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BGS-S12-V2

Background Support System

INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for choosing the Impact Background Support System. We designed this background support system from 16-gauge aluminum tubing to be strong but lightweight. It will support seamless paper rolls up to 9´-wide or muslin sheets up to 12´-wide. The four cross-bar sections can be combined into 6´, 9´, or 12´ lengths. Two support stands have three positive-locking knobs and are adjustable from 39˝ to 10.5´. Non-skid support feet give your backdrop added stability. The heavy-duty canvas carry bag has a separate sleeve for each piece, cutting down on the noisy clanking that occurs with simpler kits.

We trust that our background support system will serve your creative inspirations reliably for years to come. Please read these instructions carefully on how to set up this equipment.

The basic Impact Background Support System contains the following:

- Two support stands
- Four cross-bar sections
- Canvas carry bag
- User manual



If you purchased this background support system as a kit, you may also have a cloth background, seamless backdrop paper, clamps, sandbags, or other accessories. To see all of our accessories, please visit our web site at www.impactstudiolighting.com.

All images in this manual are for illustrative purposes only. Your system may differ slightly from the one pictured.

Setting Up Your Background Support System



Start with one of the stands. Unlock the legs by turning the knob counter-clockwise. Spread the leg sections, but maintain a low center of gravity. Re-tighten the knob.



Raise the height of the stand by unlocking the sections. Start with the lowest knob, and raise each section to your desired height. Re-tighten each knob.



Configure the second stand to match the first.



Place the two stands approximately where you want the backdrop to hang. You'll be able to adjust them once you get the cross bar in place.



Next, assemble the cross bar. You can assemble the cross bar sections into a 6, 9, or 12-foot length. The ends of your cross bar must be the sections with oval holes.



Connect one section to another by inserting a knobbed end into an open end. Twist the two sections until you can insert the knobbed end all the way.



Twist until the flat indents align. This locks the pieces. Continue adding sections in this way, keeping the sections with the oval holes on the two ends.



Mount the cross bar onto the spigots. You may need to adjust the position of the stands. Make certain the support system is steady and in position before adding backdrops.



Your Impact Background Support System will now support a cloth or seamless paper background.



For a cloth background, you'll have to first remove the cross bar. Slide the cross bar into the pocket on top of the background. Then remount the cross bar.



If you're using seamless paper as your background, lift one end of your crossbar from its support stand. Slide the paper roll over the crossbar, then remount the cross bar.



Pull down the paper roll to the desired length. Secure the seamless paper roll with clamps or gaffers' tape to prevent it from unrolling.



It's a good practice to secure the legs of your background supports with a sandbag or weight bag.



A cloth background ready for shooting.



A seamless paper background ready for shooting.

Accessories



Impact Muslin Backgrounds

Impact Muslin Sheet Backgrounds are 100% cotton and feature a rod pocket across the top for easy hanging.



Impact Shot Bags and Sandbags

Impact Shot Bags and Sandbags feature a saddle-style design and are available filled or empty in weight capacity from 5 to 35 pounds.



Impact Combo Boom Stand

LS-CB6

This lightweight boom stand is ideal for overhead, key, and background lighting.



Impact Collapsible Reflector Holder

ME-109P

The Impact Collapsible Reflector Holder is a small and convenient attachment that enables a light stand to hold a collapsible reflector.



Impact Reflector Panel Kit with Two Fabrics RP-2839, RP-3570

Reversible black/white and gold/silver reflectors create great fill light in tight situations. Stand not included.



Impact Stand Top Adapter

ME-132

Replacement for the BGS-S12-V2 stand top adapter.

To see these accessories and all of our lighting equipment, please visit our web site.

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