



# Ringflash C and P **Experimenting with and without**

For many years, the incomparable light of the Ringflash has been a valuable asset in many domains of photography. Now, broncolor has redefined it! Our new Ringflash opens the door to creative options never seen before! Now, it is equipped with modelling lights and can be used with honeycomb grids or a soft reflector. The Ringflash P version can be combined with the Para FB.



shadow

**RINGFLASH C** as included in the delivery

#### LIGHT IN THE DARK

The new Ringflash units – C for use on the camera and P for use in the Para FB – feature bright modelling lights. Ten small, rugged halogen lamps, each with 20 watts, are circularly arranged and deliver 200 watts of light that precisely simulates the properties of the flash.

For the first time, you no longer need to rely on a preview (or instant prints) to see the characteristic of the light; reflections and shadows can be orchestrated more deliberately and spontaneously.

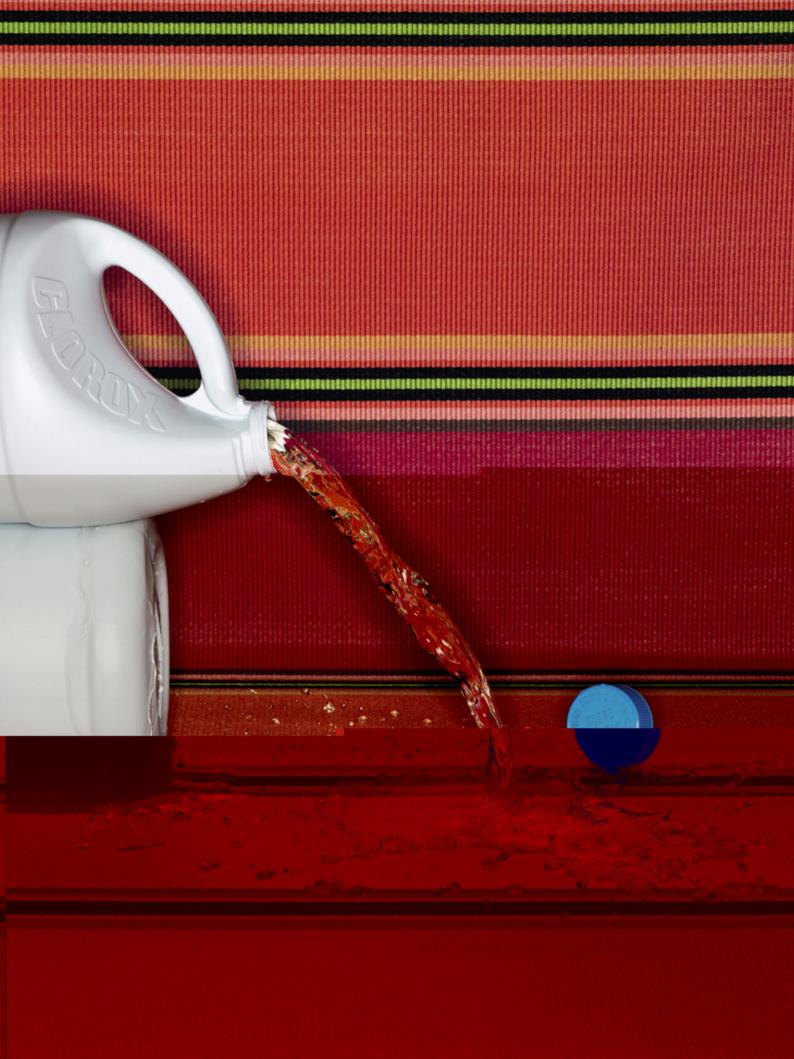
The continuous light of up to 200 watts also narrows the pupils and thus largely eliminates the red-eye effect. Moreover, the light intensity is easily sufficient for autofocus cameras to reliably focus without additional light.

