



Mountain Series

f-stop Camera Bag and Backpack Review Guide

Thank you for agreeing to review one of our camera packs. To help you develop a review that accurately reflects the product and our brand, we prepared the following guide for you.

1. Brand (Logo and Brandguide here : <https://shop.fstopgear.com/logo/>)
 - a. The brand name is “f-stop”. Please note that the spelling is ALL lower case. (even in the beginning of the sentences)
 - b. URL is www.fstopgear.com
 - c. You can find the specific product URL from then menu at the top of the home page.
2. Partner Brand - If you are doing your review for use on one of our partner sites.
 - a. Confirm any brand requirements.
 - b. Spelling, URL for product, etc.
3. Key points about the f-stop brand
 - a. Founded in 2006 (2021 was our 15-year anniversary)
 - b. First camera bags on the market with modular storage system – internal camera units (ICU’s) – several brands copied this concept.
 - c. Reliable supply chain – products are all available for immediate shipment.
 - d. Customer service team available via phone, live chat or email.
4. Mountain Series
 - a. Camera Bag Insert (f/k/a Internal Camera Unit) – part of the f-stop modular system
 - i. OPEN the Insert Cover / Lid before inserting into the bag
 - ii. Keep Insert cover folded under and behind the insert
 - iii. Insert the Camera Bag insert through the top lid (Handle of the Insert should face towards the Top lid (can be pulled out on the Handle)
 - iv. Camera gear should be visible and easily accessible through the back panel of the pack
 - v. Attach insert to the pack at internal attachment points on the internal sides of the pack (secures insert and keeps gear from spilling or being jostled)
 - b. All packs have an internal aluminum frame
 - c. Adjustable for maximum comfort carry loads
<https://shop.fstopgear.com/make-your-pack-fit/>
 - i. Hip belt - middle of the hip belt should lie over the hip bones - not above as it might constrict the stomach.
 - ii. Shoulder straps
Tighten the shoulder straps, but not too tight, because you want to make sure you are carrying the load on your hip belt.



- iii. **Load lifters**
Adjust the tension of the load lifters (shoulder stabiliser straps) to pull the load closer to your back and your center of gravity.
- iv. **Sternum strap**
Close the chest strap to optimize the location of the shoulder straps and make the backpack more stable.
- d. All packs have multiple external attachment points for the Gatekeeper Straps



Individual packs

Updated packs released on the first of November 2021:

The Ajna 40L, Tilopa 50L and Shinn 80L have been upgraded to the Mountain Series DuraDiamond®

Please find the **Workbooks** of the Mountain Series DuraDiamond® packs with detailed information about the Updates here: <http://files.fstopgear.com/?dir=Campaigns/NewPacks/Workbooks>

For a **Comparison Chart** of the DuraDiamond® please visit :

http://files.fstopgear.com/?dir=Campaigns/NewPacks/Comp_Charts

Detailed **FAQ** about the Mountain Series DuraDiamond® packs

<http://files.fstopgear.com/Campaigns/NewPacks/FAQ/FAQ%20DuraDiamond%20Packs.pdf>

5. SHINN 80L
 - a. 80-liter bag
 - b. Master Cine ICU
 - c. Great bag for
 - i. Long backcountry excursions
 - ii. Holds large, complex, kits including large cine rigs
6. SUKHA 70L
 - a. 70-liter bag
 - b. Several good ICU options.
 - i. PRO XL
 - ii. PRO Large
 - iii. Stack PRO Small on PRO Large
 - c. Great bag for
 - i. Long backcountry excursions
 - ii. Holds large, complex, kits including attached long lenses
 - iii. Great for carrying drones – in ICU or accessory pouches
7. TILOPA 50L
 - a. 50-liter bag
 - b. Several good Camera Bag Insert options
 - i. PRO XL
 - ii. PRO Large
 - iii. Stack PRO Small on PRO Large
 - c. Great bag for
 - i. Long backcountry excursions
 - ii. Holds large, complex, kits including attached long lenses
 - iii. Great for carrying drones – in insert or accessory pouches
 - iv. Back of the bag works great for sports equipment like skis, snow boards, etc.
8. AJNA 40L
 - a. 40-liter bag



- b. Carry-on compliant for MOST aircraft
 - i. Will fit in most overhead luggage compartments.
 - ii. Straps allow internal content to be compressed.
 - c. Great bag for
 - i. Shorter backcountry excursions – padded in shoulder straps and hip belt is LIGHTER than larger bags
 - ii. Holds large, kits including attached long lenses
 - iii. Great for carrying drones – inside an insert or accessory pouches
9. LOTUS 32L
- a. 32-liter bag
 - b. Carry-on compliant for MOST aircraft.
 - c. Great bag for
 - i. Shorter backcountry excursions – padded in shoulder straps and hip belt is LIGHTER than large Mountain Series bags
 - ii. Depending upon camera bag insert, can holds kits with attached long lenses
 - iii. Great for carrying drones – inside an insert or accessory pouches.

10. Additional Information:

- a. **Cleaning and maintaining your gear:**
<https://fstopgear.com/stories/gear/general-instructions-cleaning-and-maintaining-your-f-stop-gear>
- b. **Returns:** 45 Day Satisfaction Guarantee:
<https://shop.fstopgear.com/return-policy-and-process/>
- c. **Warranty :** <https://shop.fstopgear.com/warranty/>
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- d. About f-stop : <https://shop.fstopgear.com/about/>