can, the ring light is removable, and you can use the tripod alone, we also include an additional phone holder to extend the use of the tripod.

## 3. Can I record video with the remote?

Yes, you can. To make video with the remote, first toggle the power button on (located at the side) and pair the remote with your cell phone (device - Shutter AB 3), then switch your camera app into video mode, that way you can start video recording by just clicking the button, click again to stop video recording.

## 4. Can I use the ring light on other tripods?

Yes, you can, as long as the tripod has a standard 1/4 screw mount interface.

# FAQs

5. What kind of battery does the remote use?

If you want to replace the battery, you can search and buy CR2032 3V lithium battery.

6. Does it have the ability to hold the phone both horizontally and vertically?

Yes, the phone holder is 360 degrees rotatable.

7. Does this support iPhone X?

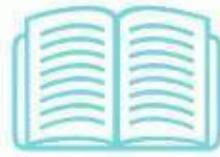
Yes, the pole mount phone holder extends up to 3.6", it is compatible with iPhone X.

8. Will this fit my iPad mini?

Sorry, it won't.

9. What is your warranty?

Please know we provide lifetime money back/replacement service for all products if you have any question that there is anything missing, broken, incorrect, different than you expected, please just contact us and we will try our best to resolve for you timely.



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