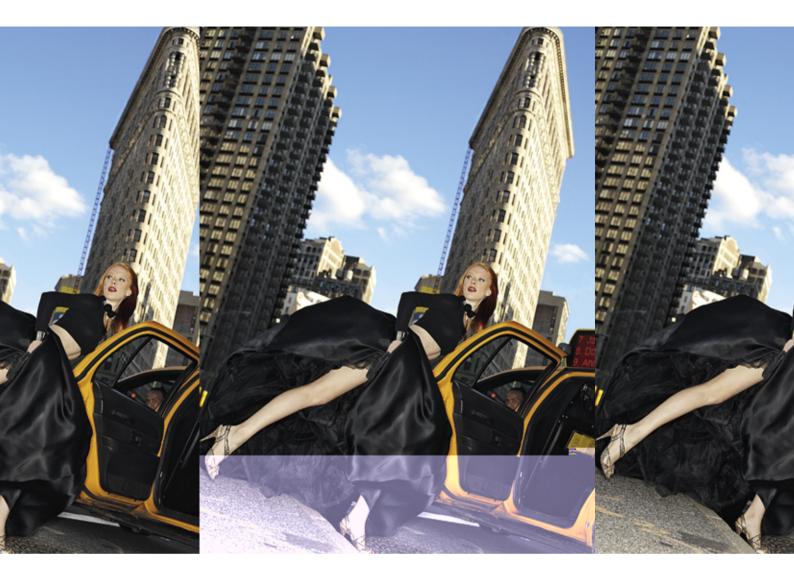


#### THE DEBUTS

Three new patent-pending honey-comb grids\* (ø 198 mm / 107 mm x 22 mm) now shape the typical Ringflash light with gradations. The light is exciting and atmospheric. Depending on the honeycomb size, the shadows become correspondingly darker. The asymmetric adjustment options of the Ringflash make it possible to pan it in the optical axis up to a defined angle.

\*pending patent





#### **LIGHT AND SHADOW**

Previously, the light of a Ringflash offered few options: it produced a mostly uniform – at best slightly centre-biased – fill. With the new patent-pending honeycomb grid set\* (narrow, medium, wide), the lighting angle is now adjustable. From uniform to slightly or heavily centre-biased to spot-like, the full range of fills can be generated – always retaining the typical,

endearing characteristic of the Ringflash.

Additionally, the angle of the Ringflash can be adjusted independently from the camera angle. The hotspot is no longer confined to the centre but can be directed to the area where accentuation is desired.

#### **COOL LIGHT**

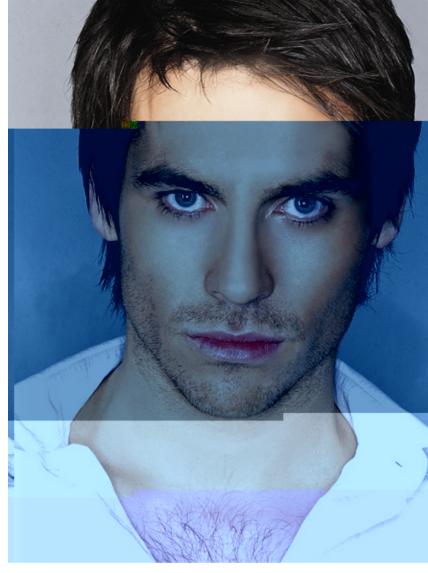
Thanks to the heavy-duty quartz flash tube and the powerful cooling fan, Ringflash C and P units can also be used for long flash sequences at high output ratings. Should the service temperature nevertheless rise above safe levels, the built-in thermal circuit breaker prevents overheating of the lamp.

\*pending patent

"I work with the Ringflash to create unique visual effects that cannot be achieved with any other light. Whether in the studio or on location, the technique I have developed with the Ringflash is responsible for the brisk demand of my fashion photos in a competitive market." (Keeley Stone).

"The Ringflash endows my commercial work with an enhanced dimension. Detailed visual effects such as shapes, structures, and shadows increase the creative quality of my photography and impress my clients' specialists." (Alan Stone)

Alan & Keeley Stone by Stonesimaging UK (www.commercialfoto.com)



RINGFLASH C

with honeycomb grid narrow

with honeycomb grid medium

without honeycomb grid







#### **RINGFLASH C**

- halogen modelling light 200 W
- a honeycomb grid set (3 pcs) is available for the Ringflash C
- heavy-duty UVE-coated flash tube (3200 J)
- powerful cooling fan
- suitable for all areas of flash light photography, especially fashion, still, food and macro
- can be connected worldwide to all mains supplies
- The UV portion of the flashlight is reduced to a minimum by the integrated filter

