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KCB2E/M - September 30, 2016

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RIGHT-ANGLE KINEMATIC MOUNTS FOR ELLIPTICAL MIRRORS

- Kinematic Mounts for 1/2", 1", and 2" Elliptical Mirrors
- Cage System, Lens Tube, and Post Mount Compatible
- ±4° of Kinematic Tip and Tilt Adjustment



KCB2E Holds 2" Elliptical Optics



KCB1E Holds 1" Elliptical Optics



KCB05E Holds 1/2" Elliptical Optics



Elliptical Mirror Mounts are Cage System and Lens Tube Compatible

The KCBxE(/M) and

KCBxEC(/M) elliptical mirror mounts divert a beam 90°, while the

elliptical optic maintains a

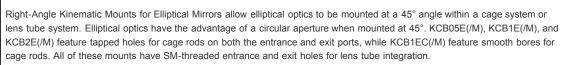
circular aperture.

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Features

- · Mount Elliptical Optics at 45° with ±4° of Kinematic Adjustment
- Versions Available to Mount a 1/2", 1", or 2" Elliptical Optic
- Fabricated from Black Anodized Aluminum



The eight right-angle mounts listed below are sized to incorporate 1/2", 1", or 2" elliptical optics within a 16 mm, 30 mm, or 60 mm Cage System, respectively. These mounts are compatible with our dielectric and metallic elliptical mirrors. We also offer Fixed 45° Mounts for our 1" and 2" elliptical mirrors.

Item #	KCB05E	KCB05E/M	KCB1E	KCB1EC	KCB1E/M	KCB1EC/M	KCB2E	KCB2E/M
Elliptical Mirror Size	1/2"		1"			2"		
Cage System Compatibility	16 m	30 mm			60 mm			
Lens Tube Compatibility	1/2"	I	1"		2"			
Post Mounting Taps	4-40 and 8-32	M3 and M4	8-32 ar	nd 1/4"-20	M4 a	and M6	8-32 and 1/4"-20	M4 and M6

Hide 16 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes

16 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes

Eight 4-40 Tapped Holes to Mate with 16 mm Cage Systems

- Mounts 1/2" (12.7 mm) Elliptical Optics at a 45° Angle to the Optical Axis
- Provides ±4° Kinematic Tip and Tilt Adjustment
- Compatible with SM05-Threaded (0.535"-40) Lens Tubes
- Post Mountable:
 - KCB05E: One 4-40 Tap and One 8-32 Tap (for Mini-Series and Ø1/2" Posts)
 - KCB05E/M: One M3 Tap and One M4 Tap (for Mini-Series, Ø1/2", and Ø1" Posts)

The KCB05E(/M) cube provides kinematic tip and tilt of a 1/2" (12.7 mm) elliptical optic held in a mounting plate whose mean horizontal Lens Tube position is at a 45° angle. The ports are equipped with SM05-threaded (0.535"-40) bores and four 4-40 tapped holes center-to-center spaced to mate with our 16 mm Cage System standard. The kinematic tip and tilt adjustment plate is actuated with M3 x 0.25 threaded adjustment screws that allow for smooth, high-resolution movement of 0.25 mm (0.01") per turn. Two of these adjusters include removable knobs, while the third must be tuned with a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver.

A nylon-tipped adjustment screw and a nylon-coated spring clip are used to secure 1" (25.4 mm) elliptical optics using a 0.05" (1.3 mm) hex key or balldriver via the mounts' rear-loading, double-bored hole. The rear loading design does not limit the thickness of the mounted optic and the mounted optic remains accessible even after the mount is fitted with cage rods or lens tubes. We offer dielectric and metallic elliptical mirrors, which are compatible with this mount. The minimum thickness for optics that can be secured by these mounts is 0.12" (3 mm).

Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
KCB05E/M	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount, 16 mm Cage System and SM05 Lens Tube Compatible, M3 and M4 Mounting Holes	\$220.00	Today
KCB05E	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount, 16 mm Cage System and SM05 Lens Tube Compatible, 4-40 and 8-32 Mounting Holes	\$220.00	Today

Hide 30 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes

30 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes

- Eight 4-40 Tapped Holes for ER Cage Rods
- Mounts 1" (25.4 mm) Elliptical Optics at a 45° Angle to the Optical Axis
- Provides ±4° Kinematic Tip and Tilt Adjustment
- 30 mm Cage System and SM1 (1.035"-40) Compatible
- Post Mountable:
 - KCB1E: One 8-32 Tap and One 1/4"-20 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)
 - KCB1E/M: One M4 Tap and One M6 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)



Click to Enlarge KCB1E Elliptical Mount on a Post with ER Cage Rods and an SM1 Lens Tube

The KCB1E(/M) cube provides kinematic tip and tilt of a 1" (25.4 mm) elliptical optic held in a mounting plate whose mean horizontal Tube position is at a 45° angle. The ports are equipped with SM1-threaded (1.035"-40) bores and four 4-40 tapped holes center-to-center spaced to mate with our 30

position is at a 45° angle. The ports are equipped with SM1-threaded (1.035°-40) bores and four 4-40 tapped holes center-to-center spaced to mate with our 30 mm Cage System standard. The kinematic tip and tilt adjustment plate is actuated with 100 TPI (Threads per Inch) adjustment screws that allow for smooth, high-resolution movement of 0.01" (0.254 mm) per rotation. Two of these adjusters include removable knobs, while the third must be tuned with a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver.

