

Congratulations for purchasing your AquaTech EVO III Sport Housing. The EVO III Sport Housing is designed exclusively for the Canon 1DXMKIII. Our housings have been tested and rated to 10 meters (33 feet). Our products are NOT designed for diving below 10M/33 feet

#### Overview:

Please read the following instructions and care tips before using your EVO III Sport Housing for the first time. You can also visit our [website](#) and [YouTube](#) channel for more tips and information.

#### Compatible Cameras

Please view our compatible camera models [here](#)

#### Whats in the Box

EVO III Water Housing

Backplate with controls

Camera Plate

Instructions

Tool kit

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#### Initial Setup

After removing your Sport Housing from the box, place it face down on a soft level surface.

Proceed to unlock the Safety Clips one by one by pulling the safety latch forward (when the Backplate is facing up), and pulling the Safety Clip up to release it from the body of the Sport Housing. Now repeat the process with Safety Clips two through four, and remove the Backplate carefully, lifting the Backplate up and away from the housing. \*Important: Be careful not to drop your Backplate while unlocking your clips.

Do a quick inspection of the inside of the Sport Housing to ensure the Camera Plate and Cable Release are installed and ready for use.

Next inspect your Backplate , the main camera controls are located here. The push button controls are adjustable to suit the camera by winding out the black tips on the inside of the Backplate . You can increase or decrease sensitivity this way. Keeping the Backplate clean will also help when reviewing images.

To reinstall your Backplate place your Sport Housing on a flat surface facing down. Place the Backplate on the Sport Housing making sure to align the Backplate to each side of the housing using the Locating Pins, ensuring it sits flush on the Housing. To secure your Backplate to the Sport Housing, attach the safety Safety Clip to the hook and firmly lock. Repeat the process for the remaining Safety Clips.

pro tip: When securing your clips, secure your top left Safety Clip first and then the bottom right Safety Clip on the opposite side. Then the top right Safety Clip and finally the bottom left.

### Installing your Camera Plate

When receiving your AquaTech Sport Housing remove the Camera Plate from the mount by sliding the Camera Plate towards you.

Double check the Camera Plate is correct and includes a 1/4"-20 screw. Each Camera Plate has the camera model it suits engraved on the top side. To install the Camera Plate on your Sport Housing you will need a flat head screwdriver.

Lineup the top side of the Camera Plate to the bottom of your camera ensuring the screw hole opening on the Camera Plate is lined up with the tripod mount thread under the camera body.

Screw in the Camera Plate bolt and tighten it to the right until you feel some resistance, be careful not to over tighten the bolt.

### Installing the Cable Release

Inside the Sport Housing you will find a Cable Release connected to a PCB board on the left hand side. Be sure the Cable Release is fully plugged into the female end on the PCB board. The male end of the Cable Release will be plugged into the remote control input on your camera. Each camera has a different spot for this input, most times you will find this input on the left hand side of the camera.

Ensure the Cable Release is fully plugged into the camera. This will now enable the electronic shutter buttons and pistol to activate your camera shutter to focus/fire or start/stop video.

What the Grease is used for:

The main purpose for the grease provided is to keep the controls and shafts on your Sport Housing working nice and smooth

### Zoom Gear Control

Located on the front left of our Sport Housing, this control drive gear engages our zoom gear to change the focal length of the lens, where applicable.

### Lens Port

Before installing your Lens Port make sure the Front O Ring is present. Then place your port inside the front Sport Housing and turn clockwise until its secure. Remember to seal your Lens Port very tight with both hands to ensure a good seal on the front O-ring between your Lens Port and Sport Housing.

### Securing the Housing

When you first receive your gear we recommend that you do these steps without the camera and lens inside the Sport Housing

### Water Testing

Water testing is a very important process before entering the water in all types of conditions. Once you have followed "Securing The Housing" instructions we recommend that you perform a water test yourself without the camera and lens inside.

1. Fill up a bathtub, use a swimming pool or hop in the ocean to test.

The choice is yours just as long as you have a body of water where you can fully submerge your equipment.

2. Hold your equipment under the water for 5-10 seconds while also pressing all the buttons. Then hold the Sport Housing above your head at a tilted angle so that if there is any water inside it will gather at the bottom right back corner.

### Cleaning and Storage

With your EVO III Sport Housing assembled wash it off with fresh water. \*Do not get the inside wet.

Dry off the EVO III Sport Housing with a clean towel and unlock the clips. If you have access to an air gun gently blow underneath the clips. If you do not have access to an air gun you can use water pressure to flush out the area. Just make sure not to get any water inside the Sport Housing.

