



ARC-LIGHT II
CURVED REFLECTOR

GLOW ARC-LIGHT II Curved Reflector



The **Glow ArcLight II Curved Reflector** has the right idea when it comes to revealing beauty. The time-honored method of illuminating the face places a softbox front and center above the person, creating distracting shadows beneath the eyes nose and forehead. The traditional technique of adding a reflector beneath the face of a subject to fill in the shadows uses a straight silver card is widely practiced in the studio.

ArcLight II goes to the next step. The difference here is that the curve of the reflector focuses the source light and equalizes the catchlight into an unbroken band, beyond the capacity of customary straight silver cards. Moreover, without additional light sources! The contour enhances the magic of youthful vibrancy and the sensation of a healthy glow, achieves the illustrative goal of fashion, portrait and beauty photographers. Eyes seem to sparkle, wrinkles blend into softness, while textures diminish and skin radiates with subtle tones. The sphere of the eye catches a brilliant arc of light, the signature of the beauty reflector.

Glow Fabrics for ArcLight II Curved Reflectors are included in three luxurious finishes for even more customization of your beauty tool. The fabrics are interchangeable with a clever wrap and zip system to speed photo sessions along.

Silver Fabric Reflector focuses the source light and equalizes the catchlight into an unbroken band, without additional light sources. Eyes seem to sparkle, wrinkles blend into softness, while textures diminish, and skin radiates with subtle tones. The sphere of the eye catches a brilliant arc of light, the signature of the beauty reflector.

White Fabric reduces the overall effect delivered by the Silver ArcLight fabric. More subtle, smoother skin tones and less distinct catchlight results, quite noticeable in the sphere of the eye, the signature of the beauty reflector.

The Wave Gold Fabric, throws a warm bronzing glow into the skin, imparting a visual illusion of well-being and a delicate allure to the catchlight in the eye. Combined with color balanced lighting from the main light, the reflection simulates the right touch of a sunlit environment.

For Starters

Glow wants to guide you to achieve a successful shoot. Please read this manual, follow the instructions and enjoy the praise of your 'Followers.'

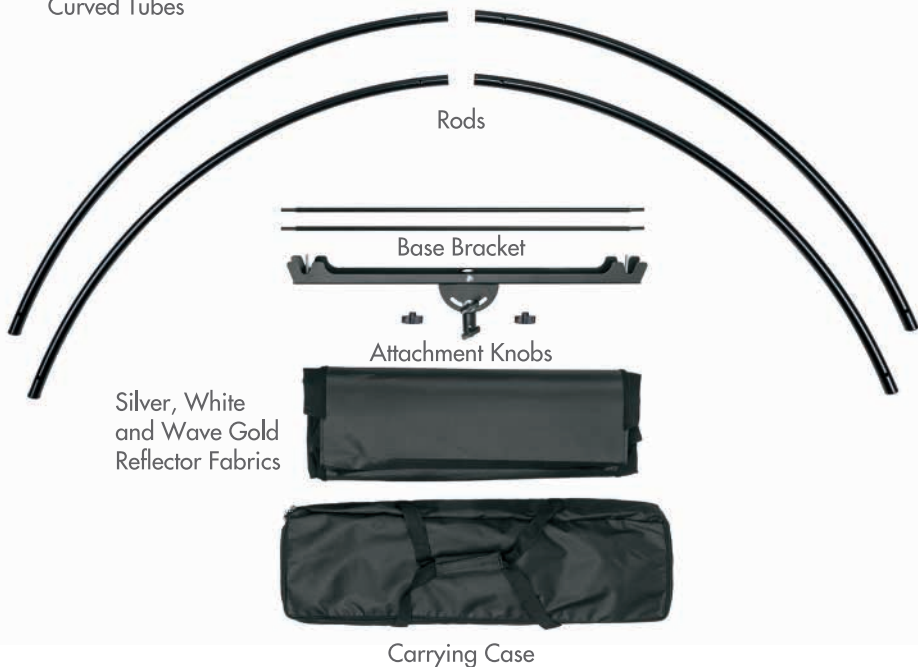
Keep the reflector away from moisture, flame or combustible materials.

Clean the material and the frame with a soft, dry cloth.

Parts Checklist

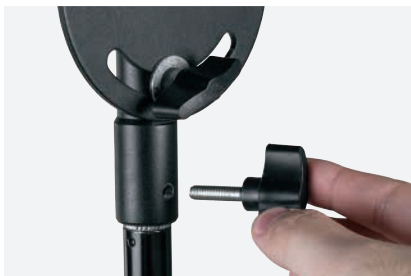
Frame

Curved Tubes



Building the ArcLight II

1. Place the Base Bracket of the Frame onto a light stand by first loosening the locking knob, inserting the stand 5/8" stud into the bracket socket and then tightening the lock knob to secure.



2. Interlock two of the Curved Tubes to form two arcs. The locking buttons automatically set into the tube holes for proper alignment and structure.



3. Wrap a reflective material's long dimension on one of the two joined tubes. Zip the wrapped edge of the Reflector material's long flap closed, onto both tubes. The tubes should be flush with the reflector's short ends.



4. Place the straight end rods through the channel sleeves of the short ends of the Reflector fabric.



5. Place an end of the Rod into a hole at the end of one of the Arc tubes. Repeat the step to secure the Reflector Fabric on the Arc Frame. Secure the rods and make sure the reflector is taut.



6. Grasp the arc tubes of the reflector and align the curved tubes mounting holes, in the center of the two arcs, to the Bracket Base grooves. Secure each one with a mounting screw locking knob.



7. The light stand Bracket Base can be adjusted and locked for the best placement.



The assembled ArLight II Reflector should be free of wrinkles when correctly constructed.



Note: You may find it easier to first insert the end rods (step 4) and then wrap and zip the reflective fabric about the arcs (step 3).

Creative Lighting with the ArcLight II Reflector

The art of beauty lighting calls for enhanced sensitivity to the subject - to create an aura of pleasing and flattering balance to highlights and shadows, beyond the norms of umbrellas or softboxes. Plus, a cleverly placed reflector, just beneath the subject produces a seductive path of light in the iris of the person photographed.

Here is the technique:

1. Center a 48 to 60" wide softbox or umbrella above and in front of the subject, approximately 3 feet from the subject. Tilt the light to optimally illuminate the face with the least dramatic effect, while maintaining a pleasing wash of light.
2. Place the center of the ArcLight II under the subject so that the light coming from the source is captured by the arc at an angle of incident equally to the source – resulting in an alluring u-shaped catchlight in the iris.



A modeling light equipped strobe helps you visualize the proper placement of both the primary source light and the ArcLight Reflector.

Kit Specifications

Materials	4 Black Aluminum Tubes, 2 Aluminum Rods, 2 Aluminum Brackets, Silver, White and Wave Gold Reflective Fabrics
Dimensions	24 x 58.5 x 13.5" / 61 x 148.6 x 34.3cm
Weight	5.5 lb / 2.5kg

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