A nylon-tipped adjustment screw and a nylon-coated spring clip are used to secure 1" (25.4 mm) elliptical optics using a 0.05" (1.3 mm) hex key or balldriver via the mounts' rear-loading, double-bored hole. The rear loading design ensures that the optic remains accessible even after the mount is fitted with cage rods or lens tubes. These mounts were designed for a 6 mm thick optic. We offer dielectric and metallic elliptical mirrors, which are compatible with these mounts.

Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
KCB1E/M	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes, 30 mm Cage System and SM1 Compatible, M4 and M6 Mounting Holes	\$198.00	Today
KCB1E	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes, 30 mm Cage System and SM1 Compatible, 8-32 and 1/4"-20 Mounting Holes	\$198.00	Today

Hide 30 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Smooth Cage Rod Bores

30 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Smooth Cage Rod Bores

- Mounts 1" (25.4 mm) Elliptical Optics at a 45° Angle to the Optical Axis
- Eight 0.25" (6.35 mm) Deep Smooth Bore Holes for ER Cage Rods
- Provides ±4° Kinematic Tip and Tilt Adjustment
- ▶ 30 mm Cage System and SM1 (1.035"-40) Compatible





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- Post Mountable:
 - KCB1EC: One 8-32 Tap and One 1/4"-20 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)
 - KCB1EC/M: One M4 Tap and One M6 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)

Click to Enlarge KCB1EC(/M) Mounts have Smooth Bores for Cage Rods

The KCB1EC(/M) cube provides kinematic tip and tilt of a 1" (25.4 mm) elliptical optic held in a mounting plate whose mean horizontal position is at a 45° angle. The ports are equipped with SM1-threaded (1.035"-40) bores and four 0.25" (6.35 mm) deep smooth bore holes spaced to mate with our 30 mm cage system standard. The cage rods are secured by eight setscrews using a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver. This design allows multiple 30 mm cage components to be directly interfaced without the need for ERSCA ER Rod Adapters. The kinematic tip and tilt adjustment plate is actuated with 100 TPI (Threads Per Inch) adjustment screws that allow for smooth, high-resoultion movement of 0.01" (0.254 mm) per turn. Two of these adjusters include removable knobs, while the third must be tuned with a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver.

A nylon-coated spring clip is used to secure 1" (25.4 mm) elliptical optics using a 0.05" (1.3 mm) hex key or balldriver via the mounts' rear-loading, double-bored hole. The rear loading design ensures that the optic remains accessible even after the mount is fitted with cage rods or lens tubes. These mounts were designed to hold a 6 mm thick elliptical optic. We offer dielectric and metallic elliptical mirrors, which are compatible with these mounts.

Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
	Customer Inspired!Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Smooth Cage Rod Bores, 30 mm Cage System and SM1 Compatible, M4 and M6 Mounting Holes	\$198.00	Today
KCB1EC	Customer Inspired!Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Smooth Cage Rod Bores, 30 mm Cage System and SM1 Compatible, 8-32 and 1/4"-20 Mounting Holes	\$198.00	Today

Hide 60 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes

60 mm Cage Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount with Tapped Cage Rod Holes



- Eight 4-40 Tapped Holes for ER Cage Rods
- Mounts 2" (50.8 mm) Elliptical Optics at a 45° Angle to the Optical Axis
- Provides ±4° Kinematic Tip and Tilt Adjustment
- 60 mm Cage System and SM2 (2.035"-40) Compatible
- Post Mountable:
 - KCB2E: One 8-32 Tap and One 1/4"-20 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)
 - KCB2E/M: One M4 Tap and One M6 Tap (for Ø1/2" and Ø1" Posts)



The KCB2E(/M) Right-Angle Kinematic Cage Mount provides kinematic tip and tilt adjustment of a 2" (50.8 mm) elliptical optic held in a mounting plate with a mean horizontal position at a 45° angle. The ports are equipped with SM2-threaded (2.035"-40) bores. The KCB2E(/M) has eight 4-40 tapped holes spaced to mate with our 60 mm cage systems. The ±4° kinematic tip and tilt adjustment plate is actuated with three 100 TPI (Threads per Inch) adjustment screws for smooth, high-resolution movement of 0.01" (0.254 mm) per rotation. Two of these adjusters include removable knobs, while the third must be tuned with a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver.

A nylon-tipped setscrew is used to secure 2" (50.8 mm) optics using a 5/64" (2 mm) hex key or balldriver via the mounts' rear-loading, double-bored hole. The rear loading design does not limit the maximum thickness of the mounted optic and the mounted optic remains accessible even after the mount is fitted with cage rods or lens tubes. The minimum thickness for optics that can be secured by these mounts is 0.24" (6 mm). We offer dielectric and metallic elliptical mirrors, which are compatible with these mounts.

Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
KCB2E/M	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount, 60 mm Cage System and SM2 Compatible, M4 and M6 Mounting Holes	\$225.00	Today
KCB2E	Right-Angle Kinematic Elliptical Mirror Mount, 60 mm Cage System and SM2 Compatible, 8-32 and 1/4"-20 Mounting Holes	\$225.00	Today