While holding the EVO III Sport Housing under fresh water push all the buttons and turn all the shafts.

While holding the EVO III Sport Housing under fresh water push and turn the AF-Shutter buttons.

If you are using a M3 Pistol make sure to remove it after each use to clean away any debris or salt water.

### DO

Clean the outside of your Sport Housing with fresh water after each use.

Wipe away any debris that may have gathered on the threads, buttons, or O-ring grooves.

Regularly take off and clean with fresh water any accessories you may purchase (i.e. Pistol or Flash Mount) to help keep corrosion from occurring.

Carefully wipe down the inside of the Sport Housing with a wet cloth. Make sure not to get any of the electronics wet.

### DO NOT

Do not store your Sport Housing fully clamped down for long periods of time. Doing this will put unneeded strain on your Safety Clips and O-Rings.

Do not leave your Sport Housing gear in temperatures greater than 50 C (125 F)

Do not use alcohol-based products to clean the Backplate or port element as this may damage the product.

Do not leave any accessories like Pistol Grips, Poles or Flash Mounts attached on the Sport Housing while storing. Doing so can cause them to seize up and be extremely difficult to remove.

Do not travel with your Sport Housing clamped down with Lens Ports attached. Remove all parts and safely store.

### Using the EVO III Sport Housing Underwater

For best results please make sure you have carefully followed all initial setup instructions and water testing prior to taking your EVO III Sport Housing underwater.

### Safety information and warning

Do not exceed depths of 10m/33ft.

### Maintenance and repair

With proper care your Sport Housing will last for many years. If in time you do notice any problems that come up or if there is any damage to the equipment please contact AquaTech directly at [service@aquatech.net](mailto:service@aquatech.net) for repairs or servicing.

If your Sport Housing is used on a regular basis (more than 100 times a year) an annual service by one of our qualified team members should be considered. Especially those working in saltwater, one of the most corrosive environments.

### Limit of liability

In the event of a product warranty claim, AquaTech is only liable up to the value originally paid for the product.

Losses of associated equipment, income or any other financial costs are not covered under this warranty, under any circumstances.

### Warranty - 1 year product warranty

We make every effort to ensure that our products are made from the highest quality materials and workmanship. Should you not be completely satisfied with one of our products, we encourage you to contact us so that we can promptly resolve any problem you may be experiencing. Our company representatives will deal with your issue quickly and decisively.

As many AquaTech products are often used in extreme and volatile environments, we are unable to cover for loss or damage of equipment, personal injury or financial loss.

To reduce the risk of these losses occurring, we strongly recommend you read the relevant product instructions carefully and test the product before use.

What does the warranty cover?

This warranty covers any defects in materials or workmanship, with exceptions stated below

What is not covered?

The warranty does not cover damage as the result of normal wear and tear. Determination of what constitutes normal wear and tear will be at the discretion of AquaTech service centers. The warranty guarantee only applies to the original purchaser of the product when purchased from AquaTech direct or through one of our authorized dealers. Therefore, we may ask for proof of purchase. This warranty does not cover for any loss of associated equipment such as cameras, lenses or other associated equipment not sold by AquaTech.

Loss of income, reputation or other financial expenses, such as personal injury are also not covered by this warranty. Shipping costs for returned products are the responsibility of the customer.

How long does the coverage last?

This warranty runs for 1 year from the date your product is received.

What will AquaTech do?

AquaTech will repair any defect that proves defective in materials and workmanship. If repairing is not possible, AquaTech will replace the product, or, offer a store credit for the original purchase price, whichever is agreed to by the customer and AquaTech / Retailer store.

How to get service?

Email [contact@aquatech.net](mailto:contact@aquatech.net) and we will advise where to send your product. Alternatively, you may call:

USA: + 1 714 968 6946 Australia: + 61 2 4268 3550

Returns policy - AquaTech online customers only:

AquaTech offers a 14 day return policy for new items purchased directly through our online store or at our physical store. AquaTech will only provide exchanges or store credit for change of mind or incorrectly ordered products. AquaTech will not refund any shipping and credit card costs. Please see our full return policy [here](#). The customer is responsible for shipping cost of the returned items. A restocking charge may be applied in some countries

How state law applies:

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may have other rights which vary according to the state or country in which you are located.

Legals

Please practice extreme caution when diving into deep water. Only use this product in settings that are within yours or other's capabilities. Serious injuries or drowning could occur if you or others are not competent for the prevailing conditions.

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