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Figure 2.



Figure 3.



Figure 4.



Figure 5.



Figure 6.



Figure 7.



Figure 8.



Figure 9.

OctoDome nxt — For Hot Lights, Strobes or Cool Lights

Before assembling your OctoDome softbox, make sure all components are present. You will need:

- OctoDome softbox
- Photoflex OctoConnector (to fit your light - sold separately)
- Eight rods
- Outer rear cowling patch (for small size only, not the extra small)
- Inner baffle
- Face diffuser

Note: In most cases, the softbox connector is designed to connect with your light head in the same manner as your light head's accessories. Make sure your OctoConnector is the correct one designed for your light.

Assemble the Softbox to the Connector

1. Place softbox face down on a flat, clean surface.
2. The connector has nine rod receptacle holes, three of which are tapped. Current model OctoConnectors use circle icons (●) for OctoDomes and squares icons (■) for rectangular Softboxes. Use the circle icons for your Octodome.
3. Position connector at the center of the softbox. The connector front (with the rounded screw heads) Fig. 3 should face away from the softbox and the connector back (with the bolt nuts) should face into the softbox.

Inserting Rods into the Connector

Note: Each corner of the connector has a rod receptacle hole. Some of the holes are tapped but will be used.

4. Insert the first rod.
5. Insert the second rod into the hole diagonally opposite the first hole.
6. Insert the third rod through the eighth rods

Attaching the Rear Cowling Patch

7. Position the rear patch assembly over the corresponding Velcro on the rear of the OctoDome.
8. Press the cowling assembly in place around the rear of the softbox.

Note: The Extra Small OctoDome nxt 870457 (FV-SODXS) does not use a cowling patch, the outer flaps will meet the connector ring.

9. See figure 9 which shows the Extra Small Octodome. In this image, the adjustable shoe mount adapter assembly is shown. If you plan to use this adapter and soft box with a shoe mount flash, see instructions for shoe mount flash kits, available at Photoflex.com



Figure 10.



Figure 11.

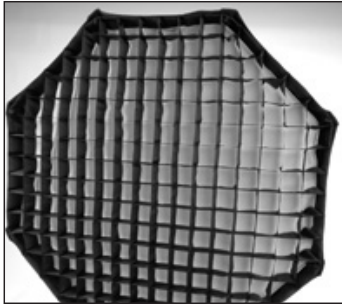


Figure 12.



Figure 13.



Figure 14.

Installing the Inner Baffle and Front Diffusion Face

10. The inner baffle has Velcro tabs at each corner. These tabs connect to the Velcro loops on each inner seam of the OctoDome. Connect each corner of the inner baffle to each Velcro loop inside the OctoDome.
11. The face diffuser is rimmed with Velcro material that attaches to its counterpart that lines the front of the OctoDome. Find a corner of the diffuser and line it up with the corner of the OctoDome face. Starting at one corner, press the face diffuser in place. Work your way around the rim of the softbox until the diffuser is in place. Your softbox is now fully constructed.
12. When using optional grids, the face should be attached at a 1" recess to allow attachments of the grid accessory (sold separately).
- 13/14. The softbox is built and ready to attach to your light head. Place the dome face down on the floor with the connector facing up; then securely lock the light onto the connector. It also helps to raise the LiteStand to your approximate height before lifting the light and dome assembly onto the stand. Make sure to always tighten the light fixtures set screw to the stud on the LiteStand.

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