#### **SOFT LIGHT**

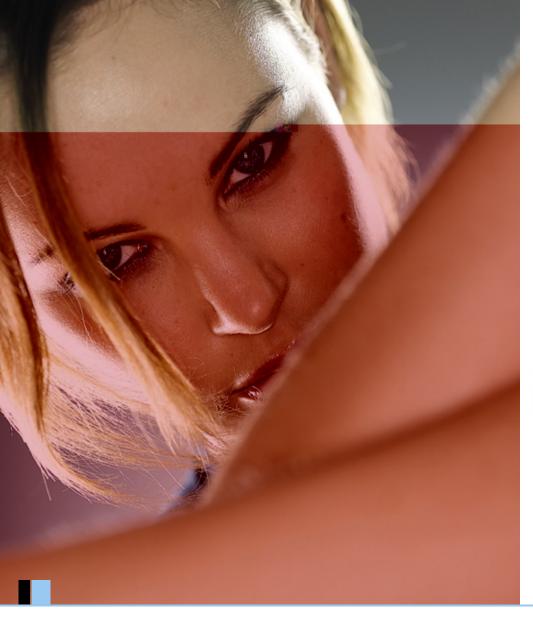
If the Ringflash light turns out to be too hard, the standard reflector can be replaced with a soft reflector. This increases the lighting area, which makes the light softer. A more generous light distribution reduces or even eliminates undesirable reflections (e.g. on greasy skin). And because the distance between the light and the shooting axis is increased, the red-eye effect is reduced as well. Another plus of the soft reflector is the high light output at 2 m with 3200 J f:45 6/10.

#### PRIMARY OR FILL LIGHT

The Ringflash C generates a hard light as primary light which causes a very special and typical shadow outline. Depending on the distance between the Ringflash and the model or object, these outlines are fuller and wider (short distance) or brighter and narrower (greater distance).

The Ringflash C serves not only as an excellent primary light but also as a perfect fill light. Always coming from near the camera (even when the camera is moving), its light reaches even the most remote angle of the set. Yet the light always remains compact and therefore hard, which wonderfully highlights structures even in the shadow areas.

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RINGFLASH C
SOFT REFLECTOR
for soft light



#### RINGFLASH P IN PARA FB

In addition to its unique properties as a primary and fill light, a retrofit kit makes it possible to quickly and easily convert the Ringflash C to a Ringflash P which can then be used in Paras FB 170, FB 220 and FB 330 where it aligns the light source (contrary to the Pulso G lamp) exactly on the optical axis. In this way, the Para FB is filled with absolute uniformity and the reflections in the umbrella are moderately boosted, thus making them softer.

Of course, the angle of the Ringflash P is also adjustable in the Para FB so that a slightly asymmetric fill can be obtained. If you wish to convert a Ringflash P to a Ringflash C, this can be easily accomplished with another special retrofit kit.



#### **RINGFLASH P**

- halogen modelling light 200 W
- heavy-duty UVE-coated flash tube (3200 J)
- powerful cooling fan
- suitable for all areas of flash light photography, especially for people and on location
- can be connected worldwide to all mains supplies
- in combination with Para FB, very exact front focusing, which allows various light angles and light characteristics.
- the UV portion of the flashlight is reduced to a minimum by the integrated filter



