

New Product: HFMP / HFMP KIT (Hands-Free Monopod)

The HFMP / HFMP KIT is a professional video monopod that is specially designed for free-stand operations, making it stand out from other monopods in the market. The Free-stand Base located at the bottom of the monopod allows users to instantly switch the monopod's function from a shooting mode to a locked vertical position with a single step. This cleverly designed monopod is ideal for those videographers who truly value operability and mobility.

"During our R&D stage, it was a great pleasure to organize several focus groups and meet with many professional monopod users to hear their experience with monopods" says Reiya Yamaguchi, Company Director at HQ . "They shared their thoughts on what they liked & disliked about their monopods, and what the ideal Hands-free monopod should be. After much consideration we knew what we needed to do to make the best valued monopod system in the industry. We're excited to extend our 60 yr. legacy of best-in-class camera support equipment by introducing HFMP to professionals and amateurs alike around the world"- Reiya Y.

Our new style monopod HFMP allows aspiring DSLR filmmakers, freelancers, and small production teams, pro level production value via HFMP's Free-stand base, step lock/release foot pedal, smooth panoramic rotations, speedy adjustments, and much more. Highlighted features and benefits are found below the following specifications.

HFMP / HFMP KIT Specification

Model	Memo
HFMP	Professional video monopod specially designed for free-stand operations
HFMP KIT	KIT includes TH-X dual base video head and a bowl clamp compatible with 65mm tripods

HFMP



HFMP (video monopod without video head)	
Payload	8kg / 17.6lb
Temperature range	-20°C to +60°C / -4°F to +140°F
Weight	1.8kg / 4.0lb
Height	74 to 176cm / 29.1 to 69.3"
Section	2 STAGE
Leg Lock Type	Flip Locks
Construction Material	Aluminum
Pipe Diameters (upper/mid/low)	34.0mm/29.5mm/25.0mm
Monopod Case	Included

HFMP KIT



HFMP KIT (video monopod with video head)	
Payload	4kg / 9.0lb (C.G. 55mm)
Tilt angle	+90° / -80°
Dual Pan Function Design	Pan function on head
Temperature range	-20°C to +60°C / -4°F to +140°F
Weight	2.7kg / 5.9lb
Height	87.5 to 189.5cm / 34.4 to 74.6"
Section	2 STAGE
Leg Lock Type	Flip Locks
Construction Material	Aluminum
Pipe Diameters (upper/mid/low)	34.0mm/29.5mm/25.0mm
Monopod Case	Included

Advanced Features and Benefits

Hands Free Monopod

An exceptional mini tripod structure with increased stability allows the monopod to stand on its own with a wide range of cameras, allowing you to multi-task and make equipment adjustments in between shots, without the need to lay the monopod on the floor or lean it against the wall.

*Please note, to avoid accidents do not leave the monopod unattended at any time.



Step Lock/Release Foot Pedal

A unique foot pedal with a smart lock/release feature allows the monopod to switch its function from a shooting mode to a secure locked position with a single step. A helpful "Click" sound is present when switching between modes, conveniently indicating when the monopod is released or locked into position.



Smooth Panoramic Rotation

A special built-in lubricated ball joint system, designed to prevent dust and debris from entering, offers smooth quality pan and tilt movements, allowing you to achieve smooth professional shots.



Quick adjustments for your Preferred Height

A sleek design with numeric indicators for your preferred height settings, allowing you to make quick height adjustments for consistent angled and measured shots.



Speedy Open / Close functions

Designed for swift setups and compact travel, these user-friendly folding legs can be easily opened and closed with a push of a button, especially useful for run&gun situations.



Pan Tilt Head with Dual Head Structure (Included with HFMP KIT)

Unlike other photo/video heads included with monopod kits, this video head has tilt and pan functions, and has a dual head structure (flat base/65mm bowl), making this multi function head compatible with 65mm bowl/flat base tripods, monopods, sliders, skater dollies, and other equipment with 3/8 inch screws.



Industry Standard sliding plates compatible with Manfrotto, Sachtler heads (Included with HFMP KIT)

This one touch on/off sliding plate is compatible with Manfrotto and Sachtler heads, enabling quick camera swaps onsite without the need to change or remove sliding plates.

Dual size designed carrying bag Included

Dual size travel bag to carry or store the monopod with or without the head, offering speedy travel and easy storage.

Affordability/Availability

The HFMP and HFMP KIT is designed to bring Libec's professional quality to all filmmakers at a competitive price.

About Libec:

In 1989, Libec was launched as a global brand to offer professional camera support equipment with technological advances for the evolving image industry.

In 2006, Libec Sales of America was founded in Torrance California to handle ever-increasing demand for its products in the Americas. Subsequently, in 2007, Libec Technology Taiwan Co., Ltd., another wholly owned manufacturing subsidiary, was founded in Taiwan to increase the manufacturing capacity outside headquarters in Japan.

Now, Libec has a wide range of camera support equipment including professional fluid heads, tripod and pedestals systems, a telescopic jib arm, an electronically-controlled remote head, remote controls, dollies, tracking rails, sliders, and more.

To satisfy customer demand, new products are continuously developed by covering a wide range of aspects such as product design, material research, and weight saving solutions to enhance functionality, operability, and durability.

We thank all of you who have helped make Libec what it is today, a one-stop shop and best value solution for quality camera support equipment.

Arigato!