

Mounting Instructions for the Powershot S100 Custom Grip

Dear Fellow Powershot S100 Owner,

Thank you for choosing my Custom Grip (CGS100) for your camera.

Please review these mounting instructions carefully before attaching the grip to the camera to avoid problems associated with improper mounting.

Once it's on, you'll enjoy the better, more secure feeling when handling your S100, even one-handed.

To mount the grip to the camera, please follow the steps below:

1. Dry Run – perform the “dry run” below so you understand the position the grip should be in for final mounting:

- Leave the backing material on the VHB clear transfer tape – do not remove.
- Take the battery out of the camera and close the battery door.
- Gently put the grip on the camera with concave side of the grip facing the lens.
- Position the grip so upper edge of grip is approximately .06–.08 inch (1.5–2mm) below white “Canon” logo and the outer side of the grip coincides with the corner radius on the camera.
- Press grip down gently so the milled pocket on underside of the custom grip accommodates thin factory grip. Make sure that grip sits flat on the camera by gently pressing diagonally opposite corners of the grip and checking for grip movement. The grip should feel solid on the camera without racking movement. Make minor adjustments so the grip sits on the camera as described in paragraph 4.
- This is the reference position for proper placement of the grip.
- Repeat this step until you know the right position.
- For a visual reference of properly mounted grip, please, visit:
- https://picasaweb.google.com/RichardFraniec/S100GripReferenceMountingPosition?authkey=Gv1sRgCJyb0-SA_5PtSA

2. Use rubbing alcohol (not included) to remove any impurities and skin oils from the mounting surface area on the camera. Wipe dry. Avoid rubbing white “Canon” logo.

3. Peel the backing material from the tape. Avoid touching the sticky side with your fingers.

4. Hold the grip in proximity of the correct position **without touching the camera** then gently put it in place.

Don't apply pressure at this time. You can't freely slide the grip, but you can make minor adjustments and you can pull the grip off the camera to reposition it. Take your time and do it right.

5. Once you're satisfied with the placement, press the grip down firmly.

6. Your grip is now attached.

For best results, press the grip in several different spots to ensure a uniform bond. Always press straight down towards the camera body.

After affixing the grip, let it sit for about 30 minutes before handling it. The full-strength bond takes effect within several hours.

*Note: The adhesive used for mounting the CGS100 has exceptional holding power when the grip is mounted properly on the camera. Regardless of that, use of a wrist or neck strap is highly recommended to ensure complete safety. The grip can be removed if you **really** need to using dental floss, without damaging the camera's finish. Please contact me for specific tips.*

Thanks again – I hope you enjoy your new grip.

Sincerely,

Richard

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