Grafit A2 / RFS Grafit A4 / RFS 31.176.XX / 31.179.XX



Verso A4 / RFS Verso A2 / RFS

Power Dock for Verso A2 / A4 / RFS



Topas A2 / RFS Topas A4 / RFS Topas A8 Evolution / RFS

LAMPS



Pulso G Pulso G 32.116.XX 3200 J

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Pulso 8



Ringflash C Ringflash P



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Balloon

REFLECTORS AND ATTACHMENTS



Standard reflector P65 Standard reflector P70



Narrow angle reflector P45 Narrow angle reflector P50



Reflector P-Travel

Pulso Twin



Softlight reflector P



small lamp 32.012.00

Reflector PAR



Wide angle reflector P120 33.112.00



New soft reflector for Ringflash  ${\sf C}$ 



Optical snoot 150 mm 5500 K for Pulso-Spot 4



Pulso adapter for Mobilite 2 / Pi



Spot attachment



Conical snoot



Attachment with 3 honey 2 aperture masks for Mo

SPECIAL REFLECTORS



Satellite Staro 33.151.00 Satellite Evolution 33.150.00



Mini-Satellite 33.152.00



Para 170 FB 33.484.00



Para 220 FB

Para 330 FB



Pulsoflex C 35 × 120





Pulsoflex EM Pulsoflex EM  $30 \times 110$  $35 \times 60$ 

### Technical Data

## Ringflash C / Ringflash P





|   | Ringflash C   | Ringflash P   |
|---|---|---|
| Flash energy  | max. 3200 J   | max. 3200 J   |
| f-stop at 2 m (6.6 ft) distance 100 ISO                         | 45 1/10 (3200 J)  |   |
| f-stop at 2 m (6.6 ft) distance<br>100 ISO, with soft reflector | 45 6/10 (3200 J)  |   |
| Modelling light   | with power pack 200-240 V: 200 W halogen: $10 \times 20$ W/24 V with power pack 100-120 V: 200 W halogen: $10 \times 20$ W/12 V | with power pack 200-240 V: 200 W halogen: $10 \times 20$ W/24 V with power pack 100-120 V: 200 W halogen: $10 \times 20$ W/12 V |
| Cable length  | 5 m (9.8 ft)  | 5 m (9.8 ft)  |
| Cooling   | stabilised with 2 fans  | stabilised with 2 fans  |
| Dimensions without holder                                       | Ø 200 / Ø 101 x 80 mm / Ø 7.9 / Ø 4 x 3.2"  | Ø 194 / Ø 101 x 80 mm / Ø 7.6 / Ø 4 x 3.2"  |
| Dimensions with holder  | 231 × 286 × 180 mm (W × H × D) / 10 × 11.3 × 7.1"   | 231 × 194 × 140 mm (W × H × D) / 10 × 7.6.3 × 5.5"  |
| Weight with cable   | 2.7 kg / 6 lbs  | 2.2 kg / 4.9 lbs  |
| Holder  | Stand mount with 3/8" thread respectively 1/4" thread (when used with the enclosed adapter nut)                                 | for Para 170 FB / 220 FB / 330 FB   |

Accessories Ringflash C Accessories Ringflash P Optional accessories Conversion kit Honeycomb set Soft reflector Conversion kit for Ringflash P for conversion to for Ringflash C for Ringflash C for Ringflash C Ringflash C Set of 3 pcs. for conversion to Ringflash P Article no. 36.125.00 33.219.00 33.123.00 36.126.00 Adapter Ringflash C for lamp stand 35.219.00





|                                    | 1-Stop for Kingitasii F With Fara 170 FB / 220 FB / 330 FB |          |                |           |  |
|------------------------------------|--|----------|----------------|-----------|--|
| Measured value for 3200 J, 100 ISO | Distance   | focused  | medium setting | defocused |  |
| Ringflash P with Para 170 FB       | f-stop at 2 m (6.6ft) distance                             | 128 2/10 | 90 6/10        | 90 1/10   |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 4 m (13.1ft) distance                            | 90 4/10  | 45 4/10        | 32 7/10   |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 10 m (32.8 ft) distance                          | 45 4/10  | 22 9/10        | 22 4/10   |  |
|                                    |  |          |                |           |  |
| Ringflash P with Para 220 FB       | f-stop at 2 m (6.6ft) distance                             | 128 2/10 | 90 6/10        | 90        |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 4 m (13.1ft) distance                            | 64 9/10  | 45 3/10        | 32        |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 10 m (32.8 ft) distance                          | 32 7/10  | 16 9/10        | 11 4/10   |  |
|                                    |  |          |                |           |  |
| Ringflash P with Para 330 FB       | f-stop at 2 m (6.6ft) distance                             | 90 7/10  | 64 8/10        | 45 9/10   |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 4 m (13.1ft) distance                            | 64 6/10  | 32 9/10        | 32 7/10   |  |
|                                    | f-stop at 10 m (32.8 ft) distance                          | 32 8/10  | 22 4/10        | 16 2/10   